

16th Congress of

The Federation of Asia and Oceania Perinatal Societies

14th-17th December, 2010 | Hotel The Ashok, New Delhi, India

Theme: Bridging gaps in Maternal-Neonatal health.

Organized by

- [National Neonatology Forum](#)
- [Indian Society of Perinatology and Reproduction Biology](#)

Organizing Committee: Co-chairpersons: **Dr Neelam Kler** and **Dr Suneeta Mittal**

Attendance: More than 450 delegates from 24 countries attended the conference.

Faculty from 20 countries participated in the scientific deliberations.

On 14th December, **a record number of 16** (8 in the morning and 8 in the afternoon) workshops on various aspects of Perinatal Medicine were organized:

Monitoring of Babies with Respiratory Insufficiency

Neurodevelopment: Assessment Tools and Importance of Followup Audit

Brain Monitoring in NICU

Lung Protective ventilatory Strategies

IVF and Multiple pregnancy

Perinatal Infection

Prenatal diagnosis & Fetal Therapy

Techniques of Caesarean Section

Good practices in NICU

Emergency management of a Critically sick neonate

Methodology and understanding of systematic and Cochrane Reviews

Functional Echocardiography

Pain Relief During Labor

Diabetes in Pregnancy

Fetal Surveillance

Workshop of Obstetric Analgesia

The Inauguration of the Congress was performed by the **Honourable health Minister for Health, Union Government of India, Mr Gulam Nabhi Azad.**

Country heads of UNICEF,WHO and various other non governmental agencies graced the occasion.

Dr Ranjan Kumar Pejaver, Professor of Neonatology,Bangalore,India took over the mantle of **President, FAOPS for the years 2010-12**

This was followed by a grand entertainment program and gala banquet.

The scientific sessions consisted of Plenary sessions, Symposia, guest lecture and free paper presentations covering the various components of Perinatal Medicine.

There were 2 categories of award

- Young Investigator Award: Eligibility- Young scientists from Asia Oceania region upto 40 years of age who submit an abstract are eligible.
- Community Perinatology Award: Cash prize for best research in community perinatology.