



INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION MAHARASHTRA STATE

2026 MMC ELECTIONS



SUNDAY
26 April, 2026



TIME
07:00 AM – 05:00 PM



VENUE:
DISTRICT
HEADQUARTER



OFFICIAL IMA MMC PANEL SUPPORTED BY IMA MAHARASHTRA STATE



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PRESIDENT, IMA
MAHARASHTRA



DR. VIKRANT DESAI
HON. STATE SECRETARY, IMA
MAHARASHTRA



DR. AMOL GITTE
HON. TREASURER, IMA
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Hon. Treasurer, IMA Maharashtra



OUR AGENDA FOR A STRONGER MEDICAL COUNCIL

OUR VISION. OUR COMMITMENT.



MEDICAL INTEGRITY FIRST

Zero tolerance for crosspathy to uphold the highest standards of ethical and scientific medical practice.



TRANSPARENT & DIGITAL GOVERNANCE

Building a transparent, fully digital MMC with faster decision-making and real accountability.



STRONG GOVERNMENT LIAISON

Ensuring effective coordination with government authorities for policy advocacy and quicker resolution of doctors' issues.



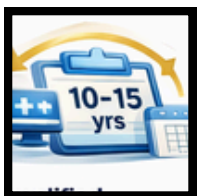
FAIR ELECTION REFORMS

Implementing fair, transparent, and modern electoral processes to strengthen trust in MMC.



WIDER DOCTOR REPRESENTATION

Expanding MMC seats to ensure stronger and more inclusive representation of doctors across regions and specialties.



SIMPLIFIED REGISTRATION SYSTEM

Introducing a structured and hassle-free 10–15 year renewal cycle for RMP registrations.



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DECENTRALIZED MMC STRUCTURE

Creating a decentralized system for better accessibility and faster decision-making at regional levels.



SEAMLESS DIGITAL CONNECTIVITY

Enabling quick communication and support through integrated digital platforms for all doctors.



FASTER MEDICO-LEGAL RESOLUTION

Introducing online hearings and streamlined processes for efficient handling of medico-legal cases.



DOCTOR SAFETY & PROTECTION

Prioritizing the safety, security, and professional dignity of doctors in all practice environments.



PRO-DOCTOR POLICIES

Promoting policies that ensure fair, strong, and responsible representation of the medical fraternity.



CPA REFORM ADVOCACY

Working towards necessary reforms in CPA to safeguard the interests and rights of medical professionals.

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DR. RAJEEV AGARWAL

PAEDIATRICIAN AND MEDICO LEGAL EXPERT
MBBS, MD PAEDIATRICS, ADHA, PGDMLS, FIAMS

VISION FOR MMC

- Strong representation, ethical governance, and a future-ready medical system for every doctor.

KEY STRENGTHS

- Experienced Healthcare Leader
- Strong IMA Governance Experience
- Proven Administrative Expertise
- Effective Communication & Representation
- Crisis Management (COVID Leadership)
- Dedicated to Medical Fraternity
- Ethical & Responsible Leadership
- Strong Financial & Management Skills
- Available & Accessible 24x7
- Trusted by Peers & Institutions

EXPERIENCE THAT MATTERS

- Director – Shree Kkasturi Medicare Pvt. Ltd.
- Past Treasurer – IMA Maharashtra State
- Past Treasurer – IMA Hospital Board of India
- Past National Director – IMA Hospital Board of India
- CWC Member – IMA Maharashtra
- Past Chairman – IMA AMS Chapter
- Past Co-Chairman – IMA Youth Wing
- Past President – AMC Mumbai
- Past President & Secretary – IMA Mira Bhayander

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- Corona Veer Award (Hon. Governor of Maharashtra)
- IMA National Appreciation Award – 4 Times
- IMA Maharashtra Appreciation Award – 7 Times
- Lifetime Achievement Award – IMA Mira Bhayander
- Gold Medalist & University Topper (MBBS)
- Entrepreneur of the Year – National Chamber of Commerce & Business

