

SIUT Achieves Another Milestone: First Successful Paediatric Open-Heart Surgery

SIUT achieved another milestone when Paediatric Cardiac surgical team performed the first open heart surgery in April 2023.

The procedure addressed a congenital heart defect in 5-year-old Zainab, providing a solution to her recurring chest infections. The skilled team of doctors, perfusionists, and nurses collaborated to ensure the surgery's success and facilitate Zainab's recovery.

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Dr. Javeria Khalid Khan, Baby Zainab and Dr. Muneer Amanullah

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SIUT Media Team Wins EFFIE Gold Award



SIUT Team from Left to right: Muhammad Fahad Khan, Liaquat Ali, Sakina Yousuf, Saima Saleem, Shamshad Hussain, Jami Mahmood

The Sindh Institute of Urology and Transplantation (SIUT) has won the (Effectiveness in Marketing) Effie Gold Award 2023 in the category of Positive Good- social change, non-profit for its "Dedh Rupiya" Ramazan campaign.

The "Dedh Rupiya" campaign was launched in 2022 to raise funds for SIUT's free medical services. The campaign was based on the real story of SIUT donor and his commitment towards SIUT for the past 50 years

The Effie Awards are the most prestigious awards in the advertising industry. The awards are given to the best advertising campaigns in Pakistan. The "Dedh

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SIUT'S FACULTY DR. SANA JAMIL'S Landmark Trekking Achievement

In a remarkable display of determination and skill, first group of three Pakistani women recently accomplished an extraordinary feat by crossing the treacherous Haramosh pass at the height of 5170 meters on 16th June 2023.

Dr Sana Jamil Assistant Professor of Microbiology in the Department of Pathology at SIUT (Karachi), Ammara Sharif (Multan), and Sohniya Baber (Karachi), accompanied by their

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Dr. Sana Jamil



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This accomplishment highlights SIUT's commitment to expanding specialized services, particularly in the newly established Paediatric Cardiothoracic Sciences Department guided by experienced cardiologists and cardiac surgeons the department strives to deliver world-class care for paediatric congenital heart diseases.

Dr. Adib Rizvi, the visionary leader of SIUT, personally recognized the surgical team for their remarkable efforts. Their expertise and unwavering commitment to excellence in paediatric cardiac care contributed to the successful outcome of the surgery.

SIUT's first open-heart surgery signifies a significant advancement in healthcare in Pakistan, reflecting their mission to provide cutting-edge medical interventions and enhance patient lives through compassionate care. ■



Zainab with Parents and the Surgical Team

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SIUT Media Team Wins EFFIE Gold Award

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"Rupiya" campaign was chosen as the winner of the Effie Gold Award because it was a highly effective campaign that achieved its goals.

The Effie Gold Award is a major achievement for SIUT and its Media team. The award is recognition of the team's hard work and dedication to creating effective advertising campaigns. SIUT is proud of its Media team for developing the "Dedh Rupiya" campaign. The team was led by Saima Saleem, who is the Marketing and Communications Consultant at SIUT. "The 'Dedh Rupiya' campaign is a powerful reminder that even small acts of kindness can make a big difference," Saima said.

The campaign featured two of Pakistan's most popular actors, Talat Hussain and Wahaj Ali. The campaign was directed by Jami Mahmood, who is an Oscar-nominated Pakistani director.

The team is confident that the "Dedh Rupiya" campaign will continue to inspire people to donate to SIUT and help to provide free medical services to those in need. ■

SIUT'S FACULTY DR. SANA JAMIL'S Landmark Trekking Achievement

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teammates Mohammed Abduhu (Faisalabad) and Dr Raheel Iftikhar (Kharian), embarked on an arduous trek from Arundu to Kutwal, navigating through the perilous terrain of Haramosh.

Haramosh Pass connects Baltistan (Skardu) with Gilgit. Haramosh Pass is glaciated lying in the heart of Karakorum. This pass is surrounded by Laila peak (6986m) and is widely recognized as one of the most technically demanding and dangerous passes in the country. This passage entails traversing a heavily fissured glacier on the upper Chogolungma, with constant threats of avalanches.

The descent on the west side of the pass is steep, necessitating the use of ropes spanning approximately 600-700 meters. The combination of rugged terrain, crevasses, and unpredictable weather conditions makes this trek an extremely challenging endeavor.

