



## **DR. HA VENKATESH**

Consultant - Neonatology, Paediatrics

### **Qualification**

MBBS | DNB (Paediatrics) | Fellowship in Neonatology (Australia)

### **Overview**

Dr. H. A. Venkatesh is a household name among the residents of Bengaluru, as he is a highly skilled and competent medical professional with a calm and friendly approach, with more than 30 years of experience in treating kids and teenagers. At present, he is associated with Manipal Hospitals situated in Old Airport Road, Bengaluru, as a Consultant - Neonatology and Paediatrics since 2001. He is the first neonatal specialist to introduce bedside functional echo and ultrasound to monitor the vitals of newborns and babies. He was awarded a fellowship in the field of neonatology by the University of Australia. He is well-versed in several paediatric care procedures, such as intensive care, allergies, and pulmonology among kids and adolescents. After completing his undergraduate course, Dr. Venkatesh opted for a DNB course in the field of Paediatrics. Later, he pursued Post Graduation in the field of Paediatric Nutrition at Boston University. This paediatrician also had hands-on training as an observer at NICU Boston's Tufts Medical Center located in the USA. Paediatric Critical Care Medicine, paediatrics, asthma, and paediatric allergy are his areas of expertise. He was the first to create Neonatal Neurosonography and Neonatal

Functional Echocardiography Certification programs with Manipal University approval to train and nurture budding neonatologists. He is also the instructor at The Neonatal Resuscitation Program, in India, where he trains budding neonatologists to enhance their neonatal handling skills to care and avoid mortality and morbidity caused by birth asphyxia. Dr. Venkatesh is the best neonatologist in Bangalore. Dr. Venkatesh has an eye for diagnosing and treating various allergic diseases like wheezing issues, allergic reactions, prolonged or persistent cough and cold, eczema, allergic rhinitis, insect bite-triggered allergy, lung malfunction, skin allergy, and food allergy. He is eminent in performing the lung function test to identify the onset of asthma and track the function of the lungs. Dr. Venkatesh has published several research works and papers at different conferences that have received immense appreciation from his peers in the paediatric arena. He has also published about 35 books under international and national publishers. He also guides the students doing postgraduate thesis programs for the DNB course in the neonatology field. His extensive years of experience in the field of neonatology and paediatrics has helped him achieve immense fame, awards, and recognition at national and international level. The American Academy of Paediatrics or AAP has conferred Dr. H. A. Venkatesh the India GINI Fund award for his relentless services. As the doctor speaks five different languages like Telugu, Tamil, English, Hindi, and Kannada, the parents of children and adolescents can discuss the medical conditions of their kids easily.

### **Field of Expertise**

- Neonatology
- Paediatrics
- Bedside Ultrasound and Functional echocardiography

## Languages Spoken

- English
- Kannada
- Hindi
- Tamil
- Telugu

## Awards & Achievements

- India Giani fund awarded by American Academy of Paediatrics - worked as an observer in neonatal intensive care at Tufts Medical center, Boston, USA
- First to start Certification program in Neonatal Functional Echocardiography and neonatal neurosonography under Manipal University
- Guide for postgraduate DNB thesis program - Neonatology
- Awarded India GINI Fund award (AAP- American academy of Paediatric)
- Awarded Post graduate Paediatric Nutrition form Boston University
- Instructor for neonatal resuscitation India
- Starting certification program in functional Echocardiography and Neurosonogram approved by Manipal University
- First to start bed side Ultrasound and functional echo

## Talks & Publications

- 35 National and International publications Books published
- Ultrasound and echocardiography for the neonatologist
- Neonatal Bedside Ultrasound - an extension to physical examination