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FOUNDER'S MESSAGE



Prof. Satyanarayan Mahapatra
Director & Founder

Margdarsi has been taking pathbreaking initiative for the people with Disabilities since its inception in 1995. It started delivery of clinical services for various disability affected people, but only to stumble on shortage of professional manpower. Though, the shortage was widespread, but Odisha barely had a few people. This created Institute of Health Sciences to train career aspirant youth in rehabilitation sciences. Odisha had not implemented the Persons with disability act, enacted by the Govt of India. Margdarsi had worked with the Govt of Odisha for not only for the implementation of the PWD act, but also for recognition of therapeutic services for children with special needs successfully.

Margdarsi has established the Model Center for children with Special needs in 2004. This Centre has become a "centre of hope" for those affected by Neuro Developmental Disorders. Children are discharged after they developed their functional skills to normal level. For Neuro Rehabilitation of adults with trauma and/or degeneration of the brain, Margdarsi has set up the Integrated Rehabilitation Centre where multi modal therapy is imparted. Supplementing the functional therapies, traditional and natural remedies are included too, thus creating a holistic protocol. Many people with emotional disorders, personality disorders and social conflicts are rehabilitated in the Brain Fitness centre where both diagnostic and therapeutic services are rendered. Autism school was established after the Govt agreed to recognise the regular intervention for Children with Autism. Speech disorders, Language disorders, Hearing impairment, Balance Disorders and a lot more issues are handled by patient centric dedicated clinics set up by Margdarsi. With Margdarsi, the lifetime suffering can be a thing of past for people with all kinds of disabilities and disabling conditions.

The Autonomous Institute of Health Sciences has stepped into the silver Jubilee year of its existence. Mission of developing qualified manpower that started in 1999, has received quality benchmarking from National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) with a B++. This happens to be the only one institute that is controlled by Rehabilitation Council of India, under Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment to receive the recognition. University Grants Commission under Ministry of Education, Govt of India, has granted IHS, the Autonomous status. Thus, IHS will zoom ahead with its mission to make human resource available with domain specific expertise to ameliorate human sufferings. Career aspirant students from all over the country visit the institute. Their experience from the Freshers party to Dikshant Samaroh remains highly rewarding. They are trained with relevant skills with hands on training, wide range of clinical exposure, not just limited to classroom teachings. Alumni of IHS, thus find themselves in great demand, not only within the country, but also abroad.

CHRONICLES

April -2022

▶ 02.04.2022

World Autism Awareness Day :

was observed on April 2nd 2023 at Rammandir Square to raise awareness about autism spectrum disorders. It aims to promote understanding, acceptance, and support for individuals with autism.

▶ 17.04.2022

Empathy :

Annual day was inaugurated by Founder and Director Prof. Satya Mahapatra and Chairman of Margdarsi Mr. Purna Chandra sahu and B.K Pattniak former Chef Seceretary. Faculties and students were acknowledged for their achievements and cultural programme was organised by students.. Alumini of IHS were acknowledged and alumini talk was scheduled to motivate the current students



For a first time in the country, Govt of India, Ministry of Education and UGC took a noble initiative for the growth of Disability Studies and Rehabilitation Sciences. As a consequence, Institute of Health Sciences was accorded Autonomous status by UGC. We had the privilege of receiving the Govt order from Honorable Minister, Ministry of Education, Shri Dharmendra Pradhan on July 8th, 2023, at IHS Bhubaneswar.

A boon to the disability rehabilitation in the Country...**Prof Satya Mahapatra** receiving the order of Autonomous for I.H.S from **Hon'ble Minister Shri Dharmendra Pradhan** (Govt. of India)



Warm welcoming to the freshers to a new world of mission for medical rehabilitation



A dignified farewell to the qualified students at Dikshant Samaroh, 2023

INSTITUTE'S ACCREDITATION & AFFILIATION



The University Grants Commission, UGC has accorded Autonomous status on the Institute of Health Sciences from the academic session of 2023.



Autonomous Institute of health Sciences is covered under section 2(f) of the University Grant Commissions Act, 1956 and is empowered to award degrees as specified by UGC under section 22 of the UGC Act, 1956.



Autonomous Institute of health Sciences has been awarded B++ grade by National Assessment and Accreditation Council under Allied Health Sciences category among 800 institutions offering these programs in the country. HIS supposed to be the standalone institution in the country to has been assessed and accredited.