Haramosh Pass crossing is an expedition exclusively suited for seasoned trekkers with significant technical mountaineering experience. ■



From Left Sonia Baber, Amara Sharif and Dr. Sana Jamil on the top of Haramosh Pass

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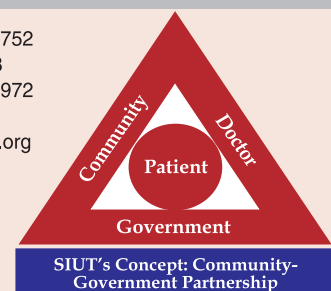
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SIUT RAMZAN CAMPAIGN 2023



The theme of this year's Ramzan Campaign in April 2023 was "MA BAP KABHI HAAR NAHI MANTEY" (Parents never give up hope). This theme was to help equip the upcoming Children's Hospital where the amount needed is Rs 2.5 Billion. SIUT is a model of Community-Government Partnership where the community has helped sustain the model for the last 50 years. SIUT set up stalls in Dolmen Malls Clifton, Tariq Road and Nazimabad, The Ocean Mall in Clifton, Lucky One Mall in Gulshan-e-Iqbal, Square One Mall Gulistan-e-Johar and North Walk in Nazimabad. Imtiaz Stores placed Collection Boxes and SIUT Campaign Standees in All its Branches. Food chain McDonald's provided free meals to all the SIUT staff manning the stalls in different Malls. ■



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- Karachi Club
- EFU Life Insurance Ltd

In Memoriam

The Board of Governors of Sindh Institute of Urology & transplantation, the Trustees of SIUT Trust and the SIUT staff members express their deep condolences on the heartbreaking tragic incident that has befallen on Dawood Family causing untimely death of Mr. Shahzada Dawood and Master Sulaiman Dawood.

SIUT is greatly indebted to the Dawood Family for the generous contributions by Mr. Sulaiman Dawood, Mrs.

Hanifa Sulaiman Dawood, Mr. Bashir Dawood and Mrs. Marium Bashir Dawood being the maternal grandparents and aunt and uncle of Mr. Shahzada Dawood. These contributions are providing medical services to people of Pakistan free with dignity.

Sindh Institute of Urology & Transplantation (SIUT)
SIUT Trust
Staff Members of SIUT



Dr. Swinnen Delivering Lecture to SIUT Faculty

DR. SWINNEN VISITED SIUT

Dr John Swinnen is an ex-faculty member of vascular surgery department Westmead Hospital Sydney. Visited SIUT from 28th May to 13th June.

During his visit, he did multiple endovascular and open procedures at SIUT Endovascular suite along with the anigioaccess team of SIUT. He gave multiple lectures to SIUT technical staff regarding maintenance, examination, and surveillance of the arteriovenous fistula during hemodialysis. His lectures were on PD Catheter Insertion and Management, Peritoneal Dialysis program at SIUT and Compartment Syndrome. He is a proponent of peritoneal dialysis and has developed a new complication-free technique for the insertion of peritoneal dialysis catheters. In his grand lecture at SIUT, he introduced this technique and made a case for re-starting peritoneal dialysis at SIUT. He donated a large amount of endovascular equipment worth thousands of dollars to SIUT. At the end of the visit, he gave a guest lecture at trauma center Civil Hospital about fasciotomy of traumatic limbs, which was attended by the faculty members of orthopedics, vascular and general surgery departments along with the postgraduate trainees. Dr. Swinnen plans to visit SIUT again later in the year and plans to establish a fund for SIUT vascular access department for continuous supply of vascular equipment from Australia. ■



SIUT — LARKANA EXPANDS DIALYSIS SERVICES

The SIUT Day Care Dialysis Center started the third daily shift in May 2023. The center now dialyses about 80 patients daily, in three shifts. These patients earlier had to travel to Karachi but since its inauguration by Mr. Bilawal Bhutto Zardari in 2021, patients hailing from Larkana and near about districts save time and cost of travel to get dialysis at their door step. ■

Faculty Development Course at SIUT

Sindh Institute of Medical Sciences (SIMS) is highly conscious of the quality of education and training it imparts to its learners. In order to achieve excellence in academics and to provide the community with high quality graduates, the Department of Medical Education SIMS in collaboration with the Department of Medical Education of Jinnah Sindh Medical University (JSMU) has embarked upon a set of faculty development sessions.

The aim of these sessions is to provide teaching faculty with knowledge and skills relevant to high quality teaching and assessment, besides polishing their existing skills in order to enrich student learning.

