

## Information

### DOWN SYNDROME-MEDICAL BENEFIT-DONATION

Voluntary contributions and donations are welcome from individuals, philanthropists and organizations, towards the Down Syndrome Medical Benefit Scheme at the St. John's Medical College, Bangalore. The cheque or DD may be drawn in favour of "St. John's Medical College".

In the instance of availing the IT benefit – 80G, cheque or DD may be drawn in favour of "CBCI Society for Medical Education".

In the accompanying letter, it may be mentioned that it is for the purpose of medical benefit to the individuals affected with Down syndrome.

The criteria for availing the financial assistance is as follows:

Individuals with Down syndrome admitted in St. John's Medical College Hospital, Bangalore for any major medical and or surgical intervention whose family is in dire need might apply through Chief of Medical Services to Associate Director, St. John's Medical College, Bangalore.

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### NEWS ABOUT MEMBERS OF THE EDITORIAL BOARD OF THE JOURNAL

On behalf of the Members of the Editorial Board of *International Journal of Human Genetics*, we congratulate the following Members of the Editorial Board of the journal,

**Dr. Jai Rup Singh** (Professor of Human Genetics, Co-ordinator Center for Genetic Disorder, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar 143 005, Punjab, India).

He has been appointed Vice-Chancellor of Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar since July 23, 2006 for a tenure of 3 years, and

**Dr. Prochi Madon**, Ph.D. (Hon. Geneticist, Department of Assisted Reproduction and Genetics, Jaslok Hospital and Research Centre, Mumbai 400 026, Maharashtra, India).

She has been elected to the ISCN (International System of Cytogenetic Nomenclature) committee. She is the only representative from India, and one of two candidates from Asia who have been elected for tenure of 5 years.

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