Centre for Management of Health Services  
(IIMA - CMHS Seminar Series)

**Topic**  
Quality Management and Institutionalized Hospital Care

**Speaker**  
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**Venue**  
Wing- 11 Faculty Lounge, IIMA

**Day & Date**  
Friday, December 19, 2014

**Time**  
3.15 P.M. (After an informal interaction over tea, the Seminar will begin at 3.30 p.m.)

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**Abstract**

Muljibhai Patel Urological Hospital was conceived to develop as a super speciality hospital in Kidney diseases in 1978. At that time there was no institutionalized hospital for catering to the kidney diseases. It was started with a very modest beginning of 20 beds, 30 staff and visiting Urologists and Nephrologists. In the last 37 years hospital has grown Nationally as well as Internationally. It is the Centre of Excellence which has now become 170 bedded hospital with 380 staff and 40 doctors.

MPUH has involved with three main areas namely, (i) Patient Care, (ii) Medical Education--teaching to be specialist; (iii) Academic & Research activity.

It took team effort to achieve the quality in each of this. Believing in quality management, planning, control, assurance, improvement and consistency, Dr. Desai will be sharing in detail not only about Kidney Transplant, Stone Management, Laparoscopy, Robotic Surgery but also Teaching and Training.

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**Speaker's Profile**

Dr. Mahesh Desai  
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Dr. Mahesh Desai did his undergraduate and post graduate (MS) studies from B J Medical College under the auspices of Pune University, India. He was trained in Urology and received fellowship (FRCS) from the Royal College of Surgeons of London and Edinburgh in 1973.

He was the Chairman of the Department of Urology at Muljibhai Patel Urological Hospital since 1983 till 12th June, 2010. He is the Managing Trustee of MPUH and Honorary Managing Director of Muljibhai Patel Society for Research in Nephro-Urology since 16th February, 2001, Medical Director of MPUH since 12th June, 2010 and the Director of the Jayaramdas Patel Academic Center.

Dr. Desai has published 750 scientific papers, 174 scientific papers in national & international journals contributed in more than 30 books and conducted 230 workshops.

Dr Desai was awarded the prestigious Dr. B.C. Roy National Award for the year 2000 in “Recognition of the best talents in encouraging the development of Specialties in different branches of Medicine” by the President of India. He served the Endourology Society in various capacities.

Dr. Desai’s is the first Indian to have the honor of being elected as a member of American Association of Genito-Urinary Surgeons. He was also the first Indian to deliver a Guest Lecture in the plenary session of American Urological Association’s Annual Conference held in Chicago on 30th April, 2003. Under his leadership India hosted the first Video Urology Conference in 2000 and the World Congress on Endourology, in November, 2004 at Mumbai.