With the Divine Blessings of our Beloved "SRI SAKTHI AMMA". A Newly dedicated Ultra-Modern Cardiothoracic Surgery Unit, Cath Lab and Renal Transplant Unit was inaugurated at Sri Narayani Hospital & Research Centre by His Excellency Shri. Ram Nath Kovind, The Honorable President of India in the august presence of His Excellency Shri.Banwarilal Purohit, The Honorable Governor of Tamilnadu & Shri.K.C.Veeramani, Minister for Commercial Taxes, Tamilnadu, Dr.N.Balaji Director & Trustee SNHRC, Shri Kalaiyarasan Trustee, Shri Ramalingam Trustee on 04.05.2018.

Through knowledge and wisdom, we should learn to utilize our wealth and strength for good causes. The ultimate goal of life is service to others; Only humans have the opportunity, knowledge and wisdom to do so. Education provides knowledge, while devotion cultivates wisdom. Together they offer peace of mind.

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MESSENGERS OF PEACE

With the Divine Blessings of Our Beloved Sri Sakthi Amma, Dr. N. Balaji, Director & Trustee flagging of the All India Bus Rally Exhibition For Peace & delivering the Inaugural Keynote Address on the occasion of seminar on Anger Management conducted by Brahma Kumaris Youth Wing at Sri Narayani Hospital & Research Centre Premises on 02.06.2018.

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The Honourable President on India lauded the efforts of the Hospital in serving the community by providing affordable healthcare services to the needy. The Honourable President of India also dedicated a tree sapling in the presence of Dr. N. Balaji, Director, whom he had appreciated for his tireless efforts and invited the Director to visit the “Rashtrapathi Bhavan”.

HONOURABLE UNION MINISTER FOR HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE's VISIT
With the Divine Presence and Blessings of Our Beloved Sri Sakti Amma, The Hon'ble Union Cabinet Minister of Health & Family Welfare, Hon'ble Shri. J.P.NADDA visited SNHRC in the valuable presence of Dr. N. Balaji, Director & Trustee along with Dr.Tamilisai Soundararajan, The President, Tamilnadu Bharatiya Janata Party on 8.5.2018. The Union Cabinet Health Minister also visited the recovering patients in the wards and commended the Hospital for housing ultra modern facilities and providing affordable health care. The Hon'ble Union Cabinet Minister also inaugurated Sri Narayani Auditorium in Sri Narayani College of Nursing and encouraged the students.

DIRECTOR's FELICITATION OF COMMON WEALTH GOLD MEDALIST
With the Divine Blessings of Beloved Sri Sakthi Amma, Dr. N. Balaji, Director Trustee congratulated and facilitated Sathish Kumar Sivalingam on 23-04-2018. The Common Wealth Games Gold Medalist has brought laurels to Vellore by winning the Gold Medal in Weight Lifting for three consecutive Championships.

BLOOD DONOR DAY JUNE 14th, 2018
With the Divine Blessings of Our Beloved “SRI SAKTHI AMMA”, Sri Narayani Hospital & Research Centre celebrated Blood Donor Day on 14.6.2018. Dr. Geetha Inian, Deputy Medical Superintendent along with Dr. Anantha Mahajan, Principal SSAIAHS facilitated the Donation Campaign while students and general public donated for the noble cause.
Ankyloblepharon filiform adnatum with partial syndactly: A rare disorder managed by simple procedure

Key words: Ankyloblepharon, syndactly, congenital

Abstract: Ankyloblepharon filiform adnatum (AFA) is a rare congenital anomaly which can be associated with other congenital malformations. Bands of thin connective tissue join the upper and lower eyelids restricting opening of palpebral fissure. Here we report a case of a neonate with bilateral AFA and syndactly which was managed by division of the bands using Vannas scissors.

