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Editor & Publisher, Pediascene- a quarterly news-bulletin published un-interruptedly for last 13 years.

Core Committee member of an innovative Infectious Disease Surveillance project, IDSurve
www.idsurve.org

Joint secretary and one of the trustees of Child Health Foundation, India
(www.childhealthfoundation.net)

One of the main trustees of a charitable hospital, “Kalawati Memorial Charitable Hospital”, Panchvati Colony, Bijnor

Academic qualification:

MBBS, Agra University, S.N. Medical College, Agra, December 2006.

MD, Pediatrics, Agra University, S.N. Medical College, Agra, April 1991.

Fellowship in Advanced Vaccinology (ADVAC-9), Annecy, France 2008.

Teaching and/or Professional Experience:

Junior Resident, Pediatrics S.N. Medical College, Agra 1988-1991

Senior Resident, Pediatrics Mool Chand Hospital, New Delhi 1991-92

Batra Hospital & MRC, New Delhi

Director & Consultant Pediatrician, Mangla Hospital, Bijnor From 1992 (till now)
Neonatologist

Key achievements (Summary)

National convener, IAP Advisory Committee of Vaccines and Immunization Practices (ACVIP), 2013-14
National convener, IAP Committee on Immunization 2011-13
National convener, Polio Eradication Committee, IAP, 2007-08, 2009-10
Fellowship of Indian Academy of Pediatrics, 2005
Fellowship in Advanced Vaccinology (ADVAC-9), Annecy, France 2008.
National Convener, IAP Science of Vaccinology Program, 2007, 2009-10.
National Co-convener, Polio Eradication Committee, IAP 2003-06
EB member, Central IAP in 2001 & 2002,
Founder, Editor & Publisher, PEDIASCENE since 1998
Member, IAP Committee on Immunization, 2009-10.
Member, India Expert Advisory Group on Polio Eradication 2007-08
Executive board member, ID chapter IAP-2002-03, 06-07
Trustee & Joint secretary, Child Health Foundation, India
Trustee, Kalawati Memorial Charitable Trust & Hospital, Bijnor
Core Committee member of Infectious Disease Surveillance project, IDSurve
Published over 150 papers, articles in various national & international scientific journals, textbooks, periodicals, and bulletins.
Edited & published 12 books on VPDs & vaccines
Contributed more than 25 chapters in many books of pediatrics
Chief Editor of popular books on Vaccines & Vaccination Practices
Reviewer of many national & international indexed journals.

Publications

Editorial Services

- (i) PEDIASCENE : Founder, Editor-in-chief, and publisher since 1998. Ten year of uninterrupted publication.
- (ii) Bulletin of Polio Eradication Committee of IAP; Editor (since 2007) and Co-editor, Quarterly publication, 15, 000 copies per issue, associated with the bulletin since 2003-08.
- (iii) Reviewer of Indian Pediatrics, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011.
- (iv) Bulletin of Infectious Disease Chapter of IAP, National Executive Board member, 2004-2005
- (v) Reviewer of "Indian Journal of Medical Sciences", Monthly publication, Medknow Publication Mumbai, Indexed in Index Medicus, Pubmed, Medline etc
- (vi) Guest Editor, Asian Journal of Pediatric Practice, August 2004,

- (vii) Reviewer of Journal of Pediatric Infectious Diseases, 2006 onwards.
- (viii) Reviewer of Expert Review on Vaccines, 2009.
- (ix) Reviewer of BMJ, 2009
- (x) Reviewer of PLOS One 2009
- (xi) Reviewer of Indian Journal of Medical Research, 2009.
- (xii) Reviewer of The Lancet Infectious Diseases Journal 2011.
- (xiii) Reviewer of Journal of Pediatric Sciences
- (xiv). Guest editor of a symposium on vaccination for an international pediatric journal, Journal of Pediatric Sciences; 2010
- (xv) Reviewer of Pediatrics in 2015
- (xvi) Reviewer for IJMR in 2015
- (xvii) Reviewer for IJP in 2015

Medical Books published

1-Newborn Baby and You (Hindi).

2-Proceeding and Recommendations: Workshop on Polio Eradication and Improvement of Routine Immunization, English, 2001.

3-Polio Unmoolan: Ek Aakhiri Dhakke Ke Intezar Mein! (Hindi) Q&A series, 2002, Editor and Publisher, Paras Publishers and Printers, Bijnor,

4-Polio Eradication: Waiting For A Final Push (English), 2002, Editor and publisher, Five Star Computers, Bijnor, 500 copies, multiple authors, 2002,

5-Final Push to Polio: (English) Co-editor, Polio Eradication Committee of IAP, UNICEF, 2004, mono author, 14, 000 copies, honorary work.

6-Background material, National Consultative Meeting on Polio Eradication & Improvement of RI, November 24-25, 2007, Delhi, Indian Academy of Pediatrics.

7- Editor-in-Chief of FAQ book on vaccines & vaccination practices, Jaypee Brothers,2012, New Delhi.