The first round of faculty development course was held from October 2022 to February 2023. The three hours, weekly face to face sessions of active learning, practice and feedback was facilitated by Prof Syeda Kauser Ali and Dr Moin Ali from JSMU and coordinated by Dr Aroosa Beg and DME team. ■



Prof. Rana Muzaffar center with Prof. Syeda Kauser Ali and Dr. Moin Ali

SIUT Paediatric Nephrology department workshop for Trainees

SIUT Paediatric Nephrology department conducted a workshop for post-graduate trainees, focusing on lectures, case-based discussions, and learning opportunities. Workshops like these are valuable for medical professionals to enhance their knowledge and skills in a specific field.

The workshop featured prominent speakers, including Prof. Ali Asghar Lanewala, Prof. Seema Hashmi, Dr. Zahid Hussain, Dr. Pawan Kumar, and Dr. Aasia Zubair. These experts in the field of paediatric nephrology brought their extensive knowledge and experience to the workshop, enriching the learning opportunities for the post-graduate trainees.

Following the lectures, case-based discussions were held to apply the theoretical knowledge to practical scenarios. Trainees would have had the opportunity to analyse and discuss real patient cases related to paediatric nephrology. This interactive approach helps reinforce learning, encourages critical thinking, and allows participants to exchange ideas and perspectives. ■



Dr. Seema Hashmi and Dr. Ali Lanewala with Paediatric Nephrology Trainees



Dr. Shazia Mohsin with other Delegates

Insights from LMIC: Dr. Shazia Mohsin's Keynote on Quality Improvement in Resource Limited Settings at ASE2023

The American Society of Echocardiography recently organized ASE2023 conference in Maryland in June 2023, where Dr. Shazia Mohsin Associate Professor, Department of Paediatric Cardiovascular Services shared her experience from LMIC in Quality Improvement Program in resource limited settings and discussed few of the most important interventions. These were providing opportunities and environment for the team initiating their internal drive, collaborating with HIC in following guidelines and protocol. She also emphasized the need to scale and sustain these efforts by taking holistic population-based approach towards CHD. ■

The students of Dow International Medical College (DIMC) Ojha Campus visited SIUT

The organization "Ilaaj Sab Ke Liye" (ISKL), founded by the students of Dow International Medical College (DIMC) Ojha Campus, Karachi visited Sindh Institute of Urology and Transplantation (SIUT) on 13th May 2023.

During their visit, the students had the opportunity to explore various departments of the institute and immerse themselves in the exceptional services being provided to patients. Accompanied by a group of 30 students of 2nd year MBBS, the ISKL members remained engaged and interactive throughout their visit, to expand their knowledge. They were especially impressed by the Robotic Surgery and Skill lab, where they witnessed the use of advanced technology in surgeries.

The students of ISKL expressed their deep gratitude to the management and staff of SIUT. The students also appreciated the hard work and dedication of the healthcare professionals at SIUT. ■



ISKL members with students and SIUT RGO Team



Children being examined at camp

Health Camp at Afghan Camp in Songal

SIUT and Vital Pakistan Trust (VPT), recently organized another health camp at Afghan Camp in Songal, on 9th June. The focus of the camp was screening children for Birth Defects and Congenital Heart Diseases. The primary objective of the camp was to identify children with these conditions and refer them to SIUT for high-quality, cost-free treatment, thereby contributing to a brighter future for them.

As part of our ongoing endeavors to foster a healthier society, SIUT teams will continue organizing such health camps with the aim of eradicating these diseases from our community. ■

Eid-ul-Fitr Celebrated in SIUT

SIUT had a festive look on Eid-ul-Fitr on 22nd April 2023. Senior Faculty visited the hospital and celebrated Eid with members of faculty and staff on Eid Duty. As usual Sheer Khorma was served to staff. Eid gifts were distributed by Volunteers in Paediatric Wards of the hospital. ■



Faculty members



Doctors & Support staff



Nursing staff



Professor Anwar Naqvi along with Senior Volunteers who distributed Eid Gifts in Paediatric Wards at SIUT.

SIUT Celebrates World Nursing Day

SIUT celebrated World Nursing Day on 23rd May, 2023 as a tribute to the hard work and dedication of nurses, acknowledging their exceptional care and unwavering commitment. It is a special occasion to express gratitude and appreciation to these remarkable individuals who embody selflessness, compassion, and resilience in their service to patients. SIUT recognizes the invaluable contributions made by nurses and celebrates their profound impact on healthcare. ■



Cake Cutting Ceremony with Professor Zafar Husain, Ranjeeta Rajesh Kumar, Principal Nursing School, Zahra Jamaluddin Kanji, Instructor Nursing School, Shahnaz Kausar, Matron and Nusrat Jackoleen, Coordinator Nursing.