Autonomous Institute of health Sciences has been recognized by Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI) Eastern India Zone-1 (Odisha & West Bengal), Zonal Office is operating in Institute of Health Sciences since 2018.



Two UG programs BPT and BASLP are offered by the Institution which are regular, full time and are affiliated to Utkal University, Bhubaneswar. The BASLP Program has permanent affiliation from Utkal University & the BPT program is approved by Directorate of Medical Education and Training, H&FW Dept, Govt. of Odisha and provisionally affiliated to Utkal University, Bhubaneswar.



Autonomous Institute of health Sciences under Margdarsi is recognized as Referral Hospital for all communication disorders by Government of Odisha since 2006.

The **Autonomous Institute of Health Sciences** has decided to offer programs for manpower development in Disability Studies, Health Care & Rehabilitation Sciences to cater to the perceived needs in the country. These undergraduate and post graduate degree courses apart many other short duration programs will be available to cover specific need based topics

Courses

- Bachelor's of Audiology and Speech Language Pathology
- Bachelor's of Physiotherapy
- Bachelor's of Optometry
- Bachelor's of Occupational Therapy
- Bachelor's of Public Health
- Bachelor's of Prosthetics and Orthotics Engineering
- Bachelor of Education in Special Education: (B.Ed. In Autism)
- Bachelor's of Medical Lab Technology

- Master' of Public Health
- Master of Psychiatric Social Work
- Master of Medical Social Work
- Master of Arts in Clinical Psychology
- Master of Hospital Administration
- Master of Physiotherapy : Neurology
- Master of Physiotherapy : Pediatrics
- Master of Physiotherapy : Cardio Pulmonary Rehabilitation
- Master of Physiotherapy : Geriatrics
- Master of Physiotherapy : Gynecology
- Master of Physiotherapy : Orthopedics
- Master of Yoga
- Master of Rehabilitation Science

CHRONICLES

June- 2022

► 21.06.2022

International Yoga Day :

8th International Day of Yoga 2022 (Yoga for Humanity) was celebrated in the institute of Health Sciences on 21st June 2022. on this occasion Yoga was performed as per the common yoga protocol developed by Ministry of AYUSH. Students, staffs and faculty members participated in this celebration and made the event successful.



MODEL CENTRE FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Model Centre for Children with Special Needs (MCCWSN) provides professional services to children affected by birth defects, developmental disorders, intellectual disability, and other multiple disabilities. It was established by IHS (Institute of Health Sciences) a unit of Margdarsi in the year 2001. MCCWSN handles cases with Autism, ADHD (Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder), Cerebral Palsy, Seizure Disorders, Hearing impairments, Specific Language disability, language delay, and Behavioral disorders. MCCWSN provides more than 15,000 hours of rehabilitation services every month to children with disabilities.

Disorders treated at Model Center

- Cerebral Palsy
- Autism Spectrum Disorder
- ADHD/ADD (Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder)
- Down's Syndrome
- Learning Disability
- Congenital Deafness
- Inadequate Speech and Language Development
- Intellectual Disability
- Seizure Disorder
- Microcephaly
- Muscular Dystrophy
- Cleft lip and Palate
- Tourette Syndrome
- Genetic Disorders
- Multiple Disabilities

Services at Model Center

- Speech Language Therapy
- Occupational Therapy
- Physiotherapy
- Prosthetics, Orthotics
mobility aids smart appliances
- Special Education
- Postural Therapy
- Recreational Therapy
- Dietary Intervention
- Nutritional Supplements
- Detoxification
- Immunity Boosting
- Family Counselling
- Pick up & drop service from home

CHRONICLES

July- 2022

► 02.07.2022

Van Mahotsav :

Staff and students of IHS celebrated Van Mahotsav by planting varieties of plants and trees at Chandaka campus to promote and raise awareness about the importance of trees & forests for the environment & human well being.



MODEL CENTRE FOR CHILDREN

WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Functional Independence from Disability :

Children are provided with comprehensive care to build their readiness for the real world. From complete dependency on the family, care provider and support system, they achieve the independence of self care. Their oral and written communication and social skills are augmented to normal or age appropriate level. When they are discharged to mainstream schools, they are shadowed to review their functional Independence. Most children who are discharged to join mainstream schools have been doing remarkably well.