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Dr

DR. SANJAYKUMAR S. DESHMUKH

RADIOLOGIST (MD RADIODIAGNOSIS)

VISION FOR MMC

- **To build a transparent, ethical, and future-ready Maharashtra Medical Council that truly represents, protects, and empowers every doctor.**

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- **Managing Director – Shardul Diagnostic Center (Multiple Locations)**
- **CEO – Lifeline Superspeciality Hospital, Pandharpur**
- **Chairman – Lifeline Multispeciality Hospitals (Satara & Mayani)**

EXPERIENCE THAT MATTERS

- **Vice President – IMA Pandharpur (2024–25)**
- **President Elect – IMA Pandharpur (2026–27)**
- **CWC Representation & Active IMA Leadership**
- **MMC Representative – Medical Negligence Committee, Solapur District**
- **President – MSBRIA Solapur Chapter (2025–26)**
- **Vice President – MSBRIA Solapur Chapter (2024–25)**
- **Life Member – IRIA**
- **Life Member – Indian Red Cross Society**

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- **Led 200-bed COVID Hospital in Pandharpur**
- **Dedicated COVID facility for Maharashtra Police**
- **Organized blood donation drives & awareness programs**
- **Conducts free medical camps for Warkari community**

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DR. UJWALA KARAD (DAHIPHALE)
CONSULTANT PLASTIC, COSMETIC, LASER & CLEFT
SURGEON
MCH (PLASTIC SURGERY), MS (GEN. SURGERY), MBBS

VISION FOR MMC

- A transparent and ethical MMC with strong representation and protection for every doctor.

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- Associate Professor – Plastic Surgery, Government Medical College, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar
- Director – Dahiphale Super Speciality Hospital
- Director – ABMSS (Free Cleft Lip & Palate Surgery Initiative)

EXPERIENCE THAT MATTERS

- Joint Secretary – IMA CGP National (2024–26)
- CWC Member – IMA HQ
- Past President – IMA Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar
- Past Joint Secretary – IMA Maharashtra State
- Past Secretary – IMA AMS Maharashtra State
- MMC Accredited Speaker & Observer
- Medical Negligence Committee Member – MMC
- Project Director – Operation Smile India (2000+ free cleft surgeries)
- International Faculty & Team Leader for cleft surgeries

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- IMA Maharashtra State Award (2024–25)
- IMA National President's Appreciation Award
- Maharashtra Savitri Sanman Award
- Best Doctor Award – Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar
- Rank Holder – All India Super Specialty Examination



DR. VASANT RAMRAOJI LUNGE
SENIOR PROFESSOR – COMMUNITY MEDICINE (MD,
MBBS)

VISION FOR MMC

- To create a transparent, ethical, and future-ready Maharashtra Medical Council that represents, protects, and upholds the dignity of every doctor.

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- Senior Professor – Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh Medical College, Amravati
- 35+ years of experience in medical education and public health
- MD (Community Medicine), MBBS (GMC Nagpur)

EXPERIENCE THAT MATTERS

- National Joint Secretary – IMA Headquarters, New Delhi
- Central Working Committee Member – IMA (20+ years)
- Vice President – IMA Maharashtra State
- Joint Secretary – IMA Maharashtra State
- President – IMA Amravati
- Active participation in national movements for doctor protection & NMC reforms
- Leadership roles across academic, medical, and social organizations

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- International Best Research Leadership Award
- National Awards – Best President & Best Secretary
- Multiple IMA President Appreciation Awards (State & National)
- 9 International & 5 National Research Publications
- Extensive contribution in disaster relief and public health services



DR. UMESH R. MARATHE

GYNECOLOGIST, LAPAROSCOPIC SURGEON & IVF
SPECIALIST

MBBS, DGO, DFP, DNBE, MICMCH

VISION FOR MMC

- To build a transparent, ethical, and future-ready Maharashtra Medical Council that ensures strong representation, protects doctors, and upholds the dignity of the medical profession.