8- Editor-in-Chief, IAP Textbook of Vaccines, Indian Academy of Pediatrics, Jaypee Brothers, 2014, New Delhi.

9-Editor, Pediatric Vaccination, First edition, Kothari Publishers, 2014.

10-Co-editor, Diarrhea, Clinic Consult Series, Diarrhea, Jaypee Brothers, New Delhi, 2014.

11-Editor, IAP Guidebook on immunization, 2013-14, Indian academy of Pediatrics, IAP NPH, Gwalior, 2014.

12-Editor-in-Chief of FAQ book on vaccines & vaccination practices, 2nd Edition, Jaypee Brothers,2015, New Delhi.

Contribution to Chapters to Books:

1-Polio Eradication: Current Scenario and End Game Strategies, co-author. In Recent Advances in Pediatrics, 2005, Volume 15, Edited by Suraj Gupte, Publisher Jaypee brothers, New Delhi.

2-Immunization Against Japanese Encephalitis, Author In Immunization in Clinical Practice, 2005, Eds Naveen Thacker and Nitin Shah , Publisher Jaypee brothers, New Delhi.

3-Influenza Vaccination Today, author. In Recent Advances in Pediatrics, 2005, Volume 15, Edited by Suraj Gupte, Publisher Jaypee brothers, New Delhi.

4-Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome, author. In Recent Advances in Pediatrics, 2004, Special Volume 14, Edited by Suraj Gupte, Publisher Jaypee brothers, New Delhi.

5-Polio Eradication: Current Situation and Future Perspective, co-author. In Recent Advances in Pediatrics, 2003, Volume 13, Edited by Suraj Gupte, Publisher Jaypee brothers, New Delhi.

6-Global Polio eradication-Current status, co-author, In Infectious Diseases in Children and Newer Vaccines; Part 1, Edited by Tapan K. Ghosh, published by Infectious Disease chapter of IAP, Ahmedabad: Kolkata, 2003.

7-Japanese Encephalitis-An Overview, Author, In Infectious Diseases in Children and Newer Vaccines; Part 1, Edited by Tapan K. Ghosh and Ajay Kalra, published by Infectious Disease chapter of IAP, Ahmedabad: Kolkata: Agra 2003.

8-Computer Related Injuries. Co-author, In Bhavé's Textbook of Adolescent Medicine, Editors Drs Swati Y.Bhave, A. Parthasarthy, PSN Menon, MKC Nair, E. Garudener, published by Jaypee brothers, New Delhi, 1st edition, 2006.

- 9-National Immunization Days (NIDs) as a vital component of Eradication strategy. IAP Textbook of Pediatrics, 4th edition, IAP, Jaypee Brothers, New Delhi 2009.
- 10-Vashishtha VM, Kumar P. Acute Infective Gastroenteritis in Children.. In IAP specialty series on Pediatric Infectious Diseases, 2006, Published by Indian Academy of Pediatrics, 1st Edn, pp 146-173.
- 11-Future of Polio Vaccination in India: Does India need a New Polio Vaccine Policy? A chapter in the Proceedings of Ranbaxy Round Table Conference on Polio Eradication in New Delhi on March 19, 2010.
- 12-Contributed an article on IPV: Future Perspectives to a book published by scientific committee of Jaipur Pedicon for delegates.
- 13- Authored & co-authored 10 chapters in FAQ book on Vaccines and Vaccination Practices, Jaypee bros, New Delhi, 2011.
- 14- Written two chapters on Polio and Polio Eradication and Febrile Encephalopathy in handbook of Pediatric Infectious disease published by IAP ID chapter 2011.
- 15-Chapter on “PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE OF IMMUNIZATION” for IAP Textbook of Pediatric Infectious Diseases edited by Dr A. Parthasarthy, jaypee 2013, New Delhi. .
- 16-IDSurv & VPD surveillance, *In* Mission Uday Manual by IAP, 2013.
- 17-Pertussis vaccines.** *In* IAP Textbook of Vaccines,Ed. Vipin M. vashishtha VM, Indian Academy of Pediatrics, Jaypee Brothers, 2014, New Delhi, pp 194-213.
- 18-National vaccine Policy of India. *In* IAP Textbook of Vaccines,Ed. Vipin M. vashishtha VM, Indian Academy of Pediatrics, Jaypee Brothers, 2014, New Delhi, pp 531-540.
- 19-Edited a section on Immunization for Postgraduate Textbook of Pediatrics, Ed. Piyush Gupta, Jaypee Bros, New Delhi, 2015.
- 20- Pneumococcal Vaccines. Puneet Kumar, Vipin M. Vashishtha. *In* Postgraduate Textbook of Pediatrics, Ed. Piyush Gupta, Jaypee Bros, New Delhi, 2015.
- 21-Poliovirus Vaccines ,Puneet Kumar, Vipin M Vashishtha. . *In* Postgraduate Textbook of Pediatrics, Ed. Piyush Gupta, Jaypee Bros, New Delhi, 2015.
- 22- Diphtheria, Tetanus and Pertussis Vaccines, Puneet Kumar, Vipin M Vashishtha. *In* Postgraduate Textbook of Pediatrics, Ed. Piyush Gupta, Jaypee Bros, New Delhi, 2015.
- 23-Scheduling of Vaccines, Vipin M Vashishtha. *In* Postgraduate Textbook of Pediatrics, Ed. Piyush Gupta, Jaypee Bros, New Delhi, 2015.

