

DAY 02

21st February, 2026
Saturday

APNEA HALL 1: DAY 02 – 21st February, 2026 (Saturday)

Time	Speaker	Title
Surgical Video Session 5 Chairperson: Atul Pore		
8:00 AM	Sveta Karelsky, USA	Approach to the Hypoglossal Nerve
8:15 AM	Abhay Sharma, USA	Hypoglossal Nerve dissection and cuff placement
8:30 AM	Paul Hoff, USA	Chest dissection, sense lead and IPG Placement
Key Note Lecture Chairpersons: Anthony Irudhayarajan Francis, Sameer Bhargava, Nagarajan		
9:00 AM	Michel Cahali, Brazil	Lateral Pharyngoplasty: An Evolutionary Path to Comprehensive Airway Stabilization
9:20 AM	Vikas Agrawal, India	Tailoring Sleep Surgery: Integrating Anatomy, PathoPhysiology, and Patient Selection
9:40 AM	Rodolfo Lugo, Mexico	New Insights in SDB – Multimodal Treatment is the Future
Srinivas Kishore Oration Chairpersons: Lyndon Chan, Vidayasagar R, Navinkumar Patel		
10:00 AM	Raj Dedhia, USA	Consistency of Collapse During Natural Sleep: The Ultimate Test for DISE?
President Oration Chairpersons: Maria Suurna, Ilambarathi, Sandeep Bansal		
10:30 AM	Vijaya Krishnan, India	Redefining Sleep Surgery: Neurostimulation, AI and the Road Ahead
Key Note Lecture Chairpersons: Vikas Gupta, Thomas Kaffenberger		
11:20 AM	Ottavio Piccin, Italy	Evolution of Barbed Suture Pharyngoplasty
11:40 AM	Brian Rotenberg, Canada	Artificial Intelligence and other devices to diagnose and treat OSA
Scoring the Airway Chairpersons: Pravin Sonwatikar, Satheesh Kumar Sunku		
12:00 PM	Maria Gabriela Bosco, Spain	DISE basics and pharyngeal patterns
12:15 PM	Rodolfo Lugo, Mexico	Pediatrics E-DISE
12:30 PM	Marina Carrasco-Llatas, Spain	DISE Scoring: Updates from the European Position Paper
12:45 PM	Sveta Karelsky, USA	Sedation protocols for DISE
1:00 PM	Lunch	
From DISE to Multimodal Treatment Approach Chairpersons: Subir Haldar, Gaurav Khandelwal		
2:00 PM	Ottavio Piccin, Italy	Extended DISE (e-DISE) optimize your sleep endoscopy
2:15 PM	Sandeep Bansal, India	Optimizing DISE: All at a Glance
2:30 PM	Itzhak Braverman, Israel	Tailoring the optimal treatment for OSA patients using our Experience, DISE and other Techniques
When Surgery Fails: How to Reassess, Replan, and Redo Chairpersons: Sachin Nilakhe, Gajanan Kashid		
2:45 PM	Srinivas Kishore (Moderator), Lyndon Chan, Vijaya Krishnan, Shalabh Sharma	When Surgery Fails: How to Reassess, Replan, and Redo
When Surgery Fails: How to Reassess, Replan, and Redo Chairpersons: Mustafa Ezzy, Ramya Rathod		
3:30 PM	Sumit Samant, New Zealand	Residual sleepiness after good OSA Treatment
3:45 PM	Mustafa Gerek, Turkey	Management of sleep surgery complications
4:00 PM	Srinivas Kishore, India	Persistence of symptoms related to OSA after an effective surgical treatment

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Medicolegal Concerns in Sleep Surgery: Lessons Learned the Hard Way *Chairpersons: Ajay Doiphode, Anand Raju*

4:15 PM	Deenadayal DS (Moderator), Mustafa Gerek, Paul Hoff, Srinivas Kishore, Seemab Shaikh, Dipankar Datta	Medicolegal Concerns in Sleep Surgery: Lessons Learned the Hard Way
5:00 PM	GBM in Hall 1	

HYPOPNEA HALL 2: DAY 02 – 21st February, 2026 (Saturday)