Case Report: A 2 days old neonate born to a 28 years old primigravida at 40 weeks of gestation, was referred to the ophthalmology department with complaints inability to fully open both eyes. There was no history of consanguinity between the parents and the mother had a normal antenatal history. Eye examination revealed that in both eyes, upper and lower lids were joined by find bands of tissue. There were 3 such bands in the right eye and one in left. The palpebral fissure of the right was smaller than the left. The child was noted to have partial syndactly involving the 2nd and 3rd left toe (fig 1B). Systemic examination by neonatologist did not reveal any other anomaly. The bands were divided without local anaesthetic using a Vannas scissor, no bleeding was noted. A detailed eye examination was done after division of the bands. The posterior surface of the eyelids was normal, ocular movement were normal, anterior and posterior segments was normal.

Discussion: AFA has an amblyogenic potential as it may severely restrict eye opening. The bands of connective tissue are extensible and can be present anywhere along the lids margin except the medial and lateral canthus. Histologically this consists of a vascular central core surrounded by stratified squamous epithelium. AFA has been classified by Rosenman et al in four groups based on involvement of other organs. Group I included AFA without any other condition Group II with central nervous system and cardiovascular malformations Group III with ectodermal dysplasia and Group IV with cleft lip or palate. The management of this condition is simple and can be carried out without local anaesthetic. However, it is important to recognise possible co-existent anomalies and thus a detailed examination is very important.

Orthopedic - THR Surgery

Contributed by Dr. Aakash MS,DNB - Orthopedics

A 47 year old lady from Bangladesh presented to our hospital with inability to walk for the past 3 years. The patient had history of right hip dislocation with posterior wall of acetabulum fracture in the year 2015. The patient was operated twice at Bangladesh with no relief in symptoms. On evaluation the patient had right hip arthritis with deficient posterior wall with 4 centimetres of shortening. The hip abductors which are quintessential for the success of a THR surgery were weak owing to repeated surgeries.

A part from the orthopaedic problems, the patient was a diabetic, hypertensive, obese and had CKD. In coordination with the nephrology and anesthesia teams, a decision was taken to go ahead with a THR. We reconstructed the deficient posterior wall of the acetabulum with the patients femoral head with screws and posterior acetabular plate. To address the instability in complex primary hip scenario we used a cemented “Dual mobility” implant which significantly decreases the dislocation rates. The patient recovered well and was ambulatory at the time of discharge with the assistance of the walker.
INAUGURATION OF NEW REGISTRATION & BILLING COUNTER FOR C & D BLOCKS
With the Divine Blessings of our Beloved "SRI SAKTHI AMMA", A dedicated Registration & Billing Counter for C & D Blocks respectively was inaugurated by Our Beloved Amma's Overseas Devotee Mr. K.P. Koh, Singapore, in the valuable presence of Dr. N. Balaji, Director & Trustee on 13.04.2018. The Registration counter is air conditioned and equipped with modern computers to facilitate and assist the increasing number of patients visiting the Hospital.

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY JUNE 21", 2018
With the Divine Blessings of our Beloved "SRI SAKTHI AMMA", Sri Narayani College & School of Nursing & Sri Sakthi Amma Institute of Allied Health Sciences Celebrated International Yoga Day on 21.6.2018. Beloved AMMA's Oversees Devotees Mrs. Lynn Schneider, New York, Dr. Kulreeth & Mr. Joshua, USA in the valuable presence of Dr. N. Balaji, Director inaugurated the Day. Dr. Aravindan Nair, Medical Superintendent, Mrs. Sujatha, Principal SNCON, Dr. Anatha Maharajan, Principal SSAIHS & Mrs. Hema Saktihivel, Yoga Trainer & Specialist spoke on the importance of Yoga and a live demonstration of Yoga Asanas was conducted with the students taking part in the exercise effectively.

DENTAL, EYE & PAEDIATRIC CAMP @ ORPHANAGE HOME, RANIPET
With the Divine Blessings of our Beloved "SRI SAKTHI AMMA", Sri Narayani Hospital & Research Centre conducted Dental, EYE & Paediatric Camp at Orphanage Home, Ranipet on 17.4.2018. In tune with Our Beloved AMMA's Vision and Mission, the free medical camp was organized in order to reach out the community and assist in their wellbeing. Free Medicines were distributed to the children.