Medical Journals:

Indexed Medical Journals (International)

- 1-Vashishtha VM. Emergence of multidrug resistant pneumococci in India. *BMJ*. 2000 Oct 21;321(7267):1022-3.
- 2-Vashishtha VM. Oral rehydration solution. Doctors in India still seem not to be convinced. *BMJ*. 2001 Nov 3;323(7320):1068-9.
- 3- Vashishtha VM., Kumar P. Controversies and Challenges in Pediatric Vaccination Today. *Journal of Pediatric Sciences*. 2010; 5: e42.
- 4-Kumar P., Vashishtha VM. The issues related to introduction of a new vaccine in National Immunization Program of a developing country. *Journal of Pediatric Sciences*. 2010; 5: e45.
- 5-Vashishtha V.M., Thacker N. Global Polio Eradication Initiative (GPEI): Future Perspectives and Need for a New Generation of Inactivated Poliovirus Vaccine. *Journal of Pediatric Sciences*. 2010; 5: e47.
- 6-Vashishtha V.M., Kumar P., Amol M. Sero-epidemiology of Streptococcal Pneumoniae in developing countries and Issues Related to Vaccination. *Journal of Pediatric Sciences*. 2010; 5: e49.
- 7-Wairagkar N, Chowdhury D, Vaidya S, et al. Molecular epidemiology of measles in India, 2005-2010. *J Infect Dis*. 2011 Jul;204 Suppl 1:S403-13.
- 8- Attitudes and perceptions of private pediatricians regarding polio immunization in India. Choudhury P, Thacker N, Gargano LM, Weiss PS, **Vashishtha VM**, Amladi T, Pazol K, Orenstein WA, Omer SB, Hughes JM. *Vaccine*. 2011 Oct 26;29(46):8317-22. doi: 10.1016/j.vaccine.2011.08.099. Epub 2011 Sep 3.
- 9- Thacker N, Choudhury P, Gargano LM, Weiss PS, Pazol K, Bahl S, Jafari HS, Arora M, Dubey AP, **Vashishtha VM**, Agarwal R, Kumar A, Orenstein WA, Omer SB, Hughes JM. Comparison of attitudes about polio, polio immunization, and barriers to polio eradication between primary health center physicians and private pediatricians in India. *Int J Infect Dis*. 2012 Jun;16(6):e417-23.
- 10-John TJ, **Vashishtha VM**. Polio vaccination in Pakistan. *Lancet*. 2012 Nov 10;380(9854):1645.
- 11-Thacker N, Choudhury P, Gargano LM, Weiss PS, Pazol K, **Vashishtha VM**, Bahl S, Jafari HS, Kumar A, Arora M, Venczel L, Orenstein WA, Omer SB, Hughes JM. Attitudes and Practices of Auxiliary Nurse Midwives and Accredited Social Health Activists in Uttar Pradesh and Bihar Regarding Polio Immunization in India. *J Trop Pediatr*. 2013 Feb 22. [Epub ahead of print]
- 12-Thacker N, Vashishtha VM, Awunyo-Akaba J, Mistry RF. Civil society organizations, the implementing partners of the Global Vaccine Action Plan. *Vaccine* 31S (2013) B97– B102.
- 13- Vashishtha VM, Dogra V, Choudhury P, Thacker N, Gupta SG, Gupta SK. Haemophilus influenzae type b disease and vaccination in India: knowledge, attitude and practices of paediatricians. *WHO South-East Asia J Public Health* 2013;2:101-5.

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15-Panigrahi G, Tiwari S, Ansari KM, Chaturvedi RK, Khanna VK, Chaudhari BP, Vashistha VM, Raisuddin S, Das M. Association between children death and consumption of *Cassia occidentalis* seeds: clinical and experimental investigations. *Food Chem Toxicol.* 2014 May;67:236-48. doi: 10.1016/j.fct.2014.03.005.

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25-VashishthaVM. Mystery behind mysterious disease: far from unraveled! *Indian Pediatr.* 2004 Feb;41(2):204-5.

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- 30-Vashishtha VM, Thacker N. Polio Eradication: How Near and How Far? *Indian J Practical Pediatr* 2006; 8:220-231
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- 48-World Health Report 2008 Time to Go Back to the Basics! Vashishtha VM. Indian Pediatr. 2009 Jan;46(1):49-50.
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- 59-Yewale V., Vashishtha V. Reply: Prevention of Pertussis in Adolescents and Young Adults *Indian Pediatr* 2009;46: 1024.
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- 84- Hepatitis-B recommendations-Reply. Indian Pediatrics 2012; 49: 995.
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Awards of Professional Recognition:

(i) State/City:

1-Best member of UP chapter of IAP Award in 1998 presented at UP State Conference, Bareilly.

