

# **Nepal Medical Association's Profile**



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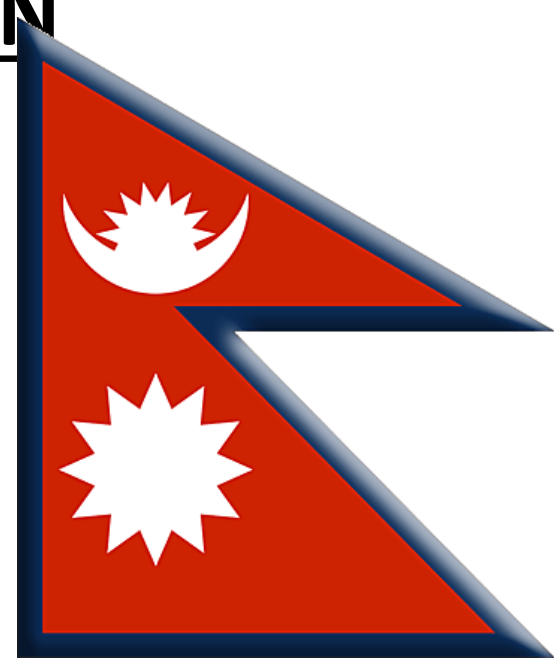
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# GENERAL INFORMATION OF NEPAL MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

- It is the oldest professional organization in Nepal. It was established on 1951. The association was started by only 20 doctors.
- Life Member of Nepal Medical Association is 6164 till the date .
- There are 32 speciality Societies affiliated with Nepal Medical Association.



# GENERAL INFORMATION OF NEPAL MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

- 15 Branches NMA Office all over the country.
- There are 32 speciality Societies affiliated with Nepal Medical Association Constitution such as
  - Society of Surgeons of Nepal
  - Society of Internal Medicine of Nepal and so on.

# OBJECTIVES OF THE NMA

- The association shall be committed for the unrestrained enjoyment and protection of democracy and human rights derived for the historical democratic movement.
- To protect the justifiable rights, interest and respect of profession.
- To support and extend encourage various trainings related to medical field conducted by the association as required by the nation.
- To provide service to the nation by enhancing the competence of medical professional.

# OBJECTIVES.....

- To encourage its members to maintain professional standard, ethics, and independence.
- The association shall maintain affiliation with national and international medical association as per necessity

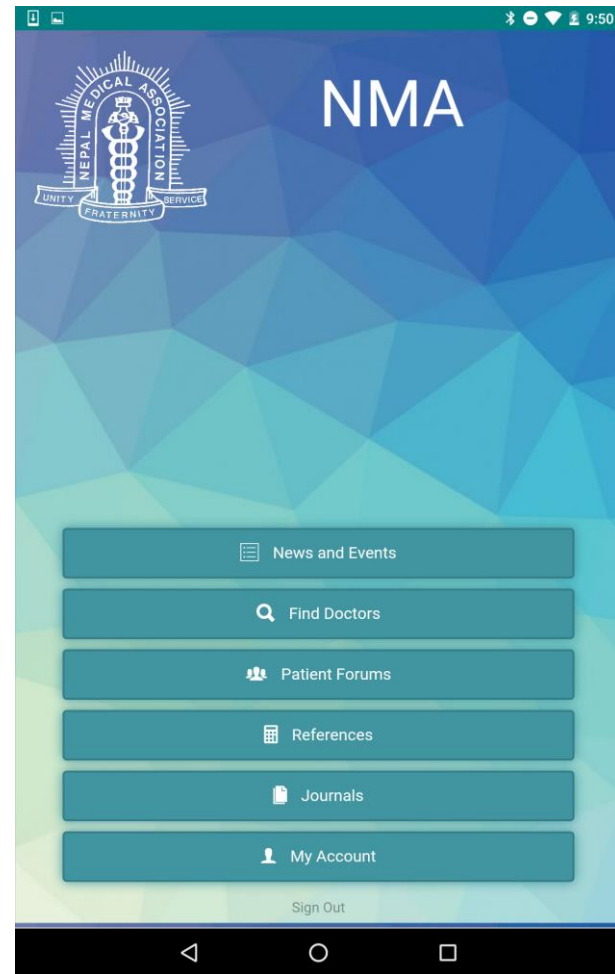
# ACTIVITIES

- Journal of Nepal Medical Association is an official publication of NMA since 1963 and indexed in PubMed/MedLine since 2005. JNMA has met the international standard and uplifting academic medicine in Nepal.
- We have introduced and implemented NMA Apps in order to increase easy access on information of doctors in Nepal. Doctor's profile can be searched by name, surname, specialty, council number, district of Origin, country of graduation, working hospital and any logical keywords.
- The association has been regularly organizing workshops, seminars, and conferences to make the medical professionals fully up-to-date with the advances of medical sciences.