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- Leading Gynaecologist, Endoscopic Surgeon & Fertility Specialist in Nashik
- Fellowship in Laparoscopy (Kochi)
- Fellowship in ART (Kolkata) | Diploma in ART (Germany)
- Founder & Chairman – Lifecare Super Speciality Hospital (80-bedded)
- Founder – Sprouting Seeds IVF Centre & NextGen IVF & Fertility Centre

EXPERIENCE THAT MATTERS

- Extensive clinical expertise in gynecology, laparoscopy & fertility care
- Past Faculty – NDMVP's Medical College & Hospital, Nashik
- Past Joint Secretary – IMA Nashik
- Past Secretary – Nashik District Gynaecology & Obstetric Society
- Active member – FOGSI, ISAR, IAGE, SOLSI, FPA
- Leadership roles in healthcare and community organizations

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- Awarded the Nashik Bhushan Puraskar
- Awarded as Golden Contributor of Nashik
- Awarded the Young Achiever Award by ISAR (2024)
- Awarded as ISAR Rising Star (2018)
- Awarded Best Brand (2018) for IVF & Fertility Treatment in entire North Maharashtra for Sprouting Seeds IVF & Fertility Center
- Honored with the Nashik Healthcare Leadership Award (2018) for Life Care Hospital as Best Multi-Speciality Hospital
- Awarded Best Brand (2019) for IVF & Fertility Treatment in entire North Maharashtra for Sprouting Seeds IVF & Fertility Center
- Honored by Union Minister Dr. Bharti Pawar for remarkable contribution towards emerging Medical Tourism Hub of Nashik



DR. VAIJAYANTI PATWARDHAN

OBSTETRICIAN & GYNECOLOGIST

VISION FOR MMC

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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- Consultant Gynaecologist with over 30 years of clinical experience
- MD (Obstetrics & Gynaecology), DGO, MBBS (Distinction)
- Master's in Population Sciences (IIPS, Mumbai)
- Certified in Health & Family Welfare Management (NIHFW, New Delhi)
- Certified in Clinical Research (SIHS, Pune)
- Extensive expertise in maternal & child health and public health systems

EXPERIENCE THAT MATTERS

- 15+ years of leadership in public health programme implementation
- Expertise in RMNCH, TB control, and End-TB trials
- Strong focus on health systems strengthening and digital health innovation
- Led large-scale capacity building & Training of Trainers (ToT) initiatives
- Active involvement in operational & clinical research
- Experience in AI-enabled healthcare and telemedicine solutions
- Strong stakeholder engagement and policy advocacy at state & national levels
- Extensive work in tribal and underserved communities

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- Lokmat Hirkani Award
- Dr. Anandibai Joshi Award
- Sakal & Maharashtra Times Awards
- Pune Doctors Lifetime Achievement Award
- Dr. C.T. Thakkar Oration Award – IMA Maharashtra
- President's Appreciation Awards – IMA Maharashtra, IMA Pune & other organizations
- Recognized for literary & media contributions (short films, articles, awareness campaigns)
- Dr. C.L. Zaveri Award – IMA Maharashtra State



DR. PRASHANT RAHATE

CONSULTANT SURGEON | ROBOTIC & ADVANCED LAPAROSCOPIC SPECIALIST

VISION FOR MMC

- A transparent, doctor-centric MMC that upholds integrity, ensures fair governance, and safeguards the dignity of the medical profession.

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- CMD – Seven Star Hospital, Nagpur
- Consultant Surgeon with international exposure
- Visiting Consultant – Bangkok Hospital, Thailand
- American Board Certified Robotic Surgeon
- Specialist in advanced laparoscopic & robotic surgeries

EXPERIENCE THAT MATTERS

- Acting President & President – ISCP (2017–2026)
- Past President – Association of Surgeons of Nagpur (ASN)
- President – Vidarbha Surgeons Association (VSA)
- Executive Member – AMASI & MASI (multiple terms)
- Secretary – World NOTES Society
- Executive Member – International Society of Fluorescence Guided Surgery
- Operative faculty in 29 countries
- Organized 67+ state, national & international conferences
- Participated in 28+ Phase II, III & IV clinical studies, including COVID vaccine research

