

DR. MUMTAZ AFZAL

Senior Consultant - Anaesthesiology

Qualification

MBBS | DA | DNB (Anaesthesiology) | IDRA (ICA) | FCPM | PGDMLE

Overview

Dr. Mumtaz Afzal, a Senior Consultant in the Department of Anaesthesiology at Manipal Hospitals, E.M. Bypass, Kolkata, brings over two decades of expertise in advanced anaesthesia care. He has a stellar academic background—MBBS (2004), D.A. - Anaesthesia (2007), DNB - Anaesthesia (2010), IDRA (2019), PGDMLE (2022), and FCPM (2022)—Dr. Afzal is a highly skilled anaesthesiologist specialising in ultrasound-guided nerve blocks, ensuring precision and enhanced patient safety during surgical and pain management procedures. A gold medalist in Paediatrics in the Final MBBS (II) Examination, Dr. Afzal has been recognised for academic excellence and clinical proficiency. Committed to continuous learning and professional development, Dr. Afzal is a life member of prestigious organizations like the Indian Society of Anaesthesiologists, All India Difficult Airway Association, Indian Academy of Pediatric Anaesthesiologists, Society of Onco-Anaesthesia and Perioperative Care, and the Indian College of Anaesthesiologists, reflecting a broad spectrum of expertise across multiple anaesthesia sub-specialties. As an ACLS/BLS instructor, Dr. Afzal plays a crucial role in medical education, training healthcare professionals in advanced life-saving protocols. He is a top anaesthesiologist doctor in EMbypass Kolkata. With a patient-centric approach, proficiency in managing complex surgical cases, and expertise in critical care and pain management, Dr. Afzal is dedicated to providing safe, effective, and innovative anaesthesia solutions. With a special focus on regional anaesthesia, perioperative care, and paediatric anaesthesia, Dr. Afzal ensures optimal patient outcomes and seamless surgical experiences.

Fellowship & Membership

- Indian Society of Anaesthesiologists
- All India Difficult Airway Association
- Indian Academy of Pediatric Anaesthesiologists
- Society of Onco Anaesthesia and Perioperative Care
- Indian College of Anaesthesiologists

Field of Expertise

- Regional Anaesthesia
- Advanced Airway Management
- Medical Law & Ethics

Languages Spoken

- English
- Bengali
- Hindi

Awards & Achievements

- Gold medal in Paediatrics in Final MBBS(II) examination.
- Instructor for ACLS/BLS course.
- Faculty at Hemodynamic Monitoring Workshop held at B M Birla Heart Research Centre during ISAWBCON 2011.
- Panelist on a panel discussion on “Sepsis Management Beyond Antibiotics – PBLD” at ISAJAC 2015 held at Kolkata.
- Faculty at the “First Basic Workshop on Ultrasound Guided Regional Anaesthesia” held at Medica Superspecialty Hospital in September 2017.
- Faculty at “ISSH-KASS 2nd Basic Hand Course 2018” (Lecture on “Anaesthesia for Wrist & Hand Surgeries”).
- Faculty at 9th Annual National Airway Conference of AIDAA (Lecture on “Difficult Airway Management in Cardiac Arrest Victim”) held on 9th September 2018.
- Faculty at ISACON West Bengal 2019 (Lecture on “Who Has a Right to Consent”) held on 2nd November 2019.
- Faculty at ISACON West Bengal 2021 (Lecture on “The Hyperglycemic Patient”) held on 2nd October 2021.
- Faculty at CME on Paediatric Anaesthesia under the aegis of IAPA BENGAL Chapter held on June 25, 2022 (Lecture on “Consent and Paediatric Anaesthesia”).
- Faculty at “Simulation Based Advanced Hemodynamic Monitoring Workshop” organised by Research Society of Anaesthesiology and Clinical Pharmacology on 23rd July 2022.
- Faculty at ISACON East Zone 2022 (Lecture on “Uterotonics – Where do we Stand Now”) held on 24th September, 2022.
- Faculty at Metrocon 2023 (Panel discussion on Difficult airway management: Challenges, skills and solutions), held on 22-23 July 2023.
- Faculty at Midterm meeting of Indian Association of Paediatric Anaesthesiologists (Lecture on Consent and Pediatric Anaesthesia) held on 12-13 August 2023.
- Faculty at PERIZIA 2023 organised by IPGMER & SSKM Hospital, Kolkata (Workshop on Airway Management and Basic Life Support) held on 16-19 August 2023.
- Faculty at ISAWB PG BootCamp held on 16-17th March 2024. Topic – Recent Advances (Drugs, techniques, devices, AI).
- Faculty at the CME of the 5th Annual conference of Kolkata Society of Anaesthesiologists, METROCON 2024 on 7th July 2024. Topic – Parliament Session “Rocuronium Sugammadex combination should be reserved for anticipated difficult airway situation only” – For the motion.
- Faculty at ISACONWB 2024 held on 31st August & 1st September. Lecture on “The Ways & Means to Keep a Patient Nice & Warm – Is It Time We Have a National Guideline?”.

Talks & Publications

- Central Venous Cannulation. Journal of the Vivekananda Institute of Medical Sciences. 2009; 32(II): 57-61.
- Amiya K. Mishra, Mumtaz Afzal, Siddhartha S. Mookerjee, Kasturi H. Bandyopadhyay, Abhijit Paul. Pre-emptive analgesia: Recent trends and evidences. Indian Journal of Pain 2013; Vol 27(3): pages 114-120.
- Reena, Kasturi H. Bandyopadhyay, Mumtaz Afzal, Amiya K. Mishra, Abhijit Paul. Labor Epidural Analgesia: Past, present and future. Indian Journal of Pain 2014; Vol 28(2): pages 71-81.
- Akshay K. Gadre, Kasturi H. Bandyopadhyay, Mumtaz Afzal, Amiya K. Mishra. Anaesthetic Challenge in Corrective Hand Surgery in a Child with Russell-Silver Syndrome. MGM J Med Sci 2017; 4(3): 146-148.