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Current trends in Cranio-Maxillofacial surgery

The Department of Burns, Plastic and Maxillofacial surgery, VMMC and Safdarjung hospital, New Delhi had organized CME and workshop on "Current trends in Cranio-Maxillofacial surgery" for nurses and doctors on 10th and 11th of January 2020 respectively. The CME on 10th January 2020 was attended by 63 nurses. The CME and workshop on 11th January 2020 were attended by 95 doctors.

The CME was moderated by eminent faculty from prestigious institutes of excellence and attended by delegates and residents from across the India. Dr K Sridhar, Director Institute of Craniofacial and Aesthetic Surgery, SIMS Hospital, Chennai; Dr A K Singh, HOD, Plastic Surgery, KGMU, Lucknow; Dr. Pradeep Goil, HOD, Plastic Surgery, SMS Hospital, Jaipur; Dr Anil Muraraka, Senior Consultant, BLK Hospital, New Delhi; Dr Srinivas GoslaReddy, HOD, Maxillofacial Surgery, AIIMS, Rishikesh were the invited faculty for the CME and Workshop. This program dealt with the less trodden issues of birth and acquired deformities of face and skull which is not extensively given training during the residency program. These complex deformities are often ignored or referred to few institutes of excellence which might not be able to handle the load of patients who suffer from functional, aesthetic and psychological issues. This CME program provided a platform for budding plastic surgeons to understand the nuances of this complex problem through didactic lectures and Hands on workshop on skull models. Doctors practiced surgeries on skull models about various craniofacial deformities and maxillofacial injuries in relation to the basic principles of surgery, osteotomy techniques, fixation methods and management of procedure related complications under guidance of experienced in-house and invited faculties. Eventually, the young plastic surgeons attending the program were empowered to treat patients with craniofacial deformities and maxillofacial injuries; thus benefiting the needy patients in their care and improving the outcomes.

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