Margdarsi has established the Integrated Rehabilitation Centre for people who suffer cerebral stroke, head injury or spinal cord injury, whether in accidents, traumatic impacts or results from certain infection, disease or after effects of surgery, that makes a person immobile or paralyzed. They are provided with physical rehabilitation services such as making provision for or fitting mobility aids and smart appliances, delivering physiotherapy, occupational therapy, postural therapy, movement therapy etc.

Biomedical intervention and traditional medicine is provided to augment the healing process. The motivation of the patient is built up by yoga, meditation, psychotherapy and counseling.

If the person has developed speech defects like Dysarthria, Swallowing Disorders and loss of language skills like Aphasia, suitable intervention by experts in Speech Language Pathology is available.

The ecosystem of Margdarsi rehabilitation facilitates the process of healing, recovery of lost functional skills and paves way for normalisation of life.

CHRONICLES

August -2022

► 06 & 07.08.2022

CRE Webinar on Community based Rehabilitation :

A webinar was organized on Community based rehabilitation. About two hundred RCI registered professionals participated in this program. Mr. Nachiketa Rout (Director, NIEPMD, Chennai), DR. Prosenjit Majumdar, Mr. Kamalakant Pandey and Dr Jashobanta Mahapatra were the resource persons.

► 14.08.2022

Authority :

Authority event aims to acknowledge Indian authors who have contributed to the field of rehabilitation Sciences. We had with us Mr. Steven Pinto renowned finance analyst our Guest of honor and Mr Radheshyam Mohapatra, Director, HRD, NALCO our chief guest. IHS acknowledged 25 Professionals at this event. They had all contributed to the field of rehabilitation Sciences by giving the insight of knowledge in their specific field.



INDIAN KNOWLEDGE SYSTEMS & TRADITIONAL REMEDIES



Traditional remedies with focus on holistic care have been introduced at **I.H.S.** This centre complements the range of functional therapies that are provided by qualified professionals in their domain of expertise. The **Ayurvedic pharmaceutical** are prescribed by the qualified doctors while trained therapists serve the patients with chronic neurological conditions like Alzheimer's, Parkinson's, Multiple sclerosis, Cerebral stroke and musculoskeletal disorders affecting limbs and torso among the elderly. The Yogic rehabilitation is also handled by qualified experts for development of homeostasis among the patients. The children with Neuro Developmental Disorders like Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorders, Autism Spectrum Disorders, Intellectual Disability etc receive tender care for improvement of the immunity and bringing down sensory overloads.



CHRONICLES

August- 2022

▶ 15.08.2022

Independence Day :

Independence day was observed by flag hoisting at Chandaka campus by the staff and students.

▶ 27.08.2022

A Geriatric Rehabilitation program :

Free camp for senior citizens was organized by IHS in various panchayats (Andharua, Mendhasala, Kantabada, Sribantapur, Chandaka) during the month of August.

▶ 31.08.2023

Ganesh Chaturthi :

The occasion began with the eco-friendly installation of Lord Ganesh's idol in a beautifully adorned pandal. Cultural performances, bhajans, and speeches highlighted the festival's significance. The 'Ganesh Visarjan' ceremony fostered unity as students bid farewell to the deity. The event underscored our commitment to sustainable celebrations and cultural diversity.

As hearing impairment affects 10% of the population, a lot of people suffer from the invisible disability. While 0.4% are affected at birth, many become hearing impaired due to infection, injury or degeneration. Every second elderly person has some degree of deafness. Margdarsi has created elaborate facility for identifying deafness among neonates, school going children and adults through outreach services and institution based services. Complete diagnostic testing facility, manned by talented professional experts has created total hearing solutions. **Audiological Rehabilitation** includes fitting hearing instruments and smart appliances followed by hearing training, and support services. Those who have a profound degree of deafness are referred for surgical intervention with implantable hearing devices. Margdarsi provides pre-surgical diagnostic and post surgical rehabilitation to the recipient of cochlear implants and brainstem implants. It has Vestibular diagnostic testing facility and rehabilitation services for those who are affected by other disorders like Tinnitus and Balance Disorders. **I.H.S** has collaborated with the industry to build the modern facilities in hearing health care. **I.H.S** sound centre happens to be the only one of its kind in Odisha to have real world experience for patients while programming hearing instruments to compensate for hearing loss.