2-President's excellence award and medal for publishing Pediascene at 29th State Conference of UP Chapter of IAP at Jhansi in 1999.

3-Gold Medal and Certificate of appreciation for exemplary work in the field of Polio Eradication, presented at 25th State Conference of UP Chapter of IAP in 2004 at Ghaziabad.

4-Rotary's appreciation certificate for dissemination of medical education amongst practitioners through distribution of the news bulletin "Pediascene" in the year 1999.

5-Anilendra Varshney Memorial University Gold Medal" by Agra University for securing maximum marks in Pharmacology, 1985.

6-Merit certificates by Agra University, Agra in seven undergraduate subjects in MBBS course, 1986.

(ii) National:

1-Fellowship, Indian Academy of Pediatrics, 2005.

2-Received national IAP award as secretary of IAP Bijnor branch (best branch award for small city/district without medical college) during the IAP Pedicon held at Jaipur, 1999.

3-Received national IAP award as secretary of IAP Bijnor branch (best branch award for small city/district without medical college) during the IAP Pedicon held at Hyderabad, 2000.

4-Rashtriya Chikitsak Ratan Award" 2003, by Nation's Economic Development and Growth Society.

(iii) International:

Fellowship in Advanced Vaccinology (ADVAC-9), Annecy, France May 16-30, 2008.

Many biographical citation awards like:

1- Who's Who in the World, 21st Edition, 2004-09.

2- Morquio's Who's Who in Medicine and Healthcare, 5th Edition, 2004-05.

3- Leading Health Professional of the World, 2005.

4- Research Board of Advisor, American Biographical Society, 2003-04.

Membership of Expert Committees:

1-Collaborating with Emory University for a joint IAP-Emory-Gates project as a co-investigator on studying barriers to achieve high RI rates in India.

2-ICMR expert committee on Potential Use of IPV in Interrupting WPV Transmission in Western UP, India, ICMR, New Delhi on August 27, 2007.

3-Participated and made a ppt on IAP-PEC role in PE at the 17th IEAG meeting in Delhi on 29-30 May, 2007.

4-Invited by ICMR, New Delhi to participate in a discussion on formation of a national task force to control the recurring epidemics of brain diseases all over the country on May 2, 2005.

5-Collaborating with National Institute of Virology, Pune on the project of study of measles virus strains circulating in the region of western U.P., 2003-04.

6-Collaborating with National Institute of Virology, Pune in investigation of an epidemic of acute encephalopathic illness in 2-12 year old children in western UP.

7-Invited by John Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health, Baltimore, US to develop a course on Diarrhea & Pneumonia prevention and control for Indian stakeholders, October, 2011.

8-Participated in NTAGI STSC in December 2013.

9-Participated & delivered a ppt on IAP Perspectives on MR initiative during NTAGI STSC meeting in Delhi on February 2014.

10--Participated in India Expert Advisory Group on Polio Eradication meetings in 2007-08, 2013,& 2015.

IAP office bearer posts:

(i) Member of the Executive Board of National /Central IAP:

Twice in 2001 and 2002.

(ii) Office-Bearer of State IAP:

1- President, UP State chapter of Infectious diseases in Children, 2004.

2- Founder and Coordinator, UP chapter of IAP, CMEG, 2003.

3- State Executive Committee Member, 2002

Organizational activities:

1- Convener, IAP meeting on Saharanpur outbreaks on encephalopathy

2-Convener, 2nd IAP National Consultative Meeting on Polio Eradication and Improvement of RI held at New Delhi on November 24-25.

3- Convener, 6th National Conference of Pediatric Infectious Disease chapter of IAP at Agra, November 2003.

4- Convener, 23rd State Conference of UP Chapter of IAP and CME on Pediatric Infectious Diseases, Bareilly, February, 2002.

5- Organizing Secretary of State level Pediatric Rendezvous, Bijnor, December 1998

6- Organizing Secretary of State level CME on Controversies in Pediatric Practice and state executive meeting at Bijnor, April 2001.