Time	Speaker	Title
Surgical Video Session 6 Chairperson: Sreenivas Kamath K		
8:00 AM	Dipankar Datta, India	Zeta Palato Pharyngoplasty: How I do it
8:15 AM	Shintaro Chiba, Japan	A new pharyngeal reconstruction technique for postoperative pharyngeal stenosis
8:30 AM	Michiel De Lange, Netherland	COBLATION, Cooler than Your Coffee!
Combined Sessions		
Debate Chairperson: Rishabh Jain		
11:20 AM	Vikas Agrawal, Rodolfo Lugo	Uvula Preservation in Sleep Surgery: To Preserve or Not?
11:40 AM	Lyndon Chan, Olivier Vanderveken	Hypoglossal Nerve Stimulation: Unilateral vs Bilateral – Which is Superior?
AI and Airway Analytics: Can Technology Predict Surgical Success? Chairpersons: Tarun Ojha, Ganakalyan Behera		
12:00 PM	Ryan Cheong, UK	Artificial Intelligence in OSA
12:15 PM	Roshan Rayen, India	AI-Driven Faciomaxillary Analysis and Personalized Myofunctional Therapy
12:30 PM	Ottavio Piccin, Italy	AI-Driven Insights in OSA management
12:45 PM	Edilson Zancanella, Brazil	Diagnosis of Sleep Disorders in the Future: Apps and Other Devices
1:00 PM	Lunch	
Hypoglossal Nerve Stimulation Chairpersons: Sudarshen Ahire, Adip Shetty		
2:00 PM	Ashutosh Kacker, USA	Hypoglossal nerve stimulation in High AHI patients
2:15 PM	Raphael Heinzer, Switzerland	Markers of cardiovascular risk in OSA: Effects of hypoglossal nerve stimulation
2:30 PM	Thomas Kaffenberger, USA	HGNS outcomes using mean disease alleviation
Hypoglossal Nerve Stimulation: Can It Be Integrated into Routine Surgical Practice? Chairpersons: Jas Simran Singh Bhatia, Devina Chitranshi		
2:45 PM	Maria Suurna (Moderator), Ryan Cheong, Chu Qin Phua, Thomas Kaffenberger	Hypoglossal Nerve Stimulation: Can It Be Integrated into Routine Surgical Practice?
The importance of myofunctional therapy Chairpersons: Milind Khare, Bhavin Parikh		
3:30 PM	Renata Nehme, USA	Pediatric Sleep Disordered Breathing & Myofunctional Therapy
3:45 PM	Pamela Bustos, Chile	Why Myofunctional Therapy Matters in Tongue-Tie Surgery
4:00 PM	Mohammad Alshalak, Qatar	Role of Myofunctional Therapy in Orofacial Function
Understanding Endotypes and Phenotypes for Tailored Therapy Chairpersons: Deepti Sinha, Harit Trivedi		
4:15 PM	Sandeep Bansal (Moderator), Anupam Kanodia, Rahul Modi, Nilesh Madkikar, Ranjini Raghavan, Kirti Kadian, Boyd Gillespie, USA	Understanding Endotypes and Phenotypes for Tailored Therapy

RERA Hall 3: DAY 02 – 21st February, 2026 (Saturday)

