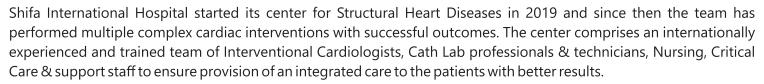


SHIFA CENTER FOR STRUCTURAL HEART & COMPLEX CORONARY INTERVENTIONS

Structural heart diseases refer to the abnormalities of heart & arteries related to heart valves, heart muscles & its supporting structures. Traditionally these conditions were treated through open surgical procedures but with the advancements in the field of medicine, interventional procedures were introduced that are less invasive, safe & effective, and require less recovery time for the high risk patients.



Shifa International Hospital has state of the art Cath lab facility, which is equipped with the latest diagnostic & interventional facilities such as FFR, iFR, IVUS. The center is fully functional to perform complex procedure such as Rotabolation Angioplasties, Transcatheter Aortic Valve Replacement (TAVI/ TAVR), Mitral Clip Repair, Aortic & Mitral Valve Repair without Surgery, treatment of Congenital Heart diseases (by birth), hole in heart in children and much more. In 2020, Dr. Asaad Akbar Khan (Consultant Interventional Cardiologist, SIH) performed more than 40 Rotabolation Angioplasties, which was the most performed procedure in Pakistan at any facility.

Dr. Ahsan Arshad is a recent addition to Shifa Cardiology team who has joined the department as Consultant Interventional Cardiologist. He possesses vast international experience in treating common to complex cardiac diseases with problems related to structural heart and performing complex coronary interventions.





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شفاا نزیشنل ہپتال میں یومِ آزادی پاکستان کے حوالے سے پرچم کشائی کی ایک مخضر کیکن پروقار تقریب کا انعقاد ہوا جس میں ہپتال کی اعلیٰ انتظامیہ نے شرکت کی۔ پاکستان کا قومی پرچم ترانے کی گونخ اور سکیو رٹی اسٹاف کی سلامی کے ساتھ فضامیں بلند کیا گیا۔اس موقع پرچیف آپریٹنگ آفیسر تیمورشاہ نے حاضرین سے خطاب میں جشنِ آزادی کی مبارک باددیتے ہوئے کہا کہ ہم اپنی تمام صلاحیتیں برؤکے کار لاتے ہوئے اپنے ہنراور شعبے سے متعلق بہتر سے بہتر کام پوری دیانتداری سے کر کے ملکی ترقی میں اپنا حصد ڈال سکتے ہیں۔





















SIH & eShifa Signed MoU with Nayatel Pvt. Ltd. to Acquire Online Payment Integration Solution

Shifa International Hospital believes in making quality healthcare more accessible and reachable to the broader populations. With the same objective, eShifa (a digital & home healthcare brand) was established to cater to the healthcare needs of people in general and particularly during the COVID-19 pandemic by leveraging integrated healthcare technologies. To further expand their capability to offer ease and convenience to the patients, Shifa International Hospital and its partner brand eShifa have signed an MoU with Nayatel Pvt. Ltd. to acquire Online Payment Integration Solution. The payment gateway solution by Nayatel facilitates users to pay online (web/ eShifa app) by using easy online payment options integrated with the billing system.

Shifa has also acquired Nayatel Digital Signage Solution with the core purpose to educate and engage patients and families through audio/visual content and tools for disease awareness at the hospital premises. The MoU signing ceremony was attended by Mr. Taimoor Shah (COO, SIH), Mr. Wahaj-Us-Siraj (CEO, Nayatel), and other team members from both sides.





Moment of Pride for Shifa

The prestigious McIndo Memorial Lecture Award has recently been awarded to Prof. Dr. Mamoon Rashid (Consultant Plastic Surgeon, Shifa International Hospital) by Guinea Pig Club, UK, under the umbrella of British Association of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeons (BAPRAS)





SHIFA INTERNATIONAL HOSPITAL LAUNCHES "SAFE SKIES" INITIATIVE WITH PIA IN THE

MIDST OF COVID-19

Fly Safe with PIA & Shifa

International Hospital Islamabad has provided COVID-19 Hygiene Kits for domestic passengers of PIA to ensure safe travel for all. COVID-19 hygiene packs include a multi-layered surgical face mask and a custom made FDA-approved hand sanitizer. The MoU signing ceremony was attended by Dr. Zeeshan Bin Ishtiaque (Chief Medical Officer, Shifa Int. Hospital), Air Marshal Arshad Malik (Chief Executive Officer, PIA) along with other officials from both sides.



IMPLANTED COCHLEAR DEVICE ACTIVATED

at SIH in a 3 years old patient Rayma Zuhaib

Milestone Achieved

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pr. Syed Sajjad Javed Ahmed, Consultant Audiologist at Shifa International Hospital activated the cochlear device implanted in a 3 years old patient at the ENT clinic, Shifa International Hospital, Islamabad. 1st cochlear implant procedure was recently performed by Dr. Muhammad Azeem Aslam, Consultant ENT Surgeon along with a multidisciplinary team comprising of Audiologists, Anesthesiologists, Technicians & Nursing Staff.

Cochlear implantation involves surgically placing a small & complex electronic device that helps provide a sense of sound to a person who is unable to hear or faces extreme difficulty in hearing. Shifa International Hospital, Islamabad is among the few hospitals in the country providing this treatment and is committed in its endeavor to serve the people of Pakistan by offering healthcare services at par with international standards.







HR - TRAINING TEAM arranged SAFE DRIVING SESSION in collaboration with NATIONAL HIGHWAY & MOTORWAY POLICE

A safety session was delivered by SPO Saqib Waheed & his team that focused on motorway rules and regulations and parameters for safe driving. Drivers from Shifa's transport department attended the session. At the end of the session Mr. Taimoor Shah, Chief Operating Officer, SIH presented an acknowledgment souvenir to the guest speaker for this community awareness initiative.



15 years of Service

MR. IMRAN SHAHZAD (Office Attendant, Media & Marketing Department)



14th Annual Neurology Research Day (ANRD)

Chifa International Hospital in collaboration with Shifa Centre of Professional Excellence (SCOPE) has arranged the 14th Annual Neurology Research Day to provide the researchers a platform where they can showcase their research articles to globally renowned researcher professionals.

- Judges for 14th Annual Neurology Research Day includes; Prof. Dr. Muhammad Ather Javed, Professor & Head of Neurology Department, Central Park Teaching Hospital, Lahore
- Dr. Farooq Azam Rathore, Consultant & HOD, Rehabilitation Medicine, PNS Shifa Hospital, Karachi
- Dr. Husnain Hashim, Consultant Neurologist & Stroke Specialist, Head of Neurology Department, Fauji Foundation Hospital, Islamabad
- Prof. Dr. Sajida Naseem, Assoc. Professor, Community Medicine, Shifa Tameer-e-Millat University, Islamabad

At the end of the 14th Annual Neurology Research Day, Dr. Muhammad Azhar Saeed, Consultant Neurologist, Chair Organizing Committee-ANRD & Dr. Maimoona Siddiqui, Head of Neurology Department, Shifa International Hospital appreciated the efforts of young researchers who have put their efforts to complete their research articles in a short span & distributed prizes to the winners of the 14th Annual Neurology Research Day.

















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