



Monthly Newsletter

SHIFA SPEAKS

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Inauguration **POWER HOUSE EXPANSION & STRENGTHENING PROJECT** of Shifa International Hospital

Recognition
of the significant contribution of the
team in its successful completion

A 24/7 critical power supply is vital for the efficient and effective continuation of patient services in the healthcare facilities as IT and medical equipment for patient care relies on the availability of electrical power. To reinforce its emergency power systems, Shifa International Hospital inaugurated its backup generation powerhouse, capable of providing uninterrupted power supply to the facility in case of a utility failure. The system successfully demonstrated its capability during the recent country-wide blackout coping to the needs of the hospital.

CEO Shifa International Hospital, Dr. Manzoor H. Qazi lauded the efforts of the team involved in the expansion and up-gradation of a robust power supply and generation system.





SIH'S LIVER TRANSPLANT SURGEON

Delivered Lecture at

North West General Hospital & Research Center, Peshawar



Director Liver Transplant Program and Consultant Liver Transplant Surgeon at Shifa International Hospital, Dr. Haseeb Haider Zia has recently delivered a lecture titled **"To do or not to do"** for candidate selection for Liver Transplantation at North West General Hospital and Research Center (NWGH & RC), Peshawar. The guest lecture was attended by Gastroenterologists & Hepatologists from various public and private hospitals in Peshawar. The core objective of the activity was to enhance liaison among the Physicians' community to establish referral pathways to ultimately benefit patients.

Dr. Zia Ur Rahman, CEO NWGH, & Dr. Arshad Hussain, Associate Dean Postgraduate Training, NWGH, thanked the Shifa Liver Transplant team & emphasized the need for arranging such activities in the future as well. So far, more than 970 Living Donor Liver Transplants have been performed at Shifa Int. Hospital Islamabad with success ratio comparable to International Standards.



Shifa International Hospital **WINS ANNUAL FIRE SAFETY AWARD**



Shifa International Hospital (SIH) won the 10th Annual Fire Safety Award for the Implementation of fire safety codes and standards throughout the facility. The award ceremony was held on 17th December 2020 at Marriott Hotel, Karachi. The auditors from the Fire Protection Association of Pakistan (FPAP) and the National Forum for Environmental Health (NFEH) had a comprehensive assessment of the hospital's fire safety programs and its installed systems to combat the fire hazards. Shifa International Hospital's Fire Safety programs and systems have been termed as one of the best in the country.

Mr. Zulfiqar Ali, Manager Environmental Health & Safety, briefed the audience in the award event regarding the Fire Safety Management at SIH. Representatives of over forty organizations from all over the country appreciated SIH fire management systems.





SIH Provided First Aid Services during a Cycling Gala Organized by ICCI

Shifa International Hospital Islamabad set up a free of charge First Aid Station at F-9 Park for the cyclists who took part in a Cycling Gala organized by the Islamabad Chamber of Commerce & Industry (ICCI). The hospital also provided an equipped Ambulance which moved along the route of the Cycle Rally from D-Chowk to F-9 Park Islamabad. President ICCI, Sardar Yasir Ilyas Khan appreciated the contribution by Shifa International Hospital. Deputy Commissioner Islamabad, Mr. Muhammed Hamza Shafqaat was the Chief Guest on the occasion.



WEBINARS HELD ON ADVANCEMENTS IN NEUROSURGERY

18th & 23rd January 2021

Shifa International Hospital in collaboration with Shifa Foundation has organized a webinar series on "Advancements in Neurosurgery" to provide updates about the advancements in the field of neurosurgery.



- Dr. Akbar Ali Khan, Neurosurgeon from Shifa International Hospital discussed advancements in neurosurgery to upgrade the knowledge of healthcare workers.
- Lecture on Functional Neurosurgery was based on a case study presented by world-renowned Prof. Tipu Aziz, Professor of Neurosurgery, Oxford University, UK, who has devoted his life to improving the methodologies by unfolding the technology engagements in neurosurgery. Research work that he has completed supports millions of people to improve their own lives and help others to improve theirs.
- Dr. Nabeel Muzzafar Syed, Neurologist, SIH discussed Neurology's role in Functional Neurosurgery.
- Prof. Theodore H. Schwartz, Professor of Minimally Invasive Neurosurgery, Weill Cornell Medicine, New York, USA discussed the Pituitary Neurosurgery practices.
- Dr. Osama Ishtiaq, Endocrinologist, SIH & Dr. Umar Yousaf Raja, Endocrinologist, SIH discussed the major aspects of Endocrine Management.



MASTERCLASS IN RHEUMATOLOGY

January 14 - 2021

SIH with the collaboration of the Shifa Foundation has organized the Masterclass in Rheumatology where the expert Rheumatologist shared their findings in the field and demonstrated the procedures which can be used by newcomers to excel their practices.

Gout, Rheumatoid Arthritis, Seronegative Inflammatory Arthritis, Scleroderma, Systemic Lupus Erythematosus, Vasculitis are the areas that were selected for the Masterclass. Participants from diverse specialties attended the Masterclass in Rheumatology.



WEBINAR IN NEONATOLOGY

January 09 - 2021

SIH in collaboration with Shifa Foundation has organized a CME webinar on Neonatology. The topic was medical care of newborn infants, especially the ill or premature newborns with integrated perinatal care and research to decline the probabilities of complications.

Dr. Yasser Masood, Consultant Neonatologist, SIH discussed topics of Current Evidence-based management of Respiratory Distress Syndrome (RDS) in Neonates, Non-Invasive Ventilation in RDS, Mechanical Ventilation Strategies, and Supportive Care in RDS.





Capacity Building Training Sessions by Human Resource Department, SIH

To develop a culture of continuous learning, development & capacity building various customized in-house workshops and trainings are conducted regularly for technical & non-technical employees. The main focus of such trainings is always on inducing core organizational values in the work ethics of Shifa International Hospital's employees, to provide compassionate patient care.

Shifa undergoes an extensive training need analysis based on which a proper one year Training Plan is made. Alongside on-the-job Training and Evaluation Campaigns are conducted on continuous basis.

Training Sessions includes:

- ✓ Customer Service Skills
- ✓ Self-Awareness
- ✓ Positive Attitude & Behavior
- ✓ Effective Communication Skills
- ✓ Communication Skills
- ✓ Team Building



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EMPLOYEE FAREWELL

"This is not a goodbye, this is a thank you"



M. NASEER
Sr. House Attendant
Housekeeping Department



M. ARSHAD KHAN
Service Aid – III
FNSD Department

Quadrivalent

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فلو ویکسین لگوائیں

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