Time	Speaker	Title
Surgical Video Session 7 Chairperson: Swathi Ramasamy		
8:00 AM	Vivek Gogia, India	Adeno Tonsillectomy
8:15 AM	Kavita Dedhia, USA	Intracapsular & Extracapsular Tonsillectomy
8:30 AM	Rajaganesh K S, India	Different techniques of Adenotonsillectomy
Combined Sessions		
Debate Chairpersons: Jarvis Pereira, Sumit Samant		
11:20 AM	Sandeep Bansal, Lyndon Chan	Drug-Induced Sleep Endoscopy (DISE) is Essential Before Every Sleep apnea management or not
11:40 AM	Bhik Kotecha, Vijaya Krishnan	Imaging-Based Airway Analysis (CBCT, MRI) Can Replace Endoscopic Assessment or not
Insights in MMA and Multilevel Sleep Surgery Chairpersons: Digant Patni, Maqsood Ali Khan		
12:00 PM	Parit Ladani, India	Maxillomandibular advancement: safety and outcomes
12:15 PM	Sandeep Bansal, India	Multilevel single stage surgery: Pros & Cons
12:30 PM	Jomol Joy, India	Multilevel surgery in OSA: One stage versus two stages
12:45 PM	Shakthesh K, India	Safety Considerations in Single-Stage Multilevel OSAS Surgery
1:00 PM	Lunch	
Epiglottis in OSAS Chairpersons: Shailesh Pandey, Deepeshkumar Maurya		
2:00 PM	Itzhak Braverman, Israel	The diagnosis and treatment of Epiglottic collapse in OSA patients
2:15 PM	Rahul Nahar, India	Dynamic Epiglottic Collapse During Sleep: Pathophysiology and Clinical Implications
2:30 PM	Shankar MN, India	Supraglottic Collapse in OSAS: Rationale and Technique of Aryepiglottic Fold Surgery
Clinical Red Flags in SRBD: When Simple Snoring Is Not So Simple Chairpersons: Vidyasagar Dumpala, Kamalpreet Singh		
2:45 PM	Marina Carrasco (Moderator), Dipankar Datta, Jessica Schwartz, Raul Martinez Vite	Clinical Red Flags in SRBD: When Simple Snoring Is Not So Simple
Peri operative Consideration in OSAS Surgery Chairpersons: Shakthesh Kadhivelu, Arundhatee Sapre		
3:30 PM	Brian Rotenberg, Canada	Monitoring before / after OSA surgery
3:45 PM	Pravin Bhati, India	Anaesthetic consideration
4:00 PM	Mangal Murti Chaudhari, India	Smooth Anaesthesia in Obstructive Sleep Apnea: Enabling Confident Sleep Surgery
Complications in Sleep Surgery: How to Prevent, Recognize, and Manage Chairpersons: Gautham Kulamarva, Manish Goyal		
4:15 PM	Srinivas Kishore (Moderator), Rodolfo Lugo, Lyndon Chan, Susan Sebastian, Arjun Dasgupta, Vineet Jain, Michel Cahali	Complications in Sleep Surgery: How to Prevent, Recognize, and Manage

NREM Hall 4: DAY 02 – 21st February, 2026 (Saturday)

Time	Speaker	Title
Surgical Video Session 8 Chairperson: Sanu P Moideen		
8:00 AM	Kashmira Kumawat, India	Laryngeal Surgery
8:15 AM	Bimantha Perera, Sri Lanka	Laryngeal OSA
8:30 AM	Anukaran Mahajan, India	Supraglottoplasty (LASER/ Coblator)
Combined Sessions		
Debate Chairpersons: Jessica Schwarts, Vikas Kulkarni		
11:20 AM	Kenny Pang, Srinivas Kishore	Success in Sleep Surgery Should Be Defined by Symptom Relief, Not AHI Reduction
11:40 AM	Dipankar Datta, Ani Papiian	Epiglottis in OSAS: The Hidden Culprit or Overhyped Structure?
Pediatrics OSA insights Chairpersons: Ranjini Raghavan, Rashmi Menon		
12:00 PM	Valérie Wiener & Raphaëlle Bancel	The tongue is floating in the mouth
12:15 PM	Maria Victoria Demarchi, Argentina	Impact evaluation in T&A beyond OSA. Pediatric ENT perspective
12:30 PM	Jessica Schwarts, UAE	5 tools/highlights for Pediatric OSA approach
12:45 PM	Itzhak Braverman, Israel	Pediatric OSA - What is the covet treatment
1:00 PM Lunch		
Role of Tongue Base and Epiglottis Surgery: Are We Addressing the Forgotten Levels? Chairpersons: Siddharth Yande, Bhavik Shah		
2:00 PM	Anand Raju, India	Role of tongue & epiglottis in OSAS
2:15 PM	Biswarup Mukherjee, India	Functional swallowing evaluation in OSAS patients
2:30 PM	Yawar, India	Sealer assisted tongue base surgery - a beginners perspective
Role of Tongue Base and Epiglottis Surgery: Are We Addressing the Forgotten Levels? Chairpersons: Mahalakshmi R, Farida Wadia		
2:45 PM	Mustafa Gerek (Moderator), Shailesh Khode, Tushar Ghosh, Vidyasagar R	Role of Tongue Base and Epiglottis Surgery: Are We Addressing the Forgotten Levels?
Special populations in OSA, whats new? Chairpersons: Deepa MK, Pranay Kumar Agarwal		
3:30 PM	Jeevanan Jahendran, Malaysia	Women OSA - patients, treatments and results
3:45 PM	Nicole Perez Blanc, Mexico	Tongue tie and OSA
4:00 PM	Brig Poonam Raj, India	Neuro-Vestibular Manifestations of OSA
Palate Surgery: Traditional Techniques vs. New-Generation Modifications Chairpersons: Jafferhusein Sura, Rashu Mittal		
4:15 PM	Vidyasagar R (Moderator), Ranjani, Shankar MN, Antony Irudhayarajan, SKE Appa Rao, Sakthesh, Atul Pore	Palate Surgery: Traditional Techniques vs. New-Generation Modifications
Instructional Course 10 (90 mins)		
6:00 PM	Srinivas Kishore, Janhvi Siroya, Sanu Moideen	Surgical Algorithm in OSAS patients

