

# National Neonatology Forum



## NNF-SONIC

### National Neonatology Forum Sonography for Optimising Neonatal Intensive Care

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1<sup>st</sup> July 2024 to 15<sup>th</sup> December 2024

Duration  
of The  
Course:  
Six  
Months

#### USP of the NNF-SONIC Course:

1. Course taught by top class academicians in neonatology with more than two decades of experience in POCUS.
2. Careful mix of weekly online classes by mentors and five days contact periods on two occasions to intensify and consolidate the learning.
3. Covers cardiac, cranial, lung, vascular and other miscellaneous utilities of USG.
4. A carefully designed course manual - completely free of cost.
5. Lifelong access to the (upcoming) course website with videos and case studies.
6. Teaching using simulators and phantoms for safe training (upcoming).
7. Fortnight hemodynamics case based discussions with the whole group.



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NNF - President 2024



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NNF - Secretary General 2023-24

**Course Directors:  
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**Mentors**



**Dr. Anup Thakur**  
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**Dr. Kamal Deep Arora**  
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## Outline of the Course

- Ten hours lectures to kick start the course
- Twenty weeks of online teaching on an one - to - one basis with dedicated mentors
- Two contact periods of five days each to one of the nearby centre - second month and fifth month for intensification and consolidation, respectively.
- Log book maintenance, archiving of images and clips for reviewing by mentors for hand holding and corrections.
- Exit assessment and certification of attendance and successful participation from NNF.
- Certificates to successful candidates will be awarded during National NEOCON.

## Students Intake in The First Batch

Three Students Per Mentor (40 Maximum)

## Who Should Apply

- DM / DrNB Neonatology trainee students.
- Students undergoing Clinical Fellowship in Neonatology.
- Pediatricians managing neonatal units.
- Teaching faculty managing neonatal units in medical colleges and DNB institutions.

## Selection Method

- Application form to be submitted to the NNF office (Goggle Form) link can we found below.
- After scrutinisation of forms, selection will be done based on an online interview by the POCUS committee of the NNF.
- Physical contact period allotment of centre will be done based on the vicinity principle and shall be decided by the POCUS committee of the NNF.

## Important Dates

- Last Date for Application : 24<sup>th</sup> June 2024.
- Selection Interview : 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> June 2024 (online).
- Start of Course on 1<sup>st</sup> July with an introduction meeting of selected students, mentors and NNF president and secretary.
- First Set of Online Lectures : 5-7<sup>th</sup> July 2024 (9 Hours of Talks).

## Course Fees

**Rs. 25,000/- Plus GST (As Applicable\*)**

- Fees does not include travel and accommodation expenses for the trainee students for onsite training.

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