

#### **4<sup>th</sup> April 2015: Gynaecological Endoscopic Live Surgery Workshop, GET (Gynaecological Endoscopy Today) – 2015**

The Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Endoscopy Committee of FOGSI and Bhubaneswar Obstetrics and Gynaecological Society (BOGS) jointly organised the gynaecological endoscopic live surgery workshop, **GET (Gynaecological Endoscopy Today) – 2015** on 4<sup>th</sup> April 2015. Theme of the workshop was “*Minimal Access Maximal Benefit*”.

Under the patronage of Prof. A. K. Mahapatra, Director, AIIMS, Bhubaneswar, Dr Saubhagya Kumar Jena, Assistant Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology was the organizing secretary, Dr K Pushpalatha, Assistant Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology and Dr Sweta Singh, Assistant Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology were the joint organising secretaries.

The workshop was inaugurated by our Director Prof. A. K. Mahapatra. In his inaugural address, he emphasised the role of Endoscopy in the treatment of different diseases and its beneficial effects. Around 100 delegates from different parts of Odisha and West Bengal attended the workshop. Experienced and skilled gynaecological endoscopic surgeons from different parts of our country performed the surgeries.

#### **The Faculties**

1. Dr Udhav Raj (Mumbai)
2. Dr Mehul V Sukhadiya (Ahmedabad)
3. Dr Sandesh Kade (Solapur)
4. Dr Sujal Munish (Ahmedabad)
5. Dr Bijoy Kumar Nayak (Bhubaneswar)
6. Dr Sujit Kumar Behera (Bhubaneswar)
7. Dr Pradip Kumar Panigrahi (Bhubaneswar)

#### **Surgical Procedures Performed**

1. Laparoscopic Wertheim's Hysterectomy
2. Laparoscopic Myomectomy
3. Total Laparoscopic Hysterectomy (TLH)
4. Laparoscopic Cervicopexy,
5. Laparoscopic Sacro-colpopexy
6. Diagnostic Hystero-Laparoscopy (DHL)

The surgical procedures transmitted live simultaneously from two operation theatres in Trauma block to the Mini Auditorium in Nursing College. It started at 8.30 am in morning and continued till 6 pm. The interactive discussions among the faculty and delegates were very informative. Our MBBS students also attended the workshop and interacted with the guest faculty members. It was a good academic feast for the delegates, residents and students. The feedback, both by the delegates and faculties was very good; they suggested that more number of similar workshops should be conducted to improve the skills of gynaecological surgeons.



**Inauguration of GET – 2015 by our Director Prof. A. K. Mahapatra**



**Inaugural address by our Director Prof. A. K. Mahapatra**



**Delegates during Interactive Surgery in the Mini Auditorium**



**Guest Faculty Performing Laparoscopic Surgery in our Operation Theatre**