REM Hall 5: DAY 02 – 21st February, 2026 (Saturday)

Time	Speaker	Title
Surgical Video Session 9		
8:00 AM	Mihir Shah, India	Orofacial Myofunctional Disorders: Identification & Management
8:15 AM	Ashish Dilip Patil, India	To extract or not to extract teeth: Effects on Airway
8:30 AM	Pankti Shah, India	Looking beyond 32 – Thinking beyond Dentistry
8:45 AM	Kavita Rai, India	Changes in pharyngeal airway space in class 3 malocclusion using Modified Reverse Twin Block
Combined Sessions		
Debate		
11:20 AM	Jeevanan Jahendran, Dipesh Rao	Is craniofacial anatomy the sole cause of SRBD
11:40 AM	Rahul Modi, Mihir Shah	T & A vs Palatal expansion, Which comes first
Maxillofacial Perspectives in Adult OSAS Management		
12:00 PM	Samarth Shetty, India	Reshaping the Airway: Surgical Correction of craniofacial morphology in OSA
12:15 PM	Sukhvinder Bindra, India	Surgically assisted Maxillary Palatal Expansion
12:30 PM	Dipesh Rao, India	Virtual Surgical Planning in OSA
12:45 PM	Sukhvinder Bindra, India	Maxillo – Mandibular Advancement for OSA
1:00 PM	Lunch	
Soft Tissue Management: Role of Tongue Ties		
2:00 PM	Sanchit Paul, India	Unlocking Airway Potential: Tongue-Tie Release as Early Mouth-Breathing Intervention
2:15 PM	Meenakshi Kher, India	It's time to introspect! Tongue Ties & doing what's right by our patients
2:30 PM	Abhishek Soni, India	Co2 Laser Tongue Tie Release integrated with Orofacial Myofunctional Therapy in Pediatric SDB
Non Surgical Management of Adult OSA		
2:45 PM	Nivedita Kumar, India	Would I go MAD with this case? Predictors of Responders for MAD's
3:00 PM	Tina Rokadia, Dubai	Use of DISE for treatment selection for Oral Appliance and Myofunctional Therapy
3:15 PM	Madhu Katta, India	Managing complications of oral appliance therapy
Evidence Based Practice in OSAS		
3:30 PM	Srishti Tody Shroff, India	Integrating Dental Sleep Medicine Into Multidisciplinary OSA Care: Insights From a Novel Indian Sleep Clinic Model
3:45 PM	Ruchika Sood, India	Tinnitus, TMD & OSA
4:00 PM	Priyam Parikh, India	Why mandibular advancement devices matter in contemporary sleep medicine
Clinical decision making in OSAS		
4:15 PM	Nivedita Kumar (Moderator), Vikas Agrawal, Rudolfo Lugo, Sukhvinder Bindra, Sujeet Rajan, Kranthikumar, Yogesh Neupane	Clinical decision making in OSAS
Instructional Course II (120 mins)		
5:30 PM	Renata Nehme, Somnath Maiti	Myofunctional Therapy