- 7- Developed audio-visual aids for use in IAP PP Quiz program all over the country.
 - 8- Organizing secretary, Neonatal Advanced Life Support (NALS) course on February 20, 2000 at Bijnor.
 - 9- Organizing Secretary of Symposium on Adolescents Problems and Sex Education, 11th March 2000.
 - 10- Organized a symposium-cum-talk show on “Early schooling and Learning Disabilities” at Bijnor on 22nd November 1999 at Bijnor.
 - 11- Organized a panel discussion on Breast-feeding on 11th August 1999 at Bijnor.
 - 12- Organized workshop on ORT and Diarrhea management on 30th August, 1999 at Bijnor.
 - 13- Conducted a press conference on benefits of breast-feeding to baby, mother, family and to society on 31st July 1999 at Bijnor.
 - 14- Founder of “Parent Education Cell” at Binor on 13th June 1999 and started its activities that included publication of booklets on breastfeeding and pediatric vaccination and brochures/pamphlets on common pediatric infectious illnesses in Hindi for distribution amongst general public.
 - 15- Organizing secretary, An Update on Childhood Convulsive disorders at Bijnor on 14th March 1999.
 - 16- Organizing secretary of IAP PP Quiz on 19th July 1998 at Bijnor.
 - 17- Organized a symposium on breast-feeding on 7th August 1998 at Bijnor.
 - 18- Coordinator and quizmaster of IAP PP Quiz programs in 1999 and 2000 held at Dhampur and Najibabad, respectively.
 - 19- Organized a school camp and Q&A session on teenage problems and sex education in Government Inter College, Bijnor on 1st August 2000.
 - 20- Organized a seminar on Adolescents Health Problems in the evening of 1st August 2000 at Bijnor.
 - 21- Organized debates and essay competitions in Govt. Girls Inter College, Bijnor and Arya Samaj School Bijnor on breastfeeding from 1998-2000.
 - 22- Organizing secretary of “Shishu Swasthaya Mela” on 19th November 2000 at Saraswati Shishu Mandir school, at Bijnor.
 - 23- Organized different health camps including ORS camps, deworming camps, immunization camps etc in and around Bijnor districts between 1998-2002.
 - 24-Convener, IAPVAC 2012.
- And many many more since 2012.

List of presentations:

Delivered many guest lectures, chaired different sessions and participated in various discussions during IAP conferences, workshops and other events. A list of few of them is provided below:

- 1- Delivered a lecture on “Bird Flu” during the symposium of newer infection in the 42nd National Conference of IAP, Kolkata, 2005;
- 2- Delivered a lecture on “Polio Eradication: How to move forward?” during the symposium of polio eradication in the 42nd National Conference of IAP, Kolkata, 2005;
- 3- Participated as panelist on “Dialogue Session on Immunization” during the 41st National Conference of IAP, Chennai, 2004;
- 4- Participated as panelist in the dialogue session on “Polio eradication: Where are we going wrong?” during the 40th National Conference of IAP, Mumbai, 2003;
- 5- Co-chaired session during the CME (II) on “Fetus as a patient” during the 40th National Conference of IAP, Mumbai, 2003;
- 6- Delivered a lecture on “How to speed up your PC without adding extra wares?” during the symposium of CMEG at 39th National Conference of IAP, Bangalore, 2002;
- 7- Co-chaired sessions on free paper presentation during 39th National Conference of IAP, Bangalore, 2002;
- 8- Participated as faculty/instructor during the workshop of CMEG conducted during 38th National Conference of IAP, Patna, 2001;
- 9- Delivered a lecture on “Data Compression and maintenace of computer” the symposium of CMEG at 38th National Conference of IAP, Patna, 2001;
- 10- Co-chaired two sessions on oral paper presentation during the 38th National Conference of IAP, Patna, 2001;

- 11- Delivered a guest lecture on “Epidemic Encephalopathy in western UP” during the 7th National Conference of Pediatric Infectious Disease Chapter of IAP at Hyderabad, 2004;
- 12- Moderated a dialogue session on “Polio Eradication: Beginning of the End” during the 6th National Conference of Pediatric Infectious Disease Chapter of IAP at Agra, 2003;
- 13- Delivered a lecture on Current situation of Polio Eradication during the symposium on Polio Eradication in 5th National Conference of Pediatric Infectious Disease Chapter of IAP at Surat, 2002;
- 14- Delivered a lecture on “Polio Eradication in India” during the 1st National CME on Infectious Diseases in Children held at Kolkata, May 2003;
- 15- Moderated a dialogue session during the workshop on polio eradication at Aligarh, 2004.
- 16- Participated as panelist during the workshop on polio eradication at Badayun, 2004.
- 17- Co-chaired a session on pediatric surgical problems during a Mid-term National Conference of Pediatric Gastroenterology held in New Delhi, 2003;
- 18- Judged award paper presentations during the 23rd State Conference of UP Chapter of IAP held at Bareilly in February, 2002.
- 19- Judged award paper presentations during the 4th Annual State Conference of Uttaranchal Chapter of IAP held at Roorkee in February, 2005.
- 20- Delivered a guest lecture on “Oral Rehydration Salts and Therapy” during Diarrhea management strategy meeting of the millennium at Ghaziabad on 22nd June 2001.
- 21- Delivered a lecture on “Role of Routine Immunization in Polio Eradication” during a workshop on polio eradication in Faizabad on 25th December, 2002.

22- Delivered a presentation on “Child Survival: The most cost effective investment” on WHO Day April 7, 2005 at IMA Bijnor.

23- Co-chaired a session on Combination Vaccines at 26th Annual conf of IAP, 2005 held at Aligarh, UP, October, 2005.

24- Delivered a talk on “Are current strategies adequate enough to achieve polio eradication in the country?” at National conference of IAP, held at New Delhi, on 7th Jan 2006.