Advancing Innovation: SIUT Paediatric Cardiology Team at PAK TRAUMA CON 2023

The SIUT Paediatric Cardiology team made a remarkable impact at PAK TRAUMA CON 2023. Dr. Muneer Amanullah served as the esteemed moderator, ensuring smooth discussions throughout the event. Dr. Babar Hasan shared valuable insights on the utilization of Artificial Intelligence in thoracic surgery, while Dr. Javeria Khan delivered an enlightening presentation on Cardiac Trauma specifically for non-cardiac surgeons. Dr. Akbar Mistry not only provided a comprehensive talk on the lung isolation technique in chest trauma but also served as a panelist for a challenging case discussion. Their contributions added immense value to the conference, fostering knowledge exchange and pushing the boundaries of paediatric cardiology and thoracic trauma care. ■



Dr. Babar Hassan and Dr. Muneer Amanullah at TRAUMA CON 2023

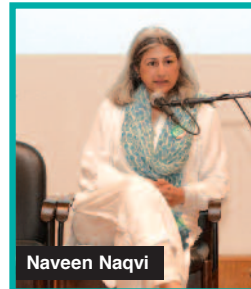
Parents Never Give up Hope Stores of Hope, Healing and Perseverance

SIUT organized a heartwarming one-day event to honor the unwavering strength and courage of parents of young patients, filling the premises with hope, love, and resilience. Parents, accompanied by their children, shared their journeys, inspiring listeners with tales of determination. The event also raised awareness about the upcoming SIUT Children's Hospital, reflecting SIUT's commitment to provide exceptional medical care for all children. Esteemed celebrities like Zeba Bakhtiyar, Naveen Naqvi, Arooj Abbas, and Kulsoom Aftab graced the occasion, highlighting the noble vision of SIUT. Their unwavering support exemplified dedication to positively impact children and families. The parents' stories showcased their unyielding love, serving as an anchor in the face of adversity. The event paid tribute to both courageous parents and dedicated medical professionals, turning SIUT into a haven of hope and healing. The Pre-Eid Gift Distribution ceremony by Tinku & Co. added joy, while the united community fostered camaraderie beyond the event, promising support for parents on their ongoing journeys. In the end a Germany based non-profit organization "mybiggestwisher" brought gifts for children at SIUT. ■

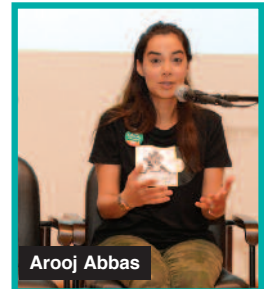


Mothers of children showing badges of the Slogan "Parents never give up hope"

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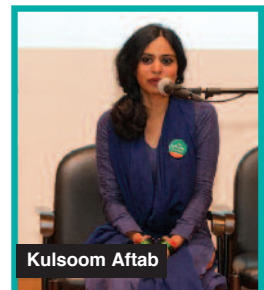
Naveen Naqvi



Arooj Abbas



Zeba Bakhtiyar



Kulsoom Aftab

Vital Pakistan and SIUT Research Project

Vital Pakistan and SIUT has collaborated a research project where Vital Pakistan Vaccinators and Data Collectors go in the field and screen children for Birth Defects. A training session "How to screen for birth defect", a training session was conducted by SIUT for VPT vaccinators and data collectors to empower VPT staff to independently screen children with birth defects. ■



Mr. Asghar Ali



Dr. Babar Hassan and Dr. Shazia Mohsin with vaccinators and data collectors of the project

Contextual and Integrative Solutions: Dr. Babar Hasan's Keynote at the World Heart Federation Forum

Dr. Babar Hasan, Professor of Paediatric Cardiology, SIUT, recently presented at the World Heart Federation Forum in Geneva, shedding light on the challenges of managing rare cardiac diseases, particularly pulmonary hypertension (PH), in resource-limited settings. He emphasized the scarcity of high-quality medical centers and advocated for a contextual,

integrative, inclusive population-based approach to understanding the origins of these diseases, highlighting its potential cost-effectiveness compared to managing them once they occur. Dr. Hasan as part of the task force on global pulmonary hypertension created a framework to address inequity in PH management globally. ■

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