PSG Hall 6: DAY 02 – 21st February, 2026 (Saturday)

Time	Speaker	Title
Surgical Video Session 10 Chairperson: Heer Patel		
8:00 AM	Julius Goh Liang Chye, Malaysia	Robotic / Powered Instruments for Tongue Base Surgery
8:15 AM	Shaswati Sengupta Datta, India	Endoscopic Coblator- Assisted Adenotonsillectomy and Turbinoplasty - For Obstructive Sleep Apnea
8:30 AM	Rajaganesh, India	Expansion pharyngoplasty
Combined Sessions		
Dr. Vijaya Krishnan Resident Award Paper 100 mins		
11:20 AM	Dr. Vijaya Krishnan Resident Award Paper 11:20 am to 1 pm	
11:20 AM	Nikhil Kumar	Evaluating Three-Dimensional Cephalometry for Predicting DISE-Defined Airway Collapse Patterns
11:28 AM	Vivek Sinha	DISE based evaluation of patients for personalized management in OSA
11:36 AM	Kune Saphi Pyrbot	Predictive Factors of Non-Adherence in Patients with OSAS
11:44 AM	Parvathi R	Correlation of obstruction level in DISE with polysomnography and Treatment
11:52 AM	Sukumar Reddy Nimmanapalli	The "R" evolutionary pharyngoplasty: Relocation and Repositioning Strategies outcomes
12:00 PM	Susmita Sriperumbudur	Association of Obstructive Sleep Apnoea Severity with Cochlear Dysfunction
1:00 PM	Lunch	

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ISSS Paper 180 mins		
2:00 PM	ISSS Paper 2 pm to 5 pm	
2:00 PM	Ganesh Raja B	Uvulopalatoplasty in Retrognathia OSAS Using Retrograde Intubation for Difficult Airway
2:08 PM	Marina Carrasco-Illatas	Long-term results of sleep surgery
2:16 PM	Susan K Sebastian	The role of endoscopic coblation midline glossectomy in multilevel surgery
2:24 PM	Yutaka Matsushita	Cluster Analysis of Severe OSA by Integrating Multidimensional Clinical Data
2:32 PM	Yoshinori Saito	Impact of Transnasal Endoscope Placement on PSG During NSE
2:40 PM	Anukaran Mahajan	Hypoxic burden redefines OSA severity beyond AHI
2:48 PM	VSwathi Ramasamy	Anatomical and Clinical Correlates of Upper Airway Dimensions in OSA
2:56 PM	Anand Raju	Revisiting the Epiglottis: An Emerging Contributor to Obstructive Sleep Apnea
3:04 PM	Sohil Gala	Snoring to Scoring – Optimizing Treatment Outcomes for OSA
3:12 PM	Yoichi Nishimura	Why Anatomical Correction Matters in Obstructive Sleep Apnea?
3:20 PM	Nayu Yokoyama	PITA for Pediatric OSA! Surgical Outcomes Compared to Conventional Tonsillectomy
3:28 PM	Rajjika Ramkrishnan	Artificial Intelligence in OSA: Current Clinical Applications and Future Directions
3:36 PM	Sui Li	Efficacy of montelukast and mometasone in childhood obstructive sleep apnea
3:44 PM	Nikhil Kumar	Quality of Life After Coblation Adenotonsillectomy in Pediatric OSA
3:52 PM	Nafil Ishaq	Surgical Success in OSA DISE Vs Awake Endoscopy Considering Disease Severity
4:00 PM	Martin Hopp	Proximal vs Distal Hypoglossal Nerve Stimulator for Treatment of OSA
4:08 PM	Nilesh Madkikar	Incorporating P90/P95 for Surgical candidacy in OSA - Phenotypic approach
4:16 PM	Danah Althomaly	Sleep quality after biological treatment for CRS with nasal polyposis

