

# 44<sup>th</sup> Low vision Awareness Program

## Program Schedule

Day 1: 16 <sup>th</sup> September 2024		
Time	Topic	Speaker
08:00 am - 09:00 am	Breakfast and registration	
09:00 am - 09:10 am	Welcome address	Deepak K Bagga
09:10 am - 09:30 am	What does it mean to live with vision impairment	Aishwarya TV
09:30 am - 10:10 am	Managing low vision without assistive devices	Deepak K Bagga
10:10 am - 10:45 am	Selection of assistive devices	Jahnvi Kanchustambam
10:45 am - 11:00 am	<b>Tea break</b>	
11:00 am - 11:10 am	<b>Group photo</b>	
11:10 am - 11:40 am	Assistive technology	Ramakrishna
11:40 am - 12:10 pm	Management of homonymous hemianopia	PremNandhini
12:10 pm - 12:40 pm	Role of vision therapy in vision rehabilitation - Evidence based methods	Shivalika Sehgal
12:40 pm - 01:00 pm	Digital technologies to empower individuals with low vision	Ramu Muthangi and Mr Ganesh
01:00 pm - 01:40 pm	<b>Lunch</b>	
<b>Free paper presentations</b>		
01:40 pm - 01:50 pm	Usefulness and patient satisfaction with Smart Vision Glasses among blind People - A Pilot Study	Raisul Azam
01:50 pm - 02:00 pm	Impact of dispensing optical, non-optical devices and electronic devices on visual functions of students attending the school for the blind	Apoorva
02:00 pm - 02:10 pm	Does low vision devices help at the workplace for persons with visual impairment?	Akshaya
02:10 pm - 02:20 pm	Comparison of artificial Intelligence devices: OrCam My Eye and Smart vision glasses	Lavanya
02:20 om - 02:30 pm	Concluding remarks	Beula Christy and Rebecca Sumalini
02:30 pm - 03:30 pm	Hands on session - 1	
03:30 pm - 04:00 pm	<b>Tea break</b>	
04:00 pm - 05:00 pm	Hands on session - 2	
05:00 pm - 05:15 pm	Cultural performance	RIPANS students
05:15 pm - 05:30 pm	Q& A, feedback from the participants	
<b>End of day - 1</b>		
Day 2: 17 <sup>th</sup> September 2024		
08:30 am - 08:55 am	Referral to low vision services - an Ophthalmologist's perspective	Subhadra Jalali
08:55 am - 09:20 am	Low vision in pediatric glaucoma- bridging the gap between diagnosis and educational needs	Vijaya K Gothwal
09:20 am - 09:45 am	Key points while recommending children with low vision for Inclusive classrooms	Deiva Jayaraman
09:45 am - 10:05 am	Support services	Mahalakshmi
10:05 am - 10:30 am	Role of tele-rehabilitation	Beula Christy
10:30 am - 11:00 am	<b>Tea Break</b>	
11:00 am - 11:25 am	Assessment of children with special needs	Navneetha Ampolu
11:25 am - 11:50 am	Seeing CVI	Beula Christy
11:50 am - 12:15 am	Integrating low vision care in to optometry practice	Yeshwant Saoji
12:15 pm - 01:00 pm	Quiz	Rebecca Sumalini
01:00 pm - 01:40 pm	<b>Lunch</b>	
01:40 pm - 02:00 pm	Sustainability of low vision services: Role of INGO'S	Devi Udayakumar
02:00 pm - 02:25 pm	Vocational and economical rehabilitation	Ravindra Reddy
02:25 pm - 03:15 pm	<b>Challenges in practicing low vision - panel discussion</b>	
03:15 pm - 03:30 pm	<b>Tea break</b>	
<b>Case discussions</b>		
03:30 pm - 03:40 pm	Empowering a young adult with advanced retinitis pigmentosa: A Journey through assistive technology	Subasree Rameshan
03:40 pm - 03:50 pm	Case study on retinal dystrophy	Rishikesavan
03:50 pm - 04:00 pm	Educational rehabilitation for a student with low vision	Smriti
04:00 pm - 04:20 pm	When 20/20 isn't enough - navigating unseen challenges	Siya Shetty
04:20 pm - 04:30 pm	Prize distribution and feedback from delegates	
<b>Vote of thanks</b>		Beula Christy