

Dear Friends,

By the time you will receive this issue of the Indian Journal of Ophthalmic Anaesthesia, we will be having monsoon rains all around. Already there are news of heavy pouring in some of the cities, monsoon comes as a big relief in dampening the heat waves.

Advancements are happening in every field and so is the case with Anaesthesia. We keep innovating and finding out newer ways of handling difficult scenarios. Digitalization has given feet and wings to share the knowledge, newer ideas and management of challenging cases.

This issue includes randomised controlled studies on dexmedetomidine sedation in elderly patients for cataract surgery and on relation of OCR with extraocular muscles in strabismus surgery. Review article on advantages and disadvantages of supraglottic airway devices and endotracheal tubes as a definitive airway devices in ophthalmic surgeries will help the readers to make decision for airway management. A case report of difficult intubation in neonate highlights the importance of history and also provide tips to manage the situation when intubation is not possible. We all know the importance of simulators as it helps us to teach and train the correct techniques of different procedure. In this issue, sub-Tenon's block simulator functioning has been discussed in detail.

I hope this issue will provide some new information to most of the readers. Your feedbacks will always be helpful in making it better. The preparation for the Annual conference in Hyderabad is already in full swing. Hope to see you in the conference.



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