

Candidate for the post of Secretary, ISPAE (2027–2028)

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PROFILE

Academic paediatrician with over 25 years of teaching and clinical experience. Unit Head of Pediatric Endocrinology at AIIMS Bhopal since 2017. At present running the DM Pediatric Endocrinology course (3rd in India after AIIMS New Delhi and PGI Chandigarh) and institutional SR Linked fellow ship course (SRLF). Two-term ISPAE Executive Board member, Past President of MP IAP (2025), and member of the Madhya Pradesh State Task Force on Type 1 Diabetes.

ISPAE and other Pediatric Endocrinology Society

- Active participation in various President action plan – since 2021
- **Executive Board Member, ISPAE** – two terms: 2021–22 and 2023–24.
- Election Convener- ISPAE 2025
- Faculty at many national / international conferences including ISPAE/ ISPAD/ APPES/ National PEDICON
- Mentoring DM Pediatric Endocrinology Residents and MD postgraduate.
- ISPAE Observer ship in Pediatric Endocrinology, SGPGI Lucknow, 2020.

OTHER LEADERSHIP ROLES

Year	Position	Organisation
2025-26	Joint Secretary, Medical Education Chapter (MEC)	Indian Academy of Pediatrics
2026–29	Central Zone Member, IAP Research Task Force	Indian Academy of Pediatrics
2025	President	Madhya Pradesh IAP
2023–25	Executive Board Member, MEC	Indian Academy of Pediatrics
2021, 2022	CIAP Executive Board Member	Indian Academy of Pediatrics
2022, 2024	Member, State Task Forces on NCDs (2022) and Type 1 Diabetes (2024)	Govt. of MP & NHM MP
2018 – present	Member, State AEFI and Child Death Review Committees	Govt. of MP & NHM MP

AWARDS & HONOURS

- **Prof. Dr K K Kaul Gold Medal – Best Medical Teacher in Madhya Pradesh** (MP IAP, 2024)
- **Best Researcher Award** – AIIMS Bhopal Research Showcase, 2023
- FIAP (Indian Academy of Pediatrics) and MAMS (National Academy of Medical Sciences), 2021
- Associate Editor – IAP Post Graduate OSCE Textbook, Authored many textbook chapters in Pediatrics & Pediatric Endocrinology
- Trainer for MOFW/ UNICEF/ NHM for type 1 DM and Newborn screening.

RESEARCH & ACADEMICS

- 35 indexed publications, incl. BMC Pediatrics, Am J Hypertension, Indian J Pediatrics and others.
- PI / Co-PI on 14 funded projects (ICMR, DBT, DHR, INCLEN, MoHFW), incl. DBT NIDAN Kendra newborn screening

VISION AS SECRETARY

- **Responsive secretariat:**
- **Stronger member engagement:**
- **Training & outreach:**
- **T1D and public health:** build on state task-force experience to link ISPAE with government programmes for T1D care, newborn screening and registries.