Services for disorders

- Congenital Deafness
- Hearing loss among children and adults
- Hearing loss in Elderly
- Conservation of Hearing
- Audiological Diagnostics
- Audiological Rehabilitation
- Auditory Training
- Hearing Aids
- Cochlear Implants
- Vestibular Diagnostics
- Vestibular Rehabilitation
- Tinnitus Training
- CAPD Rehabilitation
- Neuro Audiology



Prof. Satya Mahapatra with Singer Anuradha Paudwal, His excellency Governor of Odisha Prof. Ganeshi Lal at hearing aid distribution program for underprivileged people.



Prof. Satya Mahapatra with Singer Anuradha Paudwal, and CEO of WS Audiology Inaugurating I.H.S Sound Center

Mental health issues have become a big problem in the society. A lot of people suffer depression, obsessive compulsive disorders, stress- anxiety, panic attacks to emotionally induced illnesses. Teenage addiction, antisocial or aggression, conduct disorders, dropping out of school and such other issues need professional attention. Margdarsi established the Brain Fitness center to provide consultation and therapy to the affected person and counseling to the caregivers in the family. Blending Psychotherapy with traditional remedies like Yoga and dietary supplements are tried as holistic care to restore emotional homeostasis.



CHRONICLES

September- 2022

► **05.09.2022**

Teacher's Day Celebration :

The event kicked off with students expressing gratitude to the teachers and educators through heartfelt speeches and poems. A cultural program showcased the students talents, adding vibrancy to the occasion. The highlight was the presentation of tokens of appreciation to our dedicated faculty members.

► **08.09.2022**

World Physiotherapy Day :

A camp was organised for senior citizen by institute of health sciences followed by debate , quiz and poetry competition.

October - 2022

► **10.10.2022**

World Audiology Day :

World Audiologist Day was observed by the staff and students of the department of Audiology by actively participating in the different activities such as quiz and debates.

Margdarsi has been conducting relevant events for professional development, capacity building, coordination among the stakeholders at local as well as national level. Some events are planned at international level, like the International Symposium on Audiological Medicine where hearing professionals and ear surgeons come together to develop synergy in the interest of the patients.



International Symposium on Audiological Medicine-ISAM-2023

I.H.S co-hosted the International Symposium on Audiological Medicine with TASLPA of Telengana at Hyderabad. This experiment was highly successful. That apart, many professional events were organised inside I.H.S

Honouring authors of books in rehabilitation Sciences, at the event Authority

The Authority event was held to motivate and recognise the authors in the field of Rehabilitation Sciences in India. Several authors who have scripted books were felicitated. This had a national level participation.



Course coordinators of RCI approved institutions from East & North East India, meeting hosted by I.H.S

Course coordinators of different institutions from 13 states of East and North-East India had participated in a meeting organized by Institute of Health Sciences. These institutes run programs approved by the Rehabilitation Council of India.



CHRONICLES

NOVEMBER- 2022

► 03. 11. 2022

Inauguration of PCOs clinic :

PCOS clinic inauguration was done by our chief guest Dr. Taramani Pattnaik followed by a seminar on awareness regarding PCOS for all female students and staffs of IHS.

► 12.11.2022

Alzheimer Clinic Inauguration :

Alzheimer's clinic inauguration was done by our chief guest Dr. Srikant Kumar Sahoo (Neurologist) followed by a talk on alzheimer's disease session for all the students.

► 26.11.2022

Free Physiotherapy camp for senior citizen :

Free camp for senior citizen was organized by IHS in various panchayat (Andharua , mendhasala , kantabada , sribantapur , chandaka) from the month of august till march.

► 30.11.2022

Workshop on Soft skill development :

The Institute of Health Sciences organized a Soft Skills development Workshop for undergraduate students, by Mr. Nilanchal Sarangi, lecturer in Psychology, focusing on improving communication, interpersonal, leadership, time management, networking, and personal branding skills.

EVENTS GALLERY



FOUNDATION DAY CELEBRATION



INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY



FRESHERS PARTY WELCOME DAY



ANNUAL DAY OF BALMUKUND MEMORIAL CENTRE OF AUDIOLOGY



VAN MAHOTSAV



BLOOD DONATION CAMP



ANNUAL SPORTS DAY



AUTISM AWARENESS DAY

Disability is a challenging task not only for the affected people, but for the family and the society as well. Taking the treatment for long period of time at the big cities of India was not just inconvenient, but expensive and above all not suitable.

