



# EMKERALA 2026

UNITED FOR EMERGENCY MEDICINE

Annual State Conference of  
Emergency Medicine Association,  
Kerala Chapter

 April 19 & 24 - 26, 2026

 Apollo Adlux Hospital, Angamaly

UNITY IN VISION | INTEGRITY IN ACTION | EXCELLENCE IN CARE

Largest State Conference of Emergency Medicine in India

Pre-conference workshops on 19<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> April, 2026

### Partner Institutes



Dear Colleagues and Friends,

It is with great pride and sincere warmth that we invite you to **EM KERALA 2026**, state conference of the Emergency Medicine Association (EMA) Kerala Chapter, scheduled from **19 & 24 - 26, 2026** in Kochi, the vibrant heart of Kerala.

Kerala has long been recognised as a beacon of healthcare excellence in India, distinguished by a strong public health system, progressive medical education and an unwavering commitment to quality patient care. Building on this legacy, Emergency Medicine in Kerala has evolved into a dynamic, academically robust and clinically impactful discipline driven by dedicated clinicians, educators, institutions and emerging leaders.

With the inspiring theme "**United for Emergency Medicine**," EM KERALA 2026 is envisioned as more than a conference. It is a collaborative platform where knowledge translates into action, skills converge with leadership, and the Emergency Medicine community comes together with a unified voice to advance patient outcomes, strengthen systems and enhance preparedness.

We are honoured to host this conference in association with Apollo Hospitals and in collaboration with some of the region's most respected academic and clinical institutions, including Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences, Lourde Hospital, Medical Trust and Renai Medicity. This partnership reflects our shared commitment to advancing Emergency Care through education, research, innovation, and teamwork.

We warmly welcome you to Kochi—a city that seamlessly blends tradition with modernity and serves as Kerala's global gateway, renowned for its hospitality, connectivity and rich culture. While engaging with the academic vibrancy of EM KERALA 2026, we hope you also take home the enduring spirit of Kerala.

Let us come together, learn together, and grow together.

**United for Emergency Medicine.**

Warm regards,  
Organising Committee  
EM KERALA 2026

## EM KERALA 2026

### A Legacy of Learning, Leadership & Emergency Care Excellence

Emergency Medicine Association (EMA) has been at the forefront of strengthening Emergency Care across India—building a powerful academic platform through structured training, evidence-based practice, leadership development and national collaboration.

EM KERALA, the flagship state conference of EMA Kerala Chapter, has evolved into a landmark academic celebration, bringing together:

- Emergency Physicians
- Intensivists & Anaesthesiologists
- Emergency Medicine & Trauma Nurses
- EMS & Prehospital Professionals
- Medical Students, EM Residents & Faculty

With EM KERALA 2026, we proudly present the largest state conference of Emergency Medicine in the country, hosted in the medical powerhouse of Kochi, with participation from leading centres and experts across India.

### WHY KOCHI? WHY KERALA?

Kerala is nationally recognised for strong healthcare systems, academic excellence, and people-centric care.

- Kochi stands as Kerala's modern medical hub with world-class tertiary centres, academic institutions, and excellent connectivity.
- The city provides the perfect setting for learning, collaboration, and community-building in Emergency Medicine.

### THEME: UNITED FOR EMERGENCY MEDICINE

Emergency Medicine thrives on teamwork. From the first responder to the resuscitation bay, from bedside ultrasound to advanced trauma care Emergency Medicine is unity in action.

EM KERALA 2026 celebrates:

**Collaboration | Academics | Innovation | Systems | Service**

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

### ► April 19<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> - Pre-Conference Workshops (Hands-on)

Multiple centres in Kochi including Apollo Adlux Hospital and premier partner institutions

19<sup>th</sup> April 2026

**EM UG IGNITE:** Emergency Medicine Essentials for Undergraduates  
**Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences, Kochi**

24<sup>th</sup> April 2026

**TRAUMA FIRST:** Essential Trauma Care for Nurses & Paramedics  
**Medical Trust Hospital, Kochi**

**TINY TACTICS:** Pediatric Emergency and Resuscitation Workshop  
**Lourde Hospital, Kochi**

**CODE VENT:** ED Ventilation Masterclass, **Renai Medicity, Kochi**

**ECMO 101:** ECLS and Extracorporeal CPR Essentials  
**Apollo Adlux Hospital, Angamaly**

**TRAUMA EDGE:** Advanced Trauma Assessment and Management  
**Lisie Medicity, Kochi**

**POCUS PRO:** Advanced Point-of-Care Ultrasound in Emergency Medicine, **Apollo Adlux Hospital, Angamaly**

### ► April 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> – Main Conference (Apollo Adlux Hospital)

Key academic features:

- Plenary sessions & keynote talks
- High-yield panel discussions
- Resident academic tracks
- Debate Sessions on Controversial EM Topics
- EM Talks
- EMT & Paramedics Topics
- Research presentations & awards

## WHAT MAKES EM KERALA 2026 SPECIAL?

- Largest State EM Conference in the Country
- Strong academic legacy of EMA
- Hosted with Apollo Hospitals and premier institutions across Kochi
- High-impact workshops + high-yield conference tracks
- A vibrant networking platform for clinicians, residents and faculty



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