25- Made a ppt on “Current status of Polio Eradication” at IAP-ID chapter CME at New Delhi on 29th & 30th July, 2006.

26-Made a ppt on “Current scenario of PE in India: Where are we and why?” at 1st NCM on PE & RI at New Delhi on October 1, 2006.

27-Participated as a panelist in a symposium on Polio Eradication (PE) during 9th NCPID at Chennai on 14-15th October 2006.

28-Moderated a dialogue session on PE at Annual Conference of IAP, Pedicon Mumbai held in Mumbai from 9- 13th January, 2007.

29-Convened annual meeting of IAP-PEC on Jan 12, 2007 at Mumbai.

30-Delivered a talk on IAP-PEC website and its efforts on PE at IAP-NPSP workshop on PE and RI at Moradabad, February 15, 2007.

31-Made a ppt on “Issues Related to Inactivated Polio Vaccine” at annual meeting of IAPCOI at Mumbai, March 11, 2007.

32-Delivered a ppt on “Polio Eradication: Need for a new strategy?” at a symposium on Vaccination at Ghaziabad on April 7, 2007.

33-Participated as a panelist in a dialogue session on immunization at a symposium on Vaccination at Ghaziabad on April 7, 2007.

34-Made a ppt on IAP-PEC role in PE and highlights of new PEC website at IAP-Unicef Workshop on PE and RI at Patna on April 15, 2007.

35-Participated as a panelist in a dialogue session on PE at IAP-Unicef Workshop on PE and RI at Patna on April 15, 2007.

36-Participated and made a ppt on IAP's efforts on PE in India at the 17th IEAG held in New Delhi from 29-30th May, 2007.

37-Delivered a ppt on "Immunization resources on the web" at the National TOT of IAP Science of Vaccinology program at Hyderabad, June 7-10, 2007.

38-Moderated a dialogue session on immunization practices at the National TOT of IAP Science of Vaccinology program at Hyderabad, June 7-10, 2007.

39-Participated and delivered an address on IAP role in Polio Eradication during IAP-Rotary meeting at Meerut on July 6, 2007.

40-Delivered a ppt on "Vaccination of Immunocompromised children" at regional training program of IAP Science of Vaccinology program at Bareilly on July 29-30, 2007.

41-Delivered a ppt on "EPI vaccines: Polio vaccination and JE vaccination" at regional training program of IAP Science of Vaccinology program at Bareilly on July 29-30, 2007.

42-Delivered a ppt on "Saharanpur Encephalitis: The curtain raiser!" during the symposium on Saharanpur encephalitis held at Saharanpur on July 31, 2007.

43- Delivered a ppt on "Recurrent Annual Outbreaks in Western UP: vClinico-epidemiological profile & exact categorization of the disease" during the symposium on Saharanpur encephalitis held at Saharanpur on July 31, 2007.

44-Delivered a ppt on “IAP-PEC: Role in Polio Eradication” during Unicef Media Workshop held in Bijnor on August 2, 2007.

45-Delivered a ppt on CNS case module at the regional training program of IAP Problem solving in infectious diseases (PSPID) held at New Delhi on September 15, 2007.

46-Participated as a panelist in a Panel Discussion on Polio Eradication at the 10th NCPID held at Bangalore on October 13-14, 2007.

47-Delivered a ppt on CNS case module at the district level training program of IAP Problem solving in infectious diseases (PSPID) held at Haridwar, UK on November 4, 2007.

48-Delivered a ppt on “ Beyond Japanese encephalitis” at UP Pedicon held at Moradabad on November 17-18, 2007.

49-Delivered a ppt on “Current challenges to Polio Eradication” at 2nd National Consultative Meeting of IAP on PE and improvement of RI at New Delhi on November 24-25, 2007.

50- Delivered a ppt on “OPV: Issues related to efficacy” at 2nd National Consultative Meeting of IAP on PE and improvement of RI at New Delhi on November 24-25, 2007.

51-Moderated a session on “Open house: Optimizing strategies to finish the job” during 2nd National Consultative Meeting of IAP on PE and improvement of RI at New Delhi on November 24-25, 2007.

52-Delivered a ppt on ‘Polio eradication: Future perspectives’ during the IAP-AAP CME held at Bangalore on December 7-9, 2007.

53-Participated as a panelist in the dialogue session on Polio eradication at the 45th National Conference of IAP, Bhubaneswar on January 17-20, 2008.

54- Convened and address the annual meeting of IAP-PEC at Bhubaneswar on January 18, 2008.

55- Delivered a ppt and talk on investigations of an outbreak of a mysterious diseases in western UP at Muzaffarnagar on August 23, 2007.

56- Delivered a ppt on 'Vaccine misinformation" during the IAP-AAP CME 2008 held at Jaipur on August 1-3, 2008.

57-Delivered a talk and moderated an open session on Polio eradication at Lucknow during a IAP-UNICEF UP State level workshop at Lucknow on August 22, 2008.

58- Made a ppt and delivered a key-note address during regional Rotary Polio workshop at Meerut on September 7, 2008.