## A glimpse at NMA App

# Nepal Medical Association Mobile app

*An endeavor to bring dynamism in healthcare*





# Doctors Data in App

**13510** Total number of doctors included in the app

**2779** Total no. of Specialists included in the app

**4737** Total no. of Specialist doctors registered in NMC  
(According to the Nepal Medical Council)

**1663** Total no. of doctors working under Nepal Government

**10 -11,000** Projected number of doctors practicing in Nepal



**NMA Consultative Meeting on Revision of NMC Act and Regulation**



**JNMA Training on Scientific Writing**



**NMA Welcomes New Health Minister**

# ACTIVITIES.....

- We have small guest house with the bed number of 12. It is only the use of NMA Life Member who is coming out of valley.
- We have some scholarship program for Under Graduate and Post Graduate Medical students.
- We have some provision to provide scholarship for Life Members (who have passed away) children.
- We have completed the Digitalization of Journal of Nepal Medical Association (JNMA) since 1963 to till the date.

# Activities

- NMA has been constantly working for the upliftment of Health system in Nepal where by it suggested National Health Profession Education Policy Commission regarding "Medical Education system and skilled manpower“.
- An internal interaction program was organized by NMA addressing issues of "Health System and Structure in Federalism System of Nepal.“
- NMA had organized interaction program entitled "Position of Doctors under the Draft Constitution of Nepal" with participation of all the valley directors, specialty societies, representatives and other renowned doctors. The meeting submit issues related to "Formation of constitutional body for implementation of Medical Service and Education System, and Inclusion in Constitution of Nepal" to Honorable Speaker, Honorable Prime Minister, and Honorable Health Minister of Nepal.



Picture 1. Protest against the perpetrators by the health professionals in Kanti Children Hospital Kathmandu, Nepal .11 September 2011



Picture 2. Damaged Infrastructure of health set-up by perpetrators





Picture 3. A protest rally organized by health professionals in Tribhuvan University Teaching Hospital, Kathmandu Nepal. 31 March 2010

# Implementation of Health Professional Protection ACT 2066

- Nepalese doctors and the health institutions have been facing difficult and unpleasant situations. The moral of the doctors and their health service terms have degraded because of the growing number of attacks they have been encountering.
- NMA has been trying to draw the attention of the concerned authorities about the trend of rising violence against the health-care providers and to the overall negative impact to the health service. Therefore, recently health professional protect Act is implemented.





FEW CLICKS of EARTHQUAKE AFFECTED AREAS

# After the Earthquake (Accomplishments)

- In the month of April, various regions of Nepal were hit by the massive earthquake. The need for medical assistance, equipment and relief materials were in high demand. Thus, NMA did their best to minimize the catastrophic effects of the disaster by providing relief materials, services and by organizing numerous medical health camps.
- NMA together with support from various supportive National and International organization organized Psychosocial Counselling Training Programs (AMDA International), health camps and medical/relief distribution for earthquake affected regions.

**NEPAL MEDICAL  
ASSOCIATION (NMA)**

**AND**

**CMAAO**

**(Confederation of Medical Associations in Asia and Oceania)**

**EARTHQUAKE RELIEF FUND**



# International Organizations Support to Earthquake Victims





NMA Post Earthquake Psychosocial Counselling Training  
(AMDA INTERNATIONAL)





# Proposed activities of NMA

1. We propose to include all the doctors of Nepal in our NMA App of Nepal.
2. Conduct the survey about find out existing situation of medical doctors all over the Nepal.
3. Capacity Building for NMA members.
4. We have finalized 27<sup>th</sup> ANEMECON conference for 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> November in Dharan, Nepal which has theme of "Fundamental Health Rights: Ensuring the Implementation." The details can be viewed from: <http://anemecon2016.org/>
5. Training for Medical Journal Editors, Author and Peer Reviewer.
6. Workshop for the proper implement of Health Professional Protection Act in the country.

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7. Conduct a Medical Conference entitled "The Importance of District Coverage and Primary Health Care Services".
8. Medical Waste Management Workshop.
9. Interaction program on the problems and challenges of NMA at 21st Century and various medical diseases found in Nepal.
10. Consultative meeting with Editors and Reporters of health desk of National Newspapers.
11. Interaction program on NMC Act and Drug Act amendment.
12. Lobbying for one window system entrance and ceiling of fees for undergraduate and post-graduate students.
13. Consultative meeting with concerned authorities for formation of Medical University in Nepal.

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14. To conduct follow up training in various earthquake affected regions of Nepal

15. As many volunteers are constantly mobilized in various disastrous regions, we are in constant touch with them to provide necessary support and relief materials

16. The natural disasters such as Flood & landslide have occurred in high rates, we have been seeking resources and mobilizing them in affected districts



Relief Materials and Health Camp organized in Earthquake Affected Regions



Organized distribution of Relief Materials and Health camps

**Thank You for  
your kind  
Attention.**