Instructional Course 12 (90 mins)		
6:00 PM	Vijaya Krishnan, Sreenivas Kamath, Kamal Pandyan, Arushi Gulati	Clinical Decision making in OSAS patients

AROUSAL HALL 7: DAY 02 – 21st February, 2026 (Saturday)

Time	Speaker	Title
Surgical Video Session II Chairperson: Shilpa Nair		
8:00 AM	Atul Pore, India	Barbed reposition pharyngoplasty
8:15 AM	Shailesh Pandey, India	Barb Relocation Pharyngoplasty with Anterior Suspension
8:30 AM	Cristian Bachelet, Chile	Palatal Surgery: Patient Selection & Surgical Principles
Combined Sessions		
Dr. R. Vidyasagar Consultant Award Paper 100 mins		
11:20 AM	Dr. R. Vidyasagar Consultant Award Paper 11:20 am to 1 pm	
11:28 AM	Ganesh Raja B	Uvulopalatoplasty in Retrognathia OSAS Using Retrograde Intubation for Difficult Airway
11:36 AM	Anand Raju	Limitations of Current DISE Interpretation: Implications for New Classification Framework
11:44 AM	Sohil Gala	Awake Flexible Endoscopy – Simple yet Insightful
11:52 AM	Ranjeetha Racheal Inja	Clinical Outcomes After Palatal Surgery for Obstructive Sleep Apnea
12:00 PM	Deeksha Rao Pangal	Er:YAG Laser Therapy for Snoring: An Indian Prospective Case Series
12:08 PM	Grace Budhiraja	Efficacy of Minimally Invasive Tongue Based Channeling in OSA patients
12:16 PM	Shaswati Sengupta	Inferior Turbinoplasty – An Overlooked Adjunct in Pediatric Sleep-Disordered Breathing
12:24 PM	Anukaran Mahajan	Clinical Significance of Laryngomalacia in Paediatric Obstructive Sleep Apnea
1:00 PM	Lunch	
Instructional Course 13 (90 mins) Resmed Session		
2:00 PM	Sibashish Dey, Sandeep Bansal, Sujeet Rajan, India	CPAP – Initiation & Trouble shooting
Dr. Sandeep Bansal Poster Award Paper 180 mins		
3:30 PM	Dr. Sandeep Bansal Poster Award Paper 180 mins	
3:30 PM	Ritu Gupta	A Novel OPD-Based Composite Score Predicting Surgically Relevant Moderate–Severe OSA
3:36 PM	Anukaran Mahajan	SpO2 Nadir, T90 and AHI: Redefining OSA Severity
3:42 PM	Swathi Ramasamy	Digital Twin Guided Assessment of Upper Airway Obstruction in OSA
3:48 PM	Sohil Gala	Not All OSA is Pharynx – ALLERGIC RHINITIS the Forgotten Entity
IASSA Free Paper		
4:00 PM	Susan K Sebastian	Minimally invasive palatopharyngoplasty in high risk OSA patients
4:08 PM	Nitika Rani	Surgical outcomes following endoscopic coblation assisted adenoidectomy in paediatric OSA
4:16 PM	Anuradha Sharma	Long-Term Communicative Safety After Modified Relocation Pharyngoplasty in OSAS Patients
4:24 PM	Anand Raju	Tips and tricks of a successful pharyngoplasty
4:32 PM	Ranjeetha Racheal Inja	Clinical Outcomes After Palatal Surgery for Obstructive Sleep Apnea
4:40 PM	Vinay Kumar	An Intra-Oral Splint for Correcting Disharmony of Maxilla– An Innovation
4:48 PM	Sankara Subramanian Muthusamy	Barbed Pharyngoplasty in OSA: One-Year Results from Single Tertiary Centre
4:56 PM	Somnath Maity	Cloud-Based Monitoring of PAP Adherence in OSA: CPAP versus APAP
Instructional Course 14		
6:00 PM	Dipankar Datta, Mihir Shah, Nivedita, Rakhi Dhotre, Sagar Warankar	Interdisciplinary Management in Pediatric OSAS