ICSN 2019 (International Conference on Surgical Nutrition)

ICSN 2019 (International Conference on Surgical Nutrition) was held on Nov 22nd/23rd 2019 at Auditorium, Ramaiah Medical College organized by Indian Association of Parenteral & Enteral Nutrition (IAPEN) Bangalore in association with Department of General Surgery, Ramaiah Medical College. Prof. Dr. Higashiguchi who is the Chairman of the Board of trustees for the Japanese PEN society was the Chief Guest of the conference. The conference was attended by 300 delegates including doctors and dietitians from Nepal, Bangladesh, and Sri Lanka. The topics covered were Nutrition in pre and post op surgical patients including oncology, cardiac transplant, parenteral Nutrition, poly trauma and also in special surgical settings. There was an overwhelming response to the “Dysphagia Workshop” which was titled “Bridging the Gap between Speech Language Pathologists and Dietitians for Managing Dysphagia”.

It was a successful conference and was a great opportunity for learning about the importance of Nutrition in Surgical patients. IAPEN has successfully brought clinical dietitians and doctors in the same platform to learn about the importance of Nutrition. Dr. Harish Ambekar Hon. President Hon. President IAPEN Bangalore Chapter, Ms. Sreemathy Venkatraman Organizing Secretary ICSN 2019 and the office bearers Ms. Suneetha Rao, Ms. Sheetal Joshi, Ms. Ranjani Raman were the host for the entire conference which was a roaring success.