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We are delighted to invite you to the
11th Annual SIMULUS Conference – India's most prominent and
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SIMULUS 11 Brings Together:

