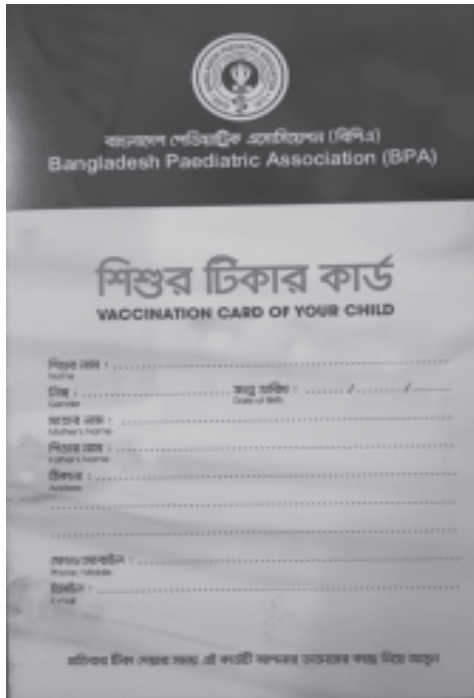


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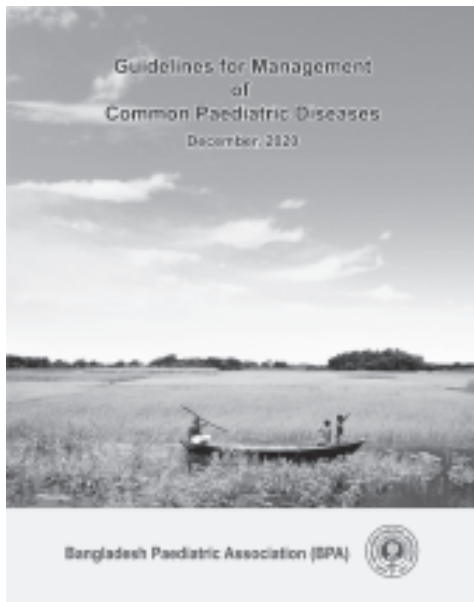


For the 1<sup>st</sup> time BPA has formulated a Vaccination card and planned to distribute among its members immediately. Webinar on “Dissemination of BPA vaccine card” organized by Bangladesh Paediatric Association (BPA) was held on 17th October 2020. Prof. Nazmun Nahar, Professor of Paediatrics & Ex-DG, BIRDEM, Past President, BPA was the chief guest & Prof. Mohammad Shahidullah, President, BMDC & Chairman NTAC for COVID 19 & Prof. MAK Azad Chowdhury, Past Secretary General, BPA were the special Guest of the webinar. Prof. Manzoor Hussain, President, BPA was the key note speaker.

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BPA Webinar on “COVID 19 and Vaccine Update”, was held on 10 September, 2020. The session was chaired by Prof. Mohammad Shahidullah, chairman, National Technical Advisory Committee (NTAC) for COVID-19. Prof. Manzoor Hussain, President BPA was the key note speaker. Dr. Firdousi Quadri, emeritus scientist, and Dr. Tajul Islam A Bari, consultant, icddr.b were panelalists.

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Bangladesh Paediatric Association (BPA), since its inception in 1972 for the first time has published a Guidelines for Management of Common Paediatric disease in December 2020. In the year of 2017, the decision was taken by the then executive committee to publish a guideline for managing common child health problems. Research and publication sub-committee, BPA headed by Prof Shahana A Rahman, started to work on it. This guideline included 24 common paediatrics problems, which were written and subsequently edited by the senior paediatricians. This was a long-desired guideline published to meet the demands and be a source of knowledge of young paediatricians.

**Following Researcher have been Selected for BPA-Prof. LuthfulKabir Research Grant (2020)**

Sl	Name	Title	Name of Guide
01	Dr. Nadia Hossain BSMMU	Detection of Neurological Complications by Cranial Ultrasound in Neonatal Sepsis-A Cross-sectional study	Prof. Md. Shahidullah
02	Dr. Abdullahel Amaan BSMMU	Improvement of Hand Hygiene Practices among the Healthcare Workers in a Neonatal Intensive Care Unit	Prof. Sanjoy Kumer Dey
03	Dr. Sharmistha Ghosal BSMMU	Frequency of Cationic Tripsinogen Gene (PRSS-1) Mutation with Pancreatitis in Children attending a Tertiary Care centre	Prof. ASM Bazlul Karim
04	Dr. Nayma Rahman BSMMU	A Study on Vitamin D status in Children with Chronic Liver Disease attending a tertiary care hospital in Bangladesh and its correlation with severity of liver disease	Prof. ASM Bazlul Karim
05	Dr. Afroza Islam Shuma BSMMU	The Effect of Fenofibrate in Combination with Phototherapy in the Treatment of Neonatal Unconjugated Hyperbilirubinemia: a Randomized Clinical Trial	Prof. Md. Abdul Mannan
06	Dr. Sagar Kumar Gupta BSMMU	Risk Factors and Clinical outcome of neonate with persistent pulmonary hypertension	Prof. Md. Abdul Mannan
07	Dr. Rumana Islam BSMMU	Risk factors and Radiological Profile in Patient with Pediatric Arterial Ischemic Stroke	Prof. Shaheen Akhter
08	Dr. Mohtarama Mostari BSMMU	Early versus late enteral probiolytic iron supplementation in preterm infants: a randomized controlled trial	Prof. Md. Abdul Mannan
09	Dr. Poonam Bodh BSMMU	Frequency and Risk Factors of Continuous Positive Airway Pressure (CPAP) Failure in Preterm Neonates	Prof. Sanjoy Kumer Dey
10	Dr. Urmi Roy BSMMU	Prediction of esophageal varices by Transient Elastography, Fib-4, Forns Index and Lok Score in CLD at a tertiary centre.	Prof. Md. Rokunuzzaman
11	Dr. Nahid-E-Subha BSMMU	A study on usefulness of relative exchangeable copper for the diagnosis of Wilson's disease in children attending a tertiary care center of Bangladesh	Prof. ASM Bazlul Karim
12	Dr. Ellen Ferdous BSMMU	Relation of urinary Neutrophil gelatinase associated lipocalin (NGAL) with renal involvement in pediatric SLE patient	Prof. Md. Imnul Islam
13	Dr. Md. Tariqul Islam Mondal, ICMH	Association of Karyotypes with Congenital Heart Disease in Children with Down Syndrome	Prof. Wahida Khanam
14	Dr. Salma Sultana Shorme, AWMC	Knowledge, attitude and practices of mothers on bronchiolitis in children	Prof. ARM Luthful Kabir
15	Dr. Sanghita Ghose ICMH	Thyroid function status in children with nephrotic syndrome in a selected tertiary care hospital, Dhaka	Prof. Wahida Khanam
16	Dr. Sharif Ashraful Habib AWMC, Dhaka	Clinical Spectrum of Chest Retraction in Young Children (1 month to 5 years) of a Tertiary Care Hospital	Prof. ARM Luthful Kabir
17	Dr. Md. Iqbal Hossain ICMH	Association of Serum Vitamin D Levels with first attack of Febrile Seizures in Children: A case control study	Prof. Wahida Khanam
18	Dr. Mohammed Hossain Chittagong MC	Diagnostic Value of Urinary Neutrophil Gelatinase Associated lipocalin in Detecting AKI in Asphyxiated Neonates	Prof. Jagadish Chandra Das