59- Presented a key note address on behalf of IAP in a district level capacity building exercise at Bijnor on July 23, 2008.

60- Participated and delivered a ppt at a meeting of Expert Committee regarding the toxic properties of Cassia Occidentalis plant on 8th October, 2008 at 3.00 PM Room No.252-A, Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi.

61-Delivered a ppt on Approach to Acute Encephalitis: Presenting a new paradigm!!during the XI NCPID on November 23, 2008 at Hotel Ramada, Varanasi.

62- Moderated a session on Polio Eradication during XI NCPID on November 23, 2008 at Hotel Ramada, Varanasi.

63-Conducted a focus group meeting of IAP members for IAP-Emory study on KAP surveys of pediatrician regarding vaccination practices in India on January 24th 2009 at Palace Ground, Bangalore during 46th Annual IAP National Conference.

64-Delivered a ppt on ADEM on January 23rd 2009 during at Palace Ground, Bangalore during 46th Annual IAP National Conference.

65-Delivered a presentation on Rota virus and IPV at a meeting of IAP Muzaffarnagar branch at Muzaffarnagar on February 6, 2009.

Many more talks and ppts in various national, international and state level meetings & conferences from 2009 to 2015. And chaired various other sessions and delivered many more scientific lectures during various other state, regional, and district level conferences, workshops and CMEs.

Convener / Member of IAP Committee / Task Force / Program

- 1-National Convener, Polio Eradication Committee of IAP, 2007-08;
- 2-National Convener, IAP science of Vaccinology Program, 2007;
- 3-Member, India Expert Advisory Group on Polio Eradication, 2007-08, 2013, 2015
- 4-Member, IAP Committee on Immunization, 2007-08;
- 5-Core committee member of IAP Problem Solving in Pediatrics Infectious Disease (PSPID) program, 2007
- 6-Core committee member of IAP Art & Science of Pediatric Practice (APP), 2007
- 7-Member of the Executive Board of National /Central IAP, 2001, 2002:
- 8-National Co-convener, Polio Eradication Committee of IAP, 2005-06;
- 9-North Zone Coordinator, Polio Eradication Committee of IAP, 2002-03;
- 10-Convener, IAP Advisory Cell on Epidemic, 2004;
- 11-National executive board member, central zone, Infectious Disease Chapter of IAP, 2002-03; 2006-07
- 12-National executive board member, central zone, computer and Medical Electronic group of IAP, 2002-03;
- 13-Founder, coordinator of UP chapter of IAP-CMEG, 2003;
- 14-Member, Web-site Committee of IAP, 2002;
- 15-Member, Finance Committee of IAP, 2001-02;
- 16-State Coordinator, UP & Uttranchal, IAP PP Quiz, 2002, 2004;
- 17-State Coordinator, UP & Uttranchal, IAP, IAP Breastfeeding and Lactation Management Committee, 2001, 2003;
- 18- National advisory Board member, Indian Academy of Sports Medicine, 2002.

Child health activities:

- 1- Community work at grass-root level: engaged in performing quality socio-academic pediatric community work through the platform of IAP and through other avenues.
- 2- **Telefilm on Polio Eradication:** co-produced and acted in a 30-minute telefilm based on the theme of polio eradication, "Choti Si Bhool" with "Ray Films, Noida" and distributed more than 300 CDs of the film to pediatricians, district, state and national health authorities, NGOs, WHO, and UNICEF. The film was also shown at different public meetings and gatherings like exhibition, Melas, schools, etc.
- 3- Teleserials on public health: acted and helped in scripting of tele-serials on public health like smoking in public places, and female feticides named, "Court Reporter", which was telecasted on 'Sadhna TV channel' in May and June 2004.
- 4- Interviews to TV News Channels on public child health issues: Interviews to media on issues dogging local pediatric population like polio, and epidemic brain disease were given- Zee News (December 2002), Sahara News (August 2004), and India TV (November 2004).
- 5- Constantly bringing up issues affecting local pediatric population to the knowledge of district, state and national health authorities for appropriate actions through different media and means.

Pediatric Research:

Seriously engaged in the genuine research work in pediatric practice. Currently involved in the investigation of recurring epidemics of mysterious disease in and around western UP since 1997, and in KAP amongst pediatricians about immunization in collaboration with Emory University, USA.

Interviews to electronic media:

- 1- AajTak, July 30, 2007, 8.00 AM. Encephalitis in western UP, Weed behind the disease, not virus.
- 2- Tej, Report on IAP symposium on Kasondi as a cause of killer brain disease in western UP, July 29, 2007 at 11.00 PM
- 3- Sahara, UP news channel. Report on Sharanpur encephalitis, July 30, 2007.
- 4- Zee TV. Report on outbreaks of a mysterious disease in Bijnor, November, 2003.

Newspapers articles, interviews and reports:

- 1- Reye syndrome; Amar Ujala, December 1, 1999, Meerut, pp 5.
- 2- Reye syndrome; Dainik Jagran, December 12, 1999, Meerut, pp7.