Odisha has its unique Odia language, friendly people with social- cultural melting pot, healthy agro-climatic conditions. This state of 45 million people needed dedicated facilities. Margdarsi was established as a Nonprofit organization for professional management of Disability rehabilitation, at the capital city of Odisha, in 1995. It started the clinical consultation services and therapeutic rehabilitation for people with communication disorders and neuro developmental disabilities, and continued to grow from strength to strength with every roadblock. Over the years, it has evolved as the best rehabilitation ecosystem for comprehensive care. It handles all kinds of recognised Disabilities and many other disabling disorders. Dedicated to the most vulnerable segment of the society, Margdarsi continues to set benchmarks in the domain of rehabilitation services.

Patient Centric Dedicated Clinics



Neuro Developmental Clinic

- ▶ ADHD Clinic
- ▶ Autism Clinic
- ▶ Intellectual Disability Clinic
- ▶ Cerebral Palsy Clinic
- ▶ Learning Disability Clinic
- ▶ Down's Syndrome Clinic
- ▶ Muscular Dystrophy Clinic



Neuro Rehabilitation Clinic

- ▶ Cerebral Stroke Clinic
- ▶ Multiple Sclerosis Clinic
- ▶ Alzheimer Clinic
- ▶ Parkinson's Clinic
- ▶ Guillain Barre Syndrome Clinic
- ▶ ALS
- ▶ Lupus Clinic



Physical Disorders Clinic

- ▶ Trauma Clinic
- ▶ Arthritis Clinic
- ▶ Post Surgical Rehab Clinic
- ▶ Lifestyle Disorder Clinic
- ▶ Musculoskeletal Disorder



Speech Language Clinic

- ▶ Stuttering Clinic
- ▶ Voice Clinic
- ▶ Articulation Clinic
- ▶ Aphasia Clinic
- ▶ Cleft Lip and Palate Clinic
- ▶ Dysarthria Clinic
- ▶ Dysphagia Clinic



Hearing Clinic

- ▶ Hearing Conservation Clinic
- ▶ Pediatric Hearing Clinic
- ▶ Community Rehab Clinic
- ▶ Audiological Rehabilitation Clinic
- ▶ Vestibular Clinic



Brain Fitness Clinic

- ▶ Counseling Centre
- ▶ Depression Clinic
- ▶ Anxiety Clinic
- ▶ Insomnia Clinic
- ▶ Family Clinic



CHRONICLES

DECEMBER-2022

▶ 03.12.2022

International Disability Day :

International Disability day was a memorable affair, featuring diverse activities. The event began with a quiz competition, testing students' knowledge about disability. A thought-provoking talk on disability awareness shed light on the importance of inclusivity. Various competitions on disability, such as art and sports, highlighted talents and fostered empathy. The day was an inspiring tribute to our teachers and a step towards creating a more inclusive and compassionate learning environment.

Margdarsi Clinics have began in 1995 to deal with all kinds of speech defects of articulation, voice and disfluencies. Language delay in children and loss of language ability in adults were important priorities. By using the Clinical resources of professional manpower and infrastructure, each person is provided personalized care. Appropriate doses of speech language therapy is also supported by paraprofessional services to have quantum effect of Rehabilitation

Treatments under Speech, Language & Communication Clinics

- 
Articulation and phonological disorders
 - 
Cleft lip and palate
 - 
Fluency Disorders: Stuttering, Cluttering
 - 
Autism Spectrum Disorder
 - 
Specific Learning difficulties
 - 
Literacy Disorder
 - 
Speech and language developmental delay
 - 
Swallowing disorders and feeding difficulties
 - 
Cerebral Palsy
 - 
Voice disorders
 - 
Motor speech disorders (Dysarthria, Apraxia, etc.)
 - 
Degenerative disorders such as Parkinson's disease, ALS, MD
 - 
Traumatic Brain Injury
 - 
Neurological Language Disorders (Aphasia, Dementia, etc.)
 - 
Intellectual disability
 - 
Accent disorders
- 
Auditory Verbal Therapy

Types of Clinics under Speech, Language & Communication



Stuttering Clinic

Stammering, also known as stuttering, is the involuntary repetition of sounds, words, or phrases; prolongations of sounds and syllables; and silent pauses or blocks that are not of your own volition. Treatment-resistant stuttering and dysfluency are treatable.

