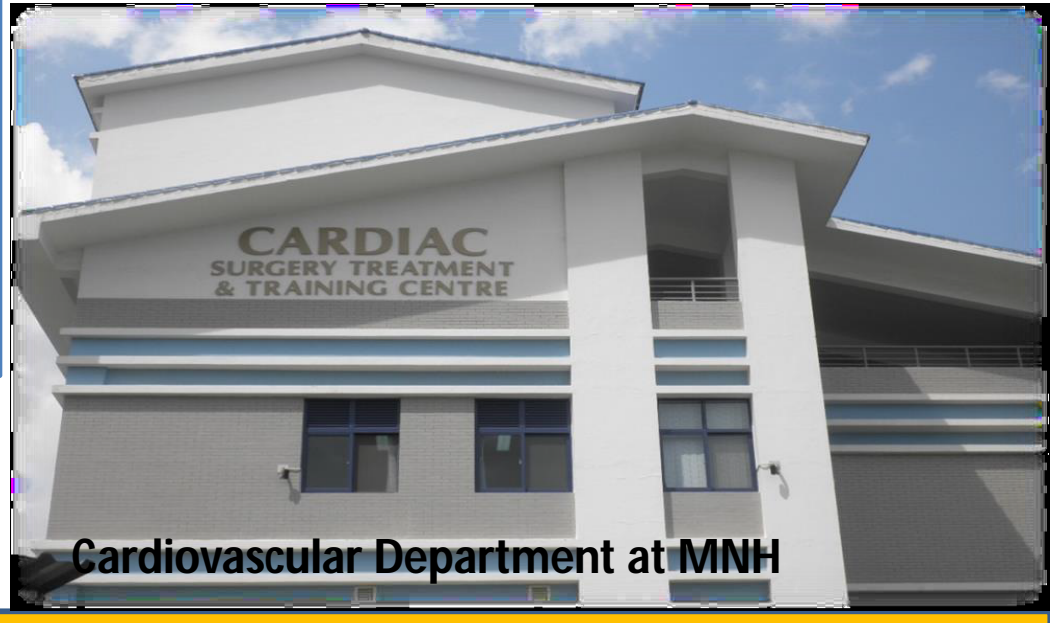




MAT-2013

Scientific Conference & AGM

Muhimbili National Hospital,
Dar es Salaam, Tanzania
November 28-29, 2013



Cardiovascular Department at MNH

Background:

Medical Association of Tanzania (MAT) in this year scientific conference we have opted to have a theme that is in line with the new population statistics in Tanzania which has resulted from the latest census which was held in the year 2012. With population growth there are challenges in meeting the health services quest particularly in meeting the Millennium Development Goals (MDG's)

Theme:

'Expansion of Health Services in Tanzania; Challenges in Meeting MDGs in a Rapidly Growing Population'

Sub-themes:

- Maternal and Child Health; MDG 4 &5 are we getting there?
- Mental Health; Escalating substance abuse and

gender based violence, what do we know?

- Infectious Vs Non-communicable diseases; Are we balancing our resources?
- Emergency services; Are we prepared to meet the growing needs?
- Human Resources for Health
 - Bridging the gap between increasing number and quality of trainees
 - Bridging the gap between deployment and retention of health care workers
 - Bridging the gap between general practice and ultra/sub-specialization
 - what is the role of entrepreneurship in improving quality of health care delivery

Chairman's Message

It gives me great pleasure to invite you to join us in this year's Medical Association of Tanzania AGM and 46th Scientific Conference to be held at The Muhimbili National Hospital Dar es Salaam.

The theme of this conference has been chosen to revisit the often mentioned Millennium Development Goals with the health sector in sharp focus. The wish was that we would review the current status in as far as meeting the health goals.

In so doing we would attempt to evaluate our pace at meeting these goals, our challenges and our failures in the course of meeting our targets. Hopefully by the end of this conference we will be in a better position to clearly identify the obstacles and in the process chart out alternative ways to tackle them.

To achieve this target the main conference theme has been split up into 5 sub-themes. Each of these sub-themes demands an entire conference on its own right. This is to show the complexities in the implementation of the millennium goals and the challenges facing our health care system in general.

I believe this conference is not one to miss. There is a lot to learn from each other.

Welcome and see you all in November,

Dr. S.S. Faya.

Chairman, Scientific Committee

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

Wednesday 27th November 2013

1400 hrs to 1800 hrs Pre-conference Workshop

1900 hrs to 2100 hrs Cocktail

Thursday 28th November 2013

0800 hrs to 0900 hrs Registration of Delegates

0900 hrs to 1100 hrs Free papers

1100 hrs to 1130 hrs Tea Break

1130 hrs to 1300 hrs Official Opening Ceremony

-Key note Speech

-MAT Presidential speech

-Guest of Honor Speech

1300 hrs to 1400 hrs LUNCH

1400 hrs to 1600 hrs Free papers

1600 hrs to 1630 hrs Tea Break

1630 hrs to 1800 hrs Free papers

1900 hrs to 2200 hrs Presidential Dinner

Friday 29th November 2013

0900 hrs to 1100 hrs Free papers

1100 hrs to 1130 hrs Tea Break

1130 hrs to 1300 hrs Free papers

1300 hrs to 1400 hrs LUNCH

1400 hrs to 1700 hrs MAT AGM

1700 hrs 1730 hrs CLOSING CEREMONY

-Remarks from Chairperson of Organizing Committee

-Vote of thanks from MAT President

-Awarding best presenter

-Closing remarks from ED of MNH

-Farewell Dinner

CALL FOR PAPERS

The Scientific Conference Committee invites those who would like to submit papers to be read or presented at the conference. Free papers and poster presentations are welcome. Papers that may not be scientific but present fresh ideas on the subthemes will also be accepted.

DEADLINE FOR ABSTRACTS IS 31 OCTOBER 2013.

Please note:

The abstracts must be typed and not hand written

Abstracts should be submitted through email. Presenters should hand in their power-point presentation in a CD to the conference secretariat at the beginning of the conference.

Indicate names of all authors and underline the name of the author presenting the paper.

Include name of institution, city, country and complete address and contacts of the author ie telephone, mobile and email.

The abstract must not be less than 100 words and not exceed 300 words. Use standard font size 12 and 1.5 line spacing.

Abstracts should be submitted to: doctorsmat@gmail.com

REGISTRATION FEES

Registration fees is as follows

Non- residents

Early (up to 31/10/2013)

US \$50

Late (after 31/10/2013)

US \$100

Tanzanian Residents

Consultants

Tsh. 20,000

Tsh 50,000

Residents/Registrars

Tsh. 10,000

Tsh 20,000

Nurses /paramedics/students

Tsh. 5,000

Tsh. 10,000

Pre-conference workshop will be on wound and wound management. Participate in the workshop free but registration is mandatory as places are limited. To register send your name, institution and contact address to doctorsmat@gmail.com

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