- 3- Economic aspects of Breast-feeding, Amar Ujala, Meerut, August 4, 1998.
- 4- Economic aspects of breast-feeding, Chingari, evening, Bijnor, August 4, 1998.
- 5- Drugs companies creating panic about Hepatitis B; Hindustan Times, New Delhi, March 20, 2000.
- 6- "Hepatitis B ka aatank faila rahi hain companies", Amar Ujala, Meerut, March 17, 2000.
- 7- "Hepatitis B Ka Hauvva Khada karne per Chinta" Amar Ujala, Meerut, May 9, 2000.
- 8- "Hepatitis B Ka Hauvva Khada karne se chintit" Bijnor Times, Bijnor, May 9, 2000.
- 9- Vashishtha VM. "Bijnor mein bhi fail rahi he khatarnak bimari, Reye syndrome", Chingari, Bijnor, December 12, 1999.
- 10- Breast-feeding is the best, Hindustan Times, Lucknow, August 8, 1998.
- 11- Breast feeding article, Bijnor Times, Bijnor, August 7, 1998.
- 12- Bijnor in the grip of severe Malaria, Hindustan Times, Lucknow, October 29, 2000.
- 13- "Ab polio virus se hoga brain tumor ka ilaaj" Amar Ujala, Meerut, September 22, 2000.
- 14- ORS for dehydration, Bijnor Times, Bijnor, July 29, 2001.
- 15- Japanese Encephalitis in Bijnor: Amar Ujala, Meerut, November 1, 2001.

16- "Bijnor mein Japanese encephalitis virus prakop ki pushti hui", Bijnor Times, Chingari, Amar Ujala, Dainik Jagran, December 22, 2001.

17- Bijnore doctor warns of rare child's disease, Hindustan times, New Delhi, November 30, 2000.

18- "Polio virus failane ke Kendra hein Moradabad, Sultanpur, va Bhagalpur" Amar Ujala, Meerut, April 21, 2002.

19- "WHO DOTS Program Se Hi TB per prabhavi Niyantaran sambhav" , Bijnor Times, 25 March, 2002.

20- "Bharat me prati minute ek TB rogi ki maut", Dainik Jagran, Meerut, March 25, 2002.

21- Reye syndrome in Bijnor, Dainik Jagran, Meerut, December 1, 2000.

22- Alarming rise in Polio cases in Bijnor district, Hindustan Times, Lucknow, August 17, 2002.

23- Polio report in Bijnor district, Dainik Jagran, Meerut, August 13, 2002.

24- Mystery fever toll 150, Hindustan Times, Lucknow, December 12, 2002.

25- "Mutant strain virus ke kaaran bachcho me mahmari faili", Dainik Jagran, December 13, 2002.

26- Reye syndrome in Bijnor, Chingari, Bijnor, November 28, 2002.

27- "Rahsamay Bimari (Mystery disease) in the district, Amar Ujala, Meerut, November 29, 2002.

28- Reye syndrome ki dastak in Bijnor, Dainik Jagran, Meerut, October 6 and 10, 2004.

- 29- Reye syndrome and mystery disease-Do's and Don'ts, Amar Ujala, Meerut, October 20, 2004.
- 30- Mystery disease, measles, and anti-emetic drugs, Amar Ujala, Meerut, October 27 & 28, 2004.
- 31- Plant causes killer fever, Times of India, New Delhi, July 29, 2007 pp4
- 32- UP brain fever outbreak may be due to plant poisoning. The Statesman, front page, August 29, 2007.
- 33-Plant causes killer UP disease, Times of India, LKO edition, front page, columns 6,7, July 28, 2007.
- 34- Weed poison may have caused disease outbreak in UP:reports. Available at www.livemint.com New Delhi, August 24, 2007, Vol 1, No. 171.
- 35-Killer weed, not encephalitis, may be behind UP deaths. Indian Express, Lucknow, front page, columns 1-7, October 24, 2007
- 36-Poisonous weed, not encephalitis, caused deaths in western UP: Study. Indian Express, Lucknow, front page, columns 1,2 & page 2, columns 5,6. October 23, 2007
- 37- "Virus nahin, Kasondi ka paudha hai hatyara", Dainik Jagran, Saharanpur, front page, columns 1-2, Meerut, July 30, 2007.
- 38- "Paschim Uttar Pradesh aur Haryana mein rahasayamaya bimari ki guthi sulaghi". Hindustan, Lucknow, hindi, July 28, 2007 pp 4, columns 1-6.
- 39- Cure May Come Soon, in The Day After, published on October 31, 2007. Available at: http://www.dmanewsdesk.com/Japanese_Encephalitis_disease_entero_viral__encephalitis-2-1089-36.htm
- 40- "Dimagi bukhar ka sach: Bachcho ki jaan ka dushman bana vishela paudha". Amar Ujala, Meerut, July 30, 2007, Front page, Col. 6-7.

41- Immunize all kids below five against polio. Hindustan Times, 26.01.2009, Lucknow edition.

And many-many more news reports in national and regional dailies.