



# 7<sup>TH</sup> FPMPAM/IPH ASM 2025

incorporating  
**13<sup>th</sup> NatCAM**

*Private Practice, Facing Up  
to the New Landscape*



30<sup>th</sup> August to  
1<sup>st</sup> September 2025



Holiday Inn  
Kuala Lumpur Bangsar  
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

**SOUVENIR PROGRAMME**

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## **ORGANISING COMMITTEE**

### **Organising Chairman**

Dr Steven K W Chow

### **Organising Co-Chairman**

Dr Shanmuganathan T V Ganesan

### **Committee Members**

Dr Shanmuganathan T V Ganeson

Dr Pearl Leong Yuet Mae

Dr Ho Shu Nam

Dr Eugene Chooi

### **Executive Secretary**

Ms Ilya Ariffin (IPHS)



## FACULTY



### **Steven K W Chow**

Organising Chairman, Immediate Past-President of The Federation of Private Medical Practitioners' Associations, Malaysia (FPMPAM).



### **Shanmuganthan T V Ganeson**

Co-Chairman, President of The Federation of Private Medical Practitioners' Associations, Malaysia (FPMPAM).

### **Kamraj Nayagam**

Partner, Mah-Kamariyah & Philip Koh (MKP), senior legal practitioner with over 25 years of experience in arbitration, construction law, and corporate-commercial dispute resolution, corporate & securities law & corporate governance, commercial & civil litigation and public law.

### **Vatsala Ratnasabapathy**

Senior Partner at Zain & Co., a member of Dentons, the world's largest global law firm. She is a distinguished litigator, arbitrator, and also a specialist/lecturer in Malaysian civil procedure.



### **Milton Lum Siew Wah** FAMM, FRCOG

Consultant Ob Gy., Past President MMA, FPMPAM and longest serving elected member of MMC. He has given more than 140 expert opinions and appeared in the High Courts of Malaya, Sabah and Sarawak more than 50 times. He is a regular columnist in the STAR.

### **Lim Kuan Joo**

Senior Public Health Specialist with long-standing experience in hospital & health care industry. Skilled in Healthcare Consulting, Healthcare Industry, Quality Management, Public Health, and Health Economics. Strong healthcare services professional with a Master of Public Health (MPH) focused in Health Planning from Prince Leopold Institute of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine.



## FACULTY

### **Japhire Gopi**

Founder and CEO of DoctorShield. He has introduced key changes to the medical indemnity insurance landscape in Malaysia. He has been instrumental in bringing price transparency and policy wording transparency, giving doctors clarity on their coverage. Beyond DoctorShield, Japhire owns other InsurTech platforms and holds the prestigious title of Lloyd's Cover holder.



# PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOP 30<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2025, SATURDAY

## MEDICAL EXPERT WITNESS TRAINING WORKSHOP

*(Limited to 30 participants only)*

**Time :** 0830 - 1645 hrs

**Venue :** Workshop 4, Level 7M, Holiday Inn, Kuala Lumpur Bangsar

**Registration Fee :** RM 150.00 per participant

### Training Workshop Objectives for Medical Experts in Legal Proceedings

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

#### 1. Understand the Roles of Legal Professionals

Describe the functions and responsibilities of key legal personnel - including judges, lawyers, and expert witnesses - within the judicial process.

#### 2. Produce Court - Ready Medicolegal Reports

Prepare structured, objective, and comprehensive medicolegal reports that comply with legal standards and are admissible in court.

#### 3. Differentiate Types of Evidence

Clearly distinguish between hearsay, factual evidence, and expert opinion, and understand their respective roles and limitations in legal proceedings.

#### 4. Prepare for Courtroom Testimony

Develop the necessary skills and strategies to confidently deliver oral evidence in court, including managing cross-examination and maintaining professionalism under pressure.

#### 5. Apply Theory to Practice via Simulated Courtroom Exercises

Integrate foundational legal theory with practical courtroom skills through role-play sessions such as a Courtroom Moot, simulating real-life expert witness scenarios.

