It’s my proud privilege to welcome you as the President of Geriatric Society Of India, General secretary of Academy Of Advanced Medical Education & Organizing secretary of GSICON 2019.

Geriatrics is poorly understood science. This youngest specialty of medicine deals with multiple complex issues in one person. Not uncommon for us to see an elderly patient with frailing immunity to have multiple co morbidities like Hypertension, diabetes, COPD, prostatomegaly, dyslipedemia, osteoporosis, Ischemic heart disease , obesity, osteoarthritis, gastritis, parkinsonism, dementia & to top it up may be chronic respiratory or urinary infection & things get out of control, if they get some malignancy. Needless to say such complex situations require skillful approach & that too with passion & empathy. With lot of compliance issues, poor follow ups, difficult history, & cognitive problems these patients forget to take their medicines as prescribed, may not come for regular follow up, would need extra time in understanding complex treatment regimens & they may be slow in their responses demanding longer consultation time.

At Geriatric conference we try to learn the art of history taking for older people, their evaluation & approach to diagnosis. Drug to drug interactions are of utmost importance in geriatric medicine.

To understand all these from the doyens of their fields  we have organized two day Geriatric conference – GSICOJN 2019 at One up Hall, Malad Link Road, above  Croma store, Malad west, Mumbai.

Academy Of Advanced Education is going to host it for you & BK Yoginiben ben would be the chief guest at the inauguration. Dr Dilip Mhaisekar – Vice Chancellor – MUHS has consented to be our chief guest at the convocation ceremony on 15 September & he would award the fellowship of Geriatric society of India to the recipients.

We are eagerly waiting with the excellent academic feast for you.

Superb venue, Maharashtra medical council credit points, great scientific programme, excellent guest faculty, presence of Vice Chancellor, Blessings of divine sister BK Yoginiben, mouth watering food , corporate exhibition etc are some of the attractions for you to block your dates with us.

See you soon at GSICON 2019.

Sincerely yours

**Agam Vora**