Aphasia Clinic

Aphasia is a neurogenic condition that develops after any kind of brain damage. Most population left halves of their brains are where language area resides. Language difficulties might result from damage to that area of your brain. The symptoms consist of loss of speech in the speaking and the difficulty in the understanding speech.





Voice Clinic

Any changes in the voice that could be heard differently from the normal is a voice disorder. The voice quality, pitch, and loudness become unsuitable for an individual's age or gender. It can be caused by simple activities such as yelling or making loud play sounds, throat clearing, and excessive coughing. Some neurological problems or hormonal problems can also make the voice be heard differently.

Articulation Clinic

Any kind of errors while producing the speech sound by mispronouncing, substituting or missing out the sound, is known as an Articulation disorders. At an early age, most of a child's speech is not well understood, and by about age eight, children should be able to say all sounds correctly. If a children are having errors in producing speech sounds persist after that age, a speech sound disorder may be present.



Cleft Lip and Palate Clinic



Cleft Lip and Palate means absence of the proper joining of the lip and palate muscle because of inadequate development of speech organs before birth. These are common oral- facial problems since birth that often affect speech, hearing, feeding and physical appearance across all age groups.

Dysphagia Clinic

A person with any kind of difficulty while having the normal swallow. The issues may manifest as difficulty chewing meat, having gag while eating, or having pain while swallowing and swallow food forcefully. These issues may take the shape of difficulty in drink liquids that makes us feel uneasy, which in turn causes us to cough and choke. A person with a consistent swallowing difficulty leads to the severe lungs infection as well.



Dysarthria Clinic



It is a type of speech problem in which the person can understand everything but have problem in the expression which consist of wrong pronunciation, changes in voice (higher or lower pitched), flat speech, slurred speech etc. In these cases the muscles used for speech and voice (i.e. the muscles of lips, tongue, vocal cords, and diaphragm etc.) become weak or paralyzed.

OUTREACH ACTIVITIES AND PUBLIC AWARENESS PROGRAMS



Margdarsi uses clinical resources and professional manpower to deliver services to affected people. It collaborates with govt and public establishments for conducting school screening program, camps at rural areas, urban slums, communities in different towns. It aims at early identification of disorders that can be provided with professional care. Thus helps in prevention of disorders becoming a disability. Different categories of people like teachers, doctors, administrators are invited to visit Institute of Health Sciences to learn more about various types of disabilities and their treatment. Digital media platforms are also used for dissemination of information. "Satya speaks" is a weekly online program which deals with certain relevant topics associated with disability rehabilitation. Sometimes, roadshows, placard march, distribution of informative leaflets in public places are also done.

Different Topic on Disability :

Satya Speaks

Sl No	Date	Topic
1	07.04.2022	World Autism Awareness Day
2	13.04.2022	Are you living with invisible hearing disorders?
3	20.04.2022	How to improve behavior of an unruly child?
4	25.05.2022	What should you expect at your family counseling session?
5	30.05.2022	Defining Imperfections - Fresh Look At Disability
6	02.06.2022	Parents Must Learn About Meltdown in Children With Special Needs
7	05.12.2022	Multimodal Therapy
8	10.12.2022	Chronic Neurological Conditions
9	17.12.2022	Autism Cure
10	24.12.2022	Patient Centric Approach
11	18.02.2023	Aphasia
12	12.02.2023	Stuttering Puberphonia
13	07.06.2023	Awakening Society: Transforming Lives through Effective Disability Treatment
14	08.06.2023	Shedding Light on Anxiety & Depression.
15	09.06.2023	Unmasking the Harmful Effects of Judgemental Attitudes and Challenging Disability Treatment.

Bolti Band

Sl No	Date	Topic
1	07.01.2023	Vikash Samachar
2	04.02.2023	Stuttering
3	09.02.2023	Is your Child Fickle ?
4	31.12.2022	App Ka Kya Hoga ?

CHRONICLES

JANUARY-2023

► 21.01.2023

RCI Course Co-ordinators meet :

Program was organized at Vivekanand marg, Khandagiri, Bhubaneswar. Deputy Director RCI, Dr Subodh Kumar, Zonal Chief Coordinator, Eastern Zone 1, Prof Satya Mahapatra, Mr. BK Patnaik, Former Chief Secretary, Govt of Odisha inaugurated the program. 35 course coordinator from eastern zone was there in the meeting to discuss course improvement, syllabus changes, timeline and milestones, etc.