#### 6. Communicate Effectively with Non-Medical Audiences

Explain complex medical issues in plain language, avoiding medical jargon, to ensure understanding by judges, tribunals, and legal professionals with no clinical background.

### Who should attend

This workshop is beneficial for continuing professional development for senior medical practitioners, both GPs and specialists. The skill sets taught are both beneficial as an expert or even as a defendant in any medical legal encounter.

### PROGRAMME

0830 - 0900 Registration / Welcome Coffee

0900 - 0930 Welcome Address / Introduction  
*Steven K W Chow / Shanmuganathan T V Ganeson*  
Video Presentation 1

0930 - 1030 What the Lawyer Expects from you  
*Kamraj Nayagam*

Discussion Q&A

1030 - 1045 Coffee Break



## PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOP 30<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2025, SATURDAY

1045 - 1145	Expectation of a Witness from the Bench <i>Vatsala Ratnasabapathy</i>	
	Discussion Q&A	
1145 - 1300	What you will Need as an Expert Witness <i>Milton Lum Siew Wah</i>	
	Discussion Q&A	
1300 - 1345	Lunch	<i>Coffee House, Clover Restaurant</i>
1345 - 1400	Video	
1400 - 1430	Writing an Expert Witness Report <i>Lim Kuan Joo</i>	
1430 - 1445	Can AI do your job? <i>Steven K W Chow</i>	
1445 - 1515	Expert Witness Report Presentation 1	
1515 - 1545	Expert Witness Report Presentation 2	
1545 - 1615	A Independent Expert for Justice Platform - Is this Possible?	
1615 - 1630	A ONE-ON-ONE with the Experts	
1630 - 1645	Conclusion and Summary <i>Steven K W Chow / Shanmuganthan T V Ganeson</i>	
1645	High Tea <b>END OF COURSE</b>	<i>Workshop 1</i>



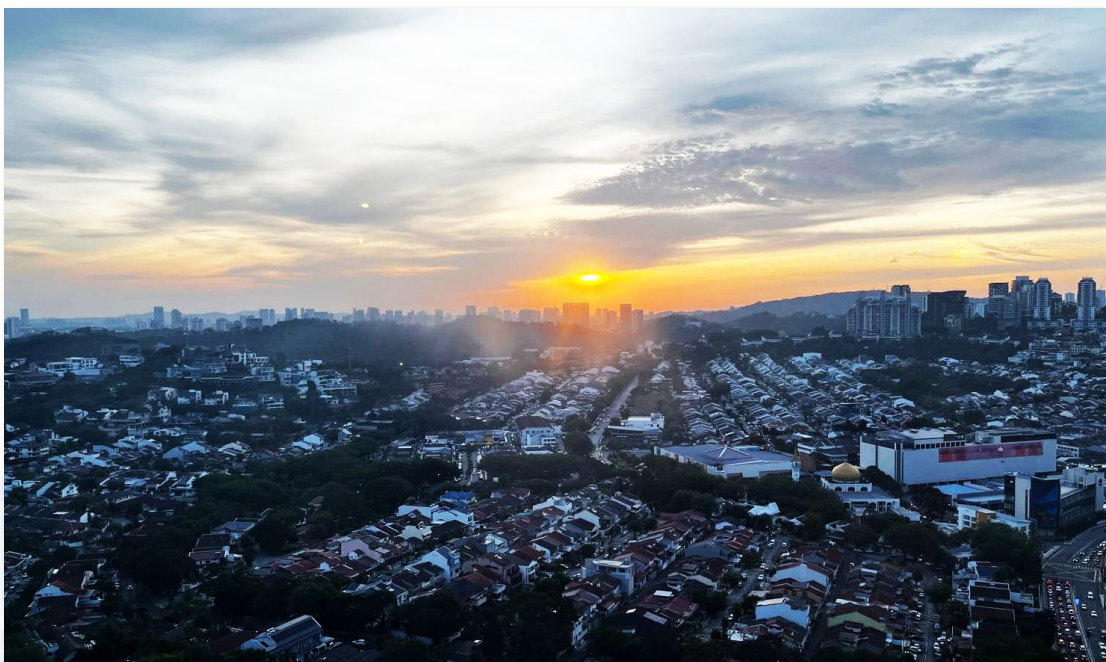
# PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOP DINNER 30<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2025, SATURDAY

