Dr. Sandeep Bhalla (Program Director – CCEBDM, CCGDM, ACMDC) addressing the audience at Diabetes Update 2014, Kolkata (West Bengal)

Venue: Hotel ITC Sonar, Kolkata (West Bengal)
Date: 4th May, 2014
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‘DIABETES UPDATE 2014, KOLKATA’

Sunday, 04.05. 2014

(Venue - Hotel ITC Sonar, KOLKATA)

Organised by,

‘Kolkata Diabetes and Endocrinology Forum’
(Academic Partner, Public Health Foundation of India, New Delhi)

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Program-

09.45 am- Lamp lighting and inauguration

10.00 am- Welcome address by the President of ‘Kolkata Diabetes and Endocrinology Forum’, Dr. Tirthankar Chaudhury

10.15 am – Address by the Chief guest

Session 1
Chairpersons:
Prof. (Dr.). Sukumar Mukherjee
Prof. (Dr.). Subhankar Chowdhury

10.30 am – ‘Waist not, want not’
by Dr. Shaukat Sadikot

11.00 am – ‘Growth Hormone and Doping’
By Dr. Richard Holt

11.45 am to 12.00noon - Tea

Session 2
Chairpersons:
Prof. (Dr.) Apurba Mukherjee
Dr. Moutushi Roy Chaudhury

12.00 noon - ‘Vitamin D and insulin resistance’
By Dr. Satinath Mukherjee

12.30 - ‘Early insulinisation and the rationale’
by Dr. Sanjib Dhungel
01.00 pm to 2.00 pm – Lunch

Session 3
Chairpersons:
Prof. (Dr.) P. S. Chatterjee
Dr. Manitosh Ray

2.00 pm– ‘Public Health Foundation of India’ and diabetes care.
by Dr. Sandeep Bhalla

02.20 pm ‘Diabetes and Infection’
By Dr. Clive S. Cockram

03.00 pm ‘Insulin delivery, glucose monitoring and hyperglycemia’

03.30 pm to 03.45 pm – Tea
Session 4
Chairpersons–
Dr. Sabyasachi Banerjee
Dr. Sagarika Mukherjee

03.45 pm– ‘Incretin based therapies in diabetes.’
by Dr. Apurba Mukherjee

04.15 pm– ‘Oral hypoglycemic agents, diabetes and Pregnancy’
by Prof. (Dr.) Richard Holt

05.00 pm-Vote of Thanks
**Kolkata Diabetes Update 2014** was organized by Kolkata Diabetes and Endocrinology Forum, West Bengal, in collaboration with the Public Health Foundation of India.

Present on the occasion were leading Diabetologists and Endocrinologists in India and Kolkata, President-Elect, Dr. Shaukat M. Sadikot, International Diabetes Federation 2013-2015 and other International Speakers. Also present our National Expert, Dr. Subhankar Chowdhury (CCEBDM, CCGDM and ACMDC), Dr. Sandeep Bhalla (Program Director - CCEBDM, CCGDM and ACMDC) from PHFI and many other faculties.

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**Dr. Tirthankar Chowdhury (Regional Faculty – CCEBDM) and President, Kolkata Diabetes and Endocrinology Forum addressing the Conference**
Dr. Sandeep Bhalla delivered a talk on “Public Health Foundation of India’ and diabetes care”
Doctors discuss diabetes care

A STAFF REPORTER

A large number of doctors came together to discuss the latest in diabetes care at a workshop — Diabetes Update 2014, Calcutta — on Sunday.

The workshop was organised by the Calcutta Diabetes and Endocrinology Forum, Apollo Gleneagles Hospital, Kolkata and New Delhi based think-tank PHFI.

Doctors at the workshop also discussed how best to spread awareness about the disease among the economically backward classes, where the disease is spreading fast.

According to Tirthankar Chaudhury, the president of the forum, diabetes affects Indians at an earlier age as compared with the people in western countries. The early onset is affecting the people’s “productive age”, which is why it is even more important to prevent complications resulting from the disease.

Doctors were also urged to undergo courses by PHFI so that they could follow well prepared guidelines for diabetes management. Apollo Gleneagles Hospital, Kolkata said that they were committed to screening of diabetes, especially women in pregnancy, who are at a higher risk.

To that effect there were stalls providing guidance on every aspect associated with diabetes like a heart kiosk, exercise kiosk etc.