

SECOND NATIONAL RESPIRATORY FELLOW MASTERCLASS 2025 EVENT REPORT

Event Report : Second Respiratory Fellow Masterclass 2025

Event Name :Second Respiratory Fellow Masterclass 2025

Date: 6th December 2025

Venue :MOPD (second floor) Hospital Ampang

Total Participant : 32

Participants:Respiratory Fellows from year 1 to year 3

Overview

With the inauguration of the first respiratory masterclass on 19th October 2024 at Hospital Al Sultan Abdullah (HASA) UiTM, This second respiratory masterclass was a continuation of tradition to produce a heightened knowledge and improve conduct for respiratory fellows. Respiratory training sites in Malaysia exhibit a variability in exposure to sub specialised topics and skills. Some trainees may lack adequate exposure to these cases in their day-to-day clinical practice. Nevertheless, trainees are expected to excel in the Respiratory Medicine Sub-Specialty Exit Viva-Voce (REVEC) examination, requiring a comprehensive understanding and approach to a variety of topics. To address the knowledge gap and enhance the preparedness of trainees for the REVEC examination, respiratory physician from both Public and university hospital respiratory unit are collaborating to organise a respiratory masterclass. This initiative aims to provide clinically driven and oriented sessions, offering exposure to cases not regularly encountered in some training sites.

Program - Morning session

Focuses on Lectures on Respiratory Diseases and Thoracic Radiology

The session was highly interactive with speakers engaging participants to answer and ask more questions. enthusiasm was high among participants.

Afternoon session

Time	Topic	Speaker
0745 - 0800	Registration and opening speech	Dr Justin Tan Yu Kuan Head of respiratory unit HTF Organising chairman
0800 - 0830	Pulmonary Hypertension Overview and strategies of optimising	Dr Fatimah Azmah Respiratory Physician Hospital Sultan Idris Shah Serdang
0830 - 0900	Early Lung cancer screening, Lung Nodule and role of radial EBUS.	Dr Ng Khai Lip Respiratory Physician Hospital Melaka
0900 - 0930	Respiratory Emergencies - what fellow should know	Dr. Mohd Arif Mohd Zim Respiratory consultant KPJ Damasara 2
0930 - 1000	Coffee Break & Breakfast symposium 1 By Sanofi - Real World Management of type 2 Airway Diseases: Clinical Cases and Emerging Evidence	Dr Fatimah Azmah Respiratory Physician Hospital Sultan Idris Shah Serdang
1000 - 1100	Chest Xray Interpretation	Dr Izwan Gouchi Thoracic Radiology Fellow

1100 - 1130	Breakfast symposium 2 By Boehringer Ingelheim : PPF Unpacked : Clinical Guidelines, Landmark Evidence, and a Case- Based Perspective	Dr Syakirin Consultant Respiratory Physician Institute Perubatan Respiratori
1130 - 1230	Chest CT Interpretation	Dr Raja Nor Adila Raja Rahaizat Thoracic Radiology Fellow
1230 - 1400	Lunch Break & Concurrent Lunch Symposium By GSK - Evidence for initial maintenance with maximal bronchodilation for patients with symptomatic COPD	Dr Haly Rosie Respiratory Physician Hospital Sultan Idris Shah Serdang

Was Divided to 2 Groups

Group A - Mock Stations focusing on respiratory emergencies, General respiratory disease and respiratory procedure and ethics

Group B - Respiratory Investigation interpretation

1400 - 1430	Briefing for general station and concurrent session (Dr Aisya Natasha Musa)	
1430 - 1730	Group A	Group B
	Station 1: Respiratory Emergencies	PSG interpretation (Prof Ng Boon Hau & Dr Rashidah
	Station 2 : Core Respiratory	Full Lung Function test Interpretation (Dr Aisya Natasha Musa)
	Station 3 : Respiratory Procedures	ABG interpretation and NIV set up (Dr Tan Sin Nee & Dr Ng Khai Lip)
1800 - 1830	Feedback session to exam candidates	All Examiners

Group A session was done with precision and examiner were satisfied. General feedback on performance of exam candidate were given.

Group B session remains focus and engaging between speakers and participants.

Conclusion

The Second Respiratory Fellow Masterclass 2025 has successfully met the objectives of enlightening and enhancing knowledge, communication and exam viva voce for candidate. Positive feedback from participant and future demand for the next masterclass reflects event relevance and impact on trainees knowledge and preparedness.

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