## AMAM / 13<sup>th</sup> NatCAM Dinner Symposium

- 1800 - 1820    Arrival  
                  Registration  
                  Welcome Drinks - Sunset Over Bangsar
- 1820 - 1830    Welcome and Introduction by Addiction Medicine Association Malaysia  
*Steven K W Chow*
- 1830 - 1900    The Family in Crisis - The Art of Counselling, Consoling and Comforting  
*Chairman: Lim Boon Sho*  
*Co-Chairman: Steven K W Chow*  
*Chris Sekar*
- 1900 - 1930    Overview of SUD Treatment Programs in Indonesia - How have we Performed?  
*Hari Nugroho Physician (Indonesia)*
- 1930            Dinner



Workshop 2 & 3





## DAILY PROGRAMME

# 31<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST 2025, SUNDAY

**Venue:** Grande Podium 1 & 2, Level 7, Holiday Inn, Kuala Lumpur Bangsar

- 0800 - 0845 Registration / Welcome Coffee  
**Dress Theme:** *Batik / Surprise Prize for Best Dressed*
- 0845 - 0855 Opening / Welcome Address by The Federation of Private Medical Practitioners' Associations, Malaysia  
*Shanmuganathan T V Ganeson*
- 0855 - 0930 **KEYNOTE PLENARY 1**  
*Chairmen: Steven K W Chow / Lim Boon Sho*  
**AMAM/NatCAM**  
Fentanyl, the "Zombie" is in Town - What all Doctors and Patients must Know  
*Chris Sekar*
- 0930 - 1000 **SPECIAL GUEST LECTURE 1**  
New Psychoactive Substances Across Border - A Perspective from Indonesia  
*Hari Nugroho*
- 1000 - 1005 Conclusion & Summary of 13<sup>th</sup> NatCAM  
*Steven K W Chow*
- 1005 - 1035 **PLENARY 1**  
Management of Suicidal Patients in Primary Care  
*Chow Soon Ken*
- 1035 - 1100 Coffee Break / Trade Exhibition
- 1100 - 1130 **PLENARY 2**  
Value-Based Healthcare - What it Means to the GP?  
*Lim Kuan Joo*
- 1130 - 1200 **PLENARY 3**  
Alternative Dispute Resolution in Alleged Medical Negligence  
*Milton Lum Siew Wah*
- 1200 - 1235 **SPECIAL GUEST LECTURE 2**  
'First, do no Harm': Reclaiming the Narrative in an Age of Distrust  
*Sheryll Stothard*
- 1235 - 1300 **SYMPOSIUM 1**  
*Chairman: Steven K W Chow*  
*Co-Chairman: Pearl Leong Yuet Mae*  
Mitigating Skin Ageing with Dermaceuticals - Do they Work?  
*Andrew Chew*  
Discussion Q&A



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**Venue:** Grande Podium 1 & 2, Level 7, Holiday Inn, Kuala Lumpur Bangsar

1300 - 1400	Lunch	<i>The Foundry</i>
1400 - 1430	Trade Exhibition	
1430 - 1500	<b>KEYNOTE PLENARY 2</b> <i>Chairman: Ho Shu Nam</i> How do we Educate Patients with GERD: From a Patient Perspective <i>Shanmuganthan T V Ganeson</i>	
1500 - 1530	<b>PLENARY 4</b> Pre-Op to Post-Op: The GP's Role in a Patient's Bariatric Surgery Journey <i>Kirubakaran Malapan</i>	
1530 - 1605	<b>SYMPOSIUM 2   Skin, Hair and Nail Forum</b> <i>Chairman: Eugene Chooi</i> <i>Co-Chairman: Shong Chin Min</i> Help Doc, I am Losing my Hair!!! <i>Leong Kin Fon</i>	
1605 - 1635	Acne Vulgaris: Management Update <i>Tan Wooi Chiang</i>	
1635 - 1700	Enhancing your Practice <i>Andrew Chew</i>	
1700	High Tea / Lucky Draw <b>END OF DAY</b>	



31<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST 2025, SUNDAY  
**FPMPAM ASC 2025  
FACULTY & COUNCIL DINNER**



***Culminates in Merdeka Night Fireworks at Midnight!***

**Venue:** Gajaa at 8 - Royal Indian Cuisine, Bangsar, Kuala Lumpur

**Theme:** Malaysia Madani: Rakyat Disantuni

**Dress Theme:** 4-S Style

Sarongs, Sarees, Sam Foos... or Something Traditional & Spectacular!

