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Stronger Together: Collaborative Strategies in Blindness prevention from Diabetic Retinopathy

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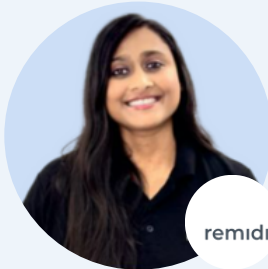
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THE DETAILS



05th April 2025



09.15 AM - 10.30 AM



Trade Room 6



Dr. Heena Singla



Session GP-140- VISION 2020



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Session theme: **Stronger Together: Collaborative Strategies in Blindness prevention from Diabetic Retinopathy**
Duration: **75 mins**
Session: GP140 - VISION 2020
Location, Date/Time: 5 April 2025, 09:15 - 10:30, Trade Room 6
Chairperson: Dr. Taraprasad Das, Distinguished Ophthalmologist, Vice-Chair Emeritus, L V Prasad Eye Institute
Vice-Chair: Dr. GVS Murthy, President, Pragmaan Sustainable Health Outcomes (PRASHO)
Moderator: Dr. (Prof.) Rupali Chopra, Christian Medical College and Hospital, Ludhiana

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Time	Topic	Faculty
10 mins	Introduction and Setting the Context (Brief overview of the current challenges in combating Diabetic Retinopathy)	Dr. GVS Murthy, President, PRASHO
10 mins	One Ophthalmologist – one hub and spoke model for collaborations	Dr. (Prof.) Padma Paul Professor - Outreach Services, Department of Ophthalmology, Christian Medical College, Vellore
40 mins	Panel Discussion What will it take to recruit every single practising ophthalmologist in this war against DR related blindness: Recommendations for Action and Implementation across cross cutting themes	Moderator: Dr. (Prof.) Anika Amritanand, Professor and Head - Outreach Services Department of Ophthalmology, CMC Vellore Panellists: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Sobha Sivaprasad, Consultant ophthalmologist, Moorfields Eye Hospital NHS Foundation Trust • Dr. Taraprasad Das, Distinguished Ophthalmologist, Vice-Chair Emeritus, LV Prasad Eye Institute • Dr. Kim Ramasamy, Chief Medical Officer, Aravind Eye Hospital, Madurai • Dr. Shailender Sabharwal, Director Public Health and Projects, Dr. Shroff's Charity Eye Hospital, Delhi • Dr. Prema Chande, Professor, Lotus College of Optometry • Ms. Anusha Purushotham, Head - Health Systems and Policy, Remidio
10 mins	Audience Interaction: Open Q&A	
5 mins	Concluding Remarks Role of VISION 2020 INDIA	Mr. Phanindra Babu CEO, VISION 2020: The Right to Sight-INDIA