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## **Seventh Annual International Convention of IMHO Friday, April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2010**

5:00 PM	Medical Lectures Registration & Sponsor Booths Open
6:30—8:00 PM	Medical Lectures & Activities: Dr. Nanda Nanthakumar (Ph.D.), Dr. Ganesh Raveendran (M. D., M. S.), Dr. Frederick J. Stoddard, Jr. (M. D.), & Dr. Nagalingam Rajakumar (Ph. D., M.B.B.S.)
6:30—8:00 PM	IMHO Women's Forum: "Transforming Lives through Economic Empowerment" Dr. Sujanthy Rajaram (MD), Ms. Elizabeth Yost of <i>PEER Servants (USA)</i> , and Dr. Rajam Theventhiran
6:30—8:00 PM	IMHO Youth Forum: "How Youth Can Impact the World through Health & Charity" Mr. Alex Theventhiran, Mr. Greg Buie, & Mr. Alon Slutzky
8:00—9:00 PM	Dinner
8:00—10:00 PM	Social Time (informal meeting with visiting doctors)

## **Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2010**

08:00 AM	Morning Registration Opens
08:35 AM	"Welcome & Introduction" Mr. Greg Buie, <i>IMHO Programs Coordinator (USA)</i>
08:50 AM	"Report on MIOT Projects in Sri Lanka & Moving Forward" <i>MIOT Board of Directors (United Kingdom)</i>
09:10 AM	"e-Health: Telehealth, Telerehab, and Harnessing Technology for Development of Health Services" Ms. Evelyn Cherow, <i>Director of Global Partners United (USA)</i>
09:30 AM	"Rehabilitation for War Amputees in Mannar: Protheses, Physiotherapy, & More: Part I" Dr. S. Sooriakumaran, <i>Consultant in Rehabilitation Medicine &amp; Clinical Director, Queen Mary's Hospital (United Kingdom)</i>
10:00 AM	Discussion and Q&A
10:30 AM	Coffee Break
10:50 AM	"Serving the Mental Health Needs of Resettled Persons: Part I" Dr. M. Ganesan, <i>Consultant Psychiatrist, National Institute of Mental Health (Sri Lanka)</i>



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- 11:20 AM "Mental Health Services in Sri Lanka: Past Experiences"  
Dr. Alan Krohn, *Adjunct Clinical Associate Professor of Psychiatry, University of Michigan (USA)*
- 11:40 AM "Post-War Jaffna through a Writer's Lens"  
Dr. Adele Barker, *Professor at the University of Arizona; Sri Lanka Fulbright Scholar; & Author of Not Quite Paradise: An American Sojourn in Sri Lanka (USA)*
- 12:10 PM "Personal Experiences in Medical Volunteer Work in the Developing World"  
Dr. Deane Marchbein, *Massachusetts General Hospital & Board of Directors, Médecins Sans Frontières (USA)*
- 12:30 PM Discussion and Q&A
- 01:00—02:00 PM Lunch
- 02:00—04:30 PM Afternoon Break
- 04:30 PM Evening Registration Opens (with snacks)
- 05:30 PM Evening Welcome  
Dr. Nanda Nanthakumar, *IMHO Board of Directors (USA)*
- 05:45 PM "Need for Global Psychiatric Help"—*Chief Guest Address*  
Dr. David Henderson, *Director of Global Health Program in Psychiatry at Partners, Mass. General Hospital & Professor of Medicine at Harvard Medical School (USA)*
- 06:15 PM "Rehabilitation for War Amputees in Mannar: Prostheses, Physiotherapy, & More: Part II"  
Dr. S. Sooriakumaran, *Consultant in Rehabilitation Medicine & Clinical Director, Queen Mary's Hospital (United Kingdom)*
- 06:45 PM "Serving the Mental Health Needs of Resettled Persons: Part II"  
Dr. M. Ganesan, *Consultant Psychiatrist, National Institute of Mental Health (Sri Lanka)*
- 07:15 PM "Update on IMHO Efforts & Progress: 2009-2010"  
Dr. Rajam Theventhiran, *IMHO Treasurer (USA)*
- 07:45 PM "Moving Forward: IMHO in 2010 and Beyond"  
Dr. S. Raguraj, *IMHO President (USA)*
- 08:00 PM Annual Boston Saree Auction
- 08:50 PM Vote of Thanks
- 09:00 PM Dinner

# THE INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL HEALTH ORGANIZATION, CONTINUING AND OUTREACH EDUCATION PROGRAM

PRESENTS

HEALTH RELATED LECTURES  
2010 7<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL IMHO CONVENTION  
APRIL 30<sup>th</sup> 2010  
HILTON BOSTON/WOBURN

## SPEAKERS & FEATURED TOPICS

- **Nanda Nanthakumar, Ph.D.**  
***Necrotizing Enterocolitis, Inflammation of the premature infant intestine and potential preventive therapy by probiotics***  
Assistant Professor of Pediatrics  
Pediatric Gastroenterology and Nutrition Unit  
Harvard Medical School at the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA
- **Ganesh Raveendran, M. D., M. S.**  
***Code STEMI***  
Assistant Professor of Medicine, Division of Cardiology  
Director, Cardiac Catheterization Laboratory & Section of Interventional Cardiology  
University of Minnesota Medical Center, Minneapolis, MN
- **Nagalingam Rajakumar, Ph. D., M.B.B.S.**  
***Brain Abnormalities in Autism Spectrum Disorders***  
Associate Professor of Psychiatry and Anatomy & Cell Biology  
University of Western Ontario, London, ON, Canada
- **Frederick J. Stoddard, Jr., M. D.**  
***Disaster Psychiatry, What Clinicians Should Know***  
Associate Clinical Professor of Psychiatry  
Harvard Medical School at the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA

## OBJECTIVES

By the end of the workshop participants will be able to:

1. Discuss the pathophysiology of myocardial infarction, reperfusion strategies and adjuvant pharmacotherapy
2. To Provide the basis for clinical diagnosis and therapy for Necrotizing Enterocolitis, and to discuss role of probiotics in prevention and potential mechanism of action
3. To understand structural and chemical brain changes that may explain the functional deficits in autistic patients and the use of animal models in developing novel therapeutic strategies
4. To describe social, emotional and physical development in children exposed to stressful environments

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