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- 54+ international presentations (SAGES till 2025)
- 76+ research publications with 2000+ citations
- Globally recognized faculty in advanced surgical techniques
- Expertise in hepatobiliary, colorectal, MALS & complex surgeries
- Contribution to global surgical education and innovation



DR. PARTHIV B. SANGHVI

GENERAL, GASTROINTESTINAL & LAPAROSCOPIC
SURGEON

MBBS, DNB (SURG), MNAMS, MRCS (EDIN), FAIS,
FIAMS, FIAGES, FCLS

VISION FOR MMC

- To create an accountable and modern MMC that upholds integrity, ensures fairness, and strengthens the voice of doctors.

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

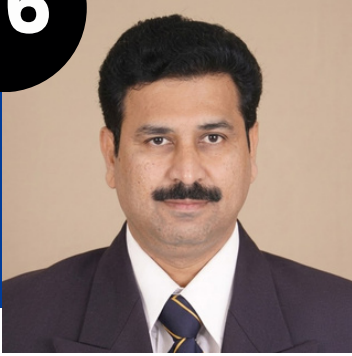
- Practising General, Gastrointestinal & Laparoscopic Surgeon for over 25 years
- Attached to leading tertiary care hospitals in Mumbai
- Director – Nurture & Suture Surgical & Paediatric Clinic
- Former Head, Department of Surgery – H.H.S. Balasaheb Thackeray Trauma Hospital
- PG Guide for postgraduate medical students

EXPERIENCE THAT MATTERS

- Extensive leadership within IMA at city and state levels
- Past Secretary – IMA Maharashtra
- Past Joint Secretary – IMA Maharashtra
- Past President, Secretary & Joint Secretary – IMA Mumbai West
- Past President – Vile Parle Medical Association
- Active member of ASI, IAGES, SELSI, IMA-AMS, AMC Mumbai

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- Renowned surgeon with decades of clinical excellence
- Strong contributor to surgical education and mentorship
- Active involvement in multiple national and regional medical associations
- Recognized for leadership and contribution to the medical fraternity



DR. GIRISH VITTHALRAO THAKUR

ENT SURGEON

MBBS, MS – ENT

VISION FOR MMC

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PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- Dean – Government Medical College, Jalgaon
- Former Dean – Government Medical Colleges at Nandurbar, Latur & Alibag
- Professor & Head – Department of ENT with extensive academic experience
- Postgraduate Guide – Guided 40+ MS (ENT) students
- Examiner for MBBS & MS examinations across multiple universities

EXPERIENCE THAT MATTERS

- 20+ years of academic and administrative experience in government medical institutions
- Leadership roles across multiple Government Medical Colleges in Maharashtra
- Senate Member & Academic Council Member – MUHS, Nashik
- Worked multiple times as an Assessor for MCI, NMC, and MUHS
- President – Grievance Committee (Students/Faculty/Paramedical), MUHS (5+ years)
- Former Secretary – MSMTA (Maharashtra State Medical Teachers Association) for 5 years
- Key role in establishing Government Medical Colleges at Alibag, Nandurbar & Latur
- Led development and expansion of GMC Jalgaon, including PG courses and infrastructure

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

- Recognized for excellent work under Mahatma Jyotiba Phule Jan Arogya Yojana
- Awarded for Rajiv Gandhi Jeevandayee Yojana implementation
- Multiple recognitions by District Administration (Jalgaon & Latur)
- 7 International & 3 National research publications
- Significant contribution to public healthcare through government health camps across Maharashtra



THANK YOU



WE SINCERELY THANK YOU

for your time, trust, and support. Your commitment to the medical fraternity inspires us to work towards a more transparent, ethical, and doctor-centric Maharashtra Medical Council.

Together, we can strengthen governance, protect our profession, and build a better future for every doctor.

YOUR VOTE. YOUR VOICE. YOUR COUNCIL.

VOTE FOR THE COMPLETE PANEL. VOTE FOR STRONG REPRESENTATION.

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