

# FIP-WHO Forum of National Associations of SEA Region



Executive Committee

Founded in 2001, SEARPharm Forum is FIP Forum of National Pharmaceutical Organizations in collaboration with WHO Regional Office for South East Asia. Its Headquarter is in New Delhi It has been our continuous endeavor to encourage and support a dialogue and collaboration among national and regional pharmaceutical associations in the South-East Asia region of WHO and WHO SEARO.

## WHO-SEARO



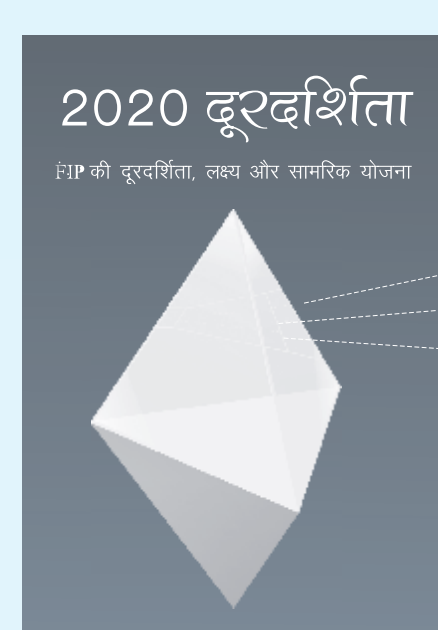
SEARPharm Forum was invited to share its work at the WHO-SEARO's intercountry meeting on promoting rational use of medicines in the community held on 13-15 July, 2010 at New Delhi. Professional Secretary participated and made a presentation on **GPP and Providing Medicines Information to the Public**. President, Teera Chakajanarodom has been nominated by the Headquarter to represent FIP at the sixty third session of the WHO regional committee for South East Asia to be held from 07-10 September, 2010 in Bangkok, Thailand.



## SECRETARIAT

### National Formulary of India

The professional secretary has recently concluded work to assist the revival of the **National Formulary of India (NFI)** after three decades based on the WHO model formulary.



The professional secretary has assisted the translation of the **Strategic Plan FIP Vision 2020** into Hindi.

### FIP vision 2020

## FIP

### MDR-TB Project

A collaborative partnership for strengthening Revised National TB Control Program (RNTCP) by involving community pharmacists is undertaken between **SEARPharm Forum and Lilly in Partnership**. Mrs. Manjiri Gharat of the Indian Pharmaceutical Association is operating this project in Mumbai, India



### PMNCH



The professional secretary who was nominated as regional advisor for the Partnership for Maternal and Newborn Child Health workshop in Dhaka, Bangladesh has successfully created a **partnership through MoU of health care professionals associations of India** for working together in reaching MDGs 4 & 5.

### FIP Foundation for Education and Research

FIP congress travel grants to attend FIP congress in Lisbon, Portugal were awarded to

Mr. Saval Khanal (Nepal)

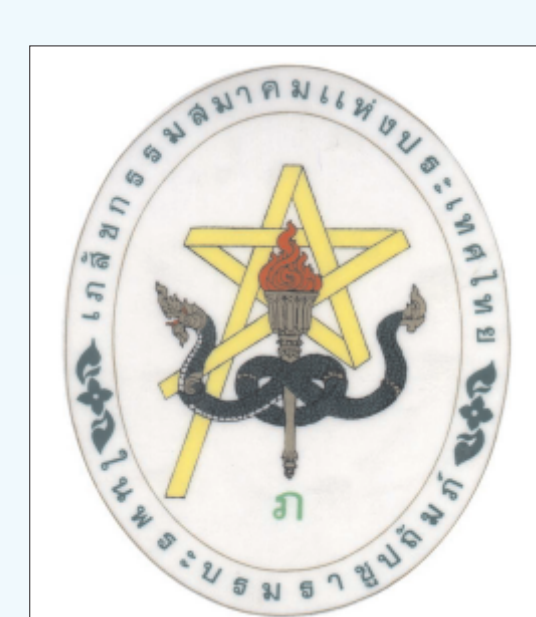


Prof. Panna Thapa (Nepal)

## Member Organisations

### Pharmaceutical Association of Thailand Under Royal Patronage

**Impact of GPP Accredited of Pharmacies:** Not only **quality of pharmacy services** are better after GPP implementation, but also **public awareness on community pharmacy as primary healthcare providers**. Other benefits are: good relationship and collaboration of pharmacy related organizations as a network to escalate the quality of health services to the public in Thailand.



In October 2009, the Indonesian Apoteker (or Pharmacist) got the new health Law and the Government Regulation. Apoteker is now recognized as the only profession responsible in **"practice of pharmaceutical"** in any pharmaceutical services including the community, hospital and manufacturing / industry.