*"Rajahs & Ranees Nite"*

*Celebrating Malaysia's Ethnic Splendour & Merdeka Spirit*

**Evening Programme**

1830 - 1915	Welcome Cocktail & Guest Arrival
1915 - 1930	Opening Address
1930 - 2030	Dinner Begins
2030 - 2130	Lucky Draw 1
	Sing-Along with Live Band
2130 - 2230	Lucky Draw 2
2230 - 2400	Parting Thoughts
2400	MIDNIGHT – MERDEKA NIGHT FIREWORKS! <b>END OF DAY</b>

**In Attendance - The Jetliners!**

Get ready for a night of nostalgic hits and infectious rhythm!

**BYO - Free Corkage Arranged!**

Extra Dinner Tickets Available at RM70 per pax.

**RSVP**

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## DAILY PROGRAMME

# 1<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025, MONDAY

**Venue:** Ballroom, Level 7, Holiday Inn, Kuala Lumpur Bangsar

- 0800 - 0820    Registration / Welcome Coffee  
**Dress Theme:** *Jeans and Tops / Surprise Prize for Best Dressed*
- 0820 - 0825    **KEYNOTE PLENARY 3**  
*Chairman: Yee Meng Keong*  
*Co-Chairman: Jaswant Singh*  
Welcome & Introduction  
  
Morning Call & Early Bird Lucky Draw
- 0825 - 0855    **PLENARY 5**  
Paediatric Asthma: What's New in the Last Decade?  
*Su Siew Choo*
- 0855 - 0925    **PLENARY 6**  
Hard Core Stuff: Constipation in Children  
*Chai Pei Fan*
- 0925 - 1100    **SYMPOSIUM 3 | Issues in Real World Practice - Hype versus Reality**  
*Chairman: Rizin Kusop*  
Psoriasis Vulgaris: What is New in CPG?  
*Tan Wooi Chiang*  
  
Vaccines for Children and Young Adults  
*Pearl Leong Yuet Mae*  
  
Discussion Q&A
- 1100 - 1130    Coffee Break / Trade Exhibition
- 1130 - 1235    **SYMPOSIUM 4 | Infection Control**  
*Chairman: James Jeremiah*  
*Co-Chairman: Rizin Kusop*  
The Law and Infection Control in Clinics - The Dos and Don'ts  
*Steven K W Chow*  
  
Prevention of Wound Infection; What is Best?  
*TBC*  
  
Discussion Q&A



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# 1<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025, MONDAY

**Venue:** Ballroom, Level 7, Holiday Inn, Kuala Lumpur Bangsar

- 1235 - 1300    **LUNCH SYMPOSIUM**  
*Chairman: Shanmuganthan T V Ganeson*  
Independent Expert Witness - From Concept to Conception  
*Japhire Gopi*
- 1300 - 1400    Lunch
- 1400 - 1430    Trade Exhibition
- 1430 - 1545    **SYMPOSIUM 5 | Healthy Ageing Across the Gender**  
*Chairmen: Chang Chee Seong / Wendy Tan*  
The Patient with Troublesome Persistent Prostatic Complaint - Looking for the Red Flags  
*Teh Khai Yeong*
- Am I Demented?  
*Lee Yoong Wah*
- Discussion Q&A
- 1545 - 1600    Enhancing your Practice / Lucky Draw
- 1600 - 1605    Conclusion / Summary  
*Steven K W Chow*
- 1605 - 1630    Farewell High Tea
- 1630            **END OF EVENT**