► 26.01.2023

Republic day :

The atmosphere reverberated with unity as all participants sang the national anthem with unwavering devotion. I.H.S director, principal, and faculty members delivered inspiring speeches, emphasizing the importance of democracy and freedom. This was followed by a video making competition showcasing the students artistic talents and expressions of national pride.

OUTREACH ACTIVITIES



Hearing Screening of villagers by professional Audiologists at their doorstep



CSR support from RSP sail, Roulkela has made it possible to provide conveyance facility to children with special needs



Outreach services to identify disabling condition of neurological and musculo skeletal disorder.



Blood donation is done by students and staff of I.H.S under NSS scheme with support of Hospital's Blood bank

Ongoing project with support from **SSEPD dept Govt. of Odisha**

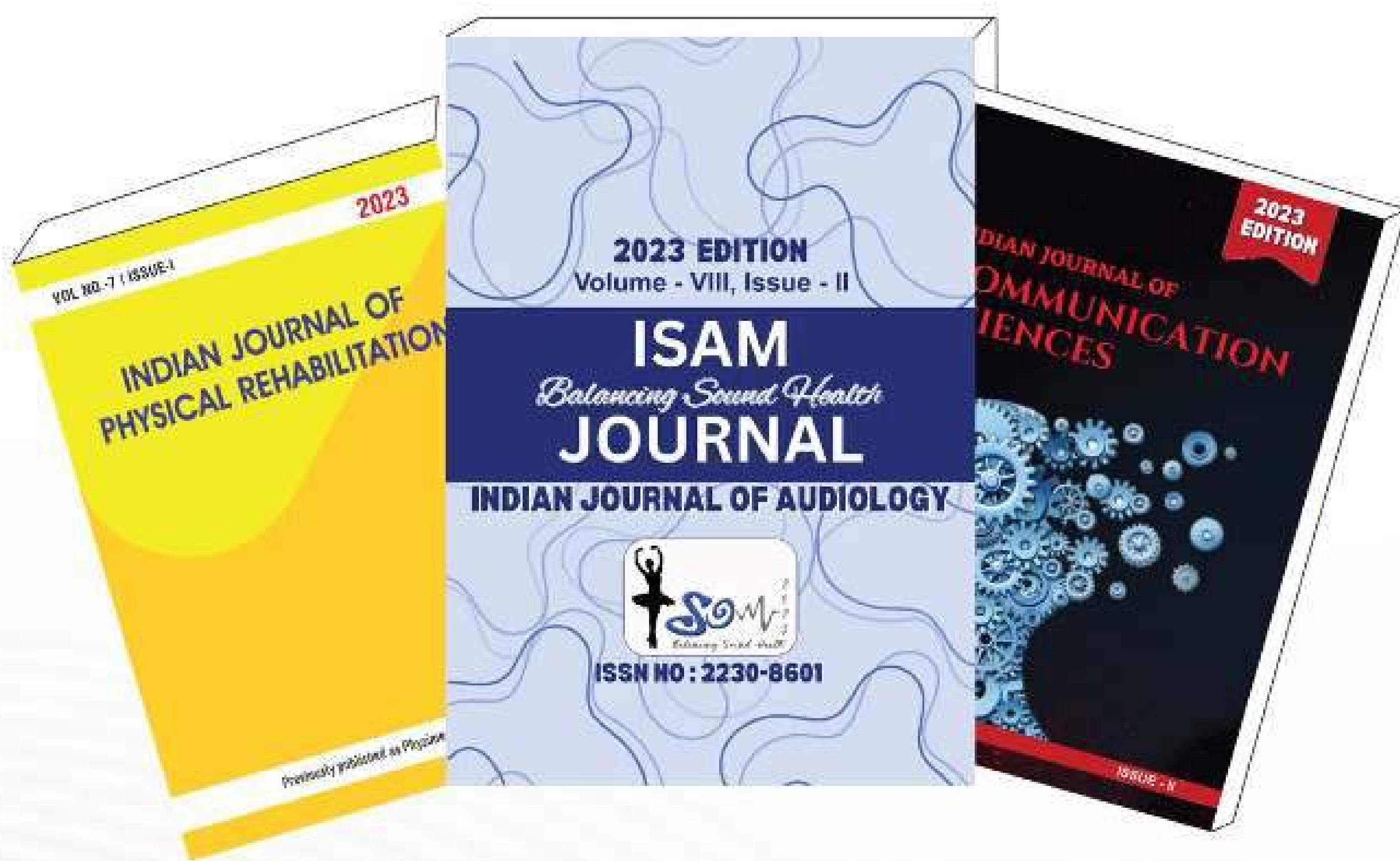
- › Therapeutic services for children with special needs
- › Physiotherapy for the elderly persons



RESEARCH, INNOVATION & PUBLICATIONS



Research and Innovation are ongoing activities at the Institute of Health Sciences. The professionals, faculty members and trainee students are engaged in research work. They publish their work in various journals in India and abroad. Margdarsi encourages innovation based research that can lead to technology solutions. It has been publishing professional journals like ISAM journal(renamed as Indian Journal of Audiology) and Phyzimed Journal (renamed as Indian Journal of Physical Rehabilitation)since 2008. Later, Indian Journal of Communication Sciences was published. All the three journals are published twice a year. It attracts contribution from professionals across the country.



I.H.S publishes these professional journals bi- annually

1. ISAM Journal: *Indian Journal of Audiology*
2. *Indian Journal of Communication Sciences*
3. *Indian Journal of Physical Rehabilitation*



CHRONICLES

February-2023

► 07.02.2023

Annual Day of Balmukund Memorial Center of Audiology :

On 07th February 2023, the members of Gita Mukunda Foundation Trust and Institute of Health Sciences jointly observed the annual day of Balmukund Memorial Centre of Audiology.

On this occasion, like every year we felicitated an outstanding specialist Dr. Radhamadhab Sahu, ENT and Skull Base Surgeon for his contribution to the field. We also appreciated Ms. Neha Tiwari, Sr. Audiologist and Speech Language Pathologist , Founder- Sachetata, as the Guest of Honor. The program was graced by Dr. Debabrata Swain, IFS (Retd.), Member, Lokayukta- Odisha as the Honorable Chief Guest for the evening.

March-2023

► 03.03.2023

World Hearing Day Observation :

Anuradha Padwal officially inaugurated the Sound Centre, a state-of-the-art facility equipped with advanced audiological equipment at IHS (I.R.C Village) The Sound Centre offered free hearing screenings and diagnostic services, benefiting many individuals by identifying hearing impairments and providing guidance.



CREDENTIALS



MARGDARSI

1. Registered under the Societies Registration Act XXI of 1860.
2. Registered as a non-profit organization under Section 12AA and 80G of the Income Tax Act of India.
3. Registered for receiving overseas grants under the Foreign Currency Regulations Act.
4. Registered under the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act.
5. Recognized by relevant departments of the Government and statutory bodies of the Government of India.
6. Registered with Niti Aayog (National Institution for Transforming India), which is the premier policy think tank of the Government of India.
7. Margdarsi is also registered for Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) activities with a registration number: CSR00009938.

I.H.S

1. Recognized by the University Grants Commission (UGC) under Section 2f & 12(B).
2. IHS has been accredited with B++ grade by National Assessment and Accreditation Council.
3. UGC has recognised IHS as an Autonomous Organisation on 31/05/2023
4. Institute of Health Sciences is a registered college under the Persons to Disability Act, 1995, with registration number 08, dated 6th May 2004.
5. The institute offers professional courses in rehabilitation sciences, being affiliated with Utkal University, Vani Vihar, Bhubaneswar.
6. The institute has received permanent recognition from the Government of Odisha under the Department of Women & Child Development.
7. The Institute of Health Sciences has obtained permanent approval from the Rehabilitation Council of India for running the BASLP Degree program.
8. The institute holds the responsibility for the state of Odisha to work for Persons with Intellectual Disability and those with high support needs, recognized by the National Trust, the statutory body of the Government of India. It has been designated as the State Nodal Agency Center by the National Trust.
9. The Institute of Health Sciences is designated as a referral hospital by the Government of Odisha for dealing with various communication disorders such as speech defects, hearing loss, and developmental disorders like Autism, Mental Retardation, and Cerebral Palsy.



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