### Indonesian Pharmacist Association

### India Pharmaceutical Association

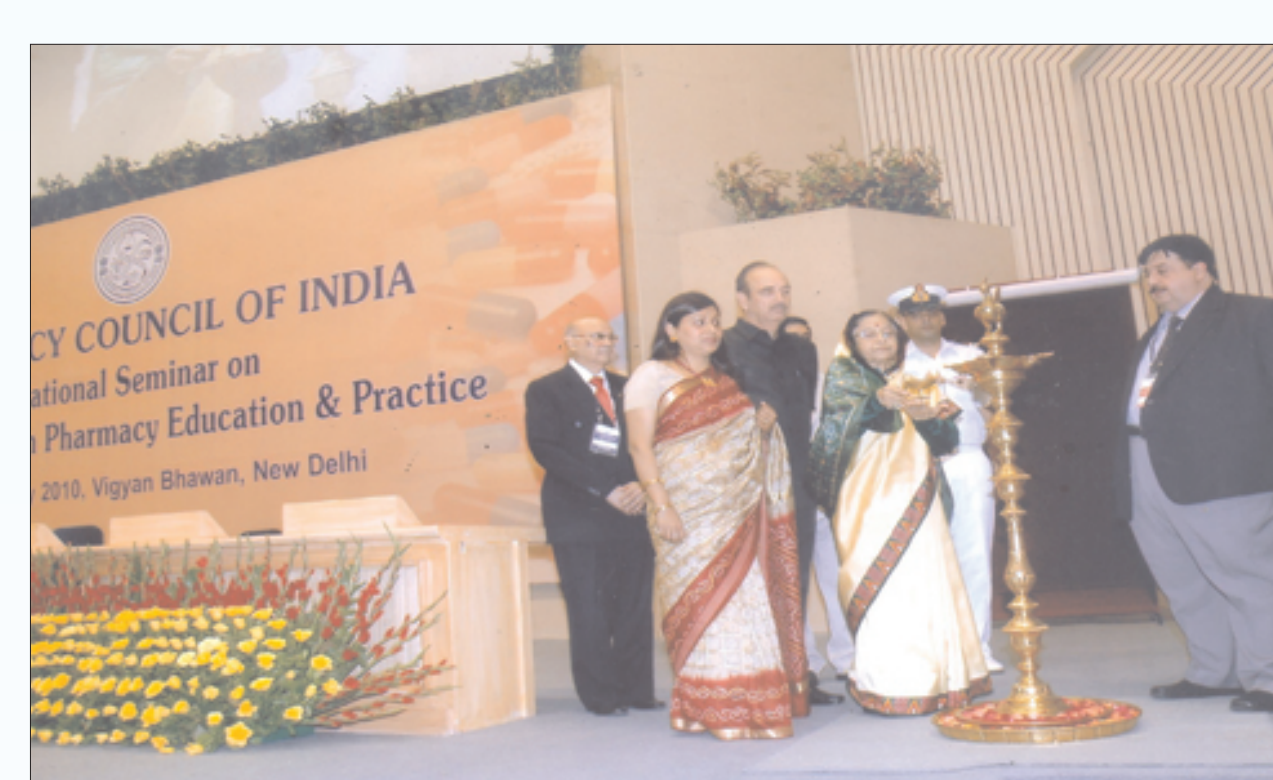


Indian Congress of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences 2010 and Indian Pharmaceutical Association's Convention discussed professional issues and its impact including opportunities for students in three major tracks: **1) Pharma Industry- Emerging Technologies & Regulations 2) Emerging Trends in Pharmacy Practice 3) Pharmacy Education : Assuring Quality & Competencies.**

Dr. Henri Manasse, CEO of the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists, delivered a lecture on The Case for Pharmacy Education Reform in India. There was an exclusive student interaction session with Dr. Henri Manasse, where the current status of the Pharmacy Education and Profession at global level and the future prospects of the profession and various professional opportunities for the students.



### Golden Jubilee Celebration of Pharmacy Council of India



Pharmacy Council of India organized a National seminar on **"Recent Trends in Pharmacy Education & Practice"** on 9-10 July, 2010 at New Delhi. Her Excellency the President of India, inaugurated the program, The minister of Health and Family Welfare was guest of honour. Dr. B. Suresh, President of PCI delivered the keynote address. Mr. Mike Rouse, Asstt. Executive Director, International and professional affairs, accreditation council for pharmacy education delivered a lecture on Recent Trends in Pharmacy Education and Practice.



### Bangladesh Pharmaceutical Society

First Regional conference on the **Future of Hospital Pharmacy in SEA Region** is being organized from 21-23 October, 2010 in Dhaka, Bangladesh.



**Let's meet in Hyderabad**

**World Congress of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences 2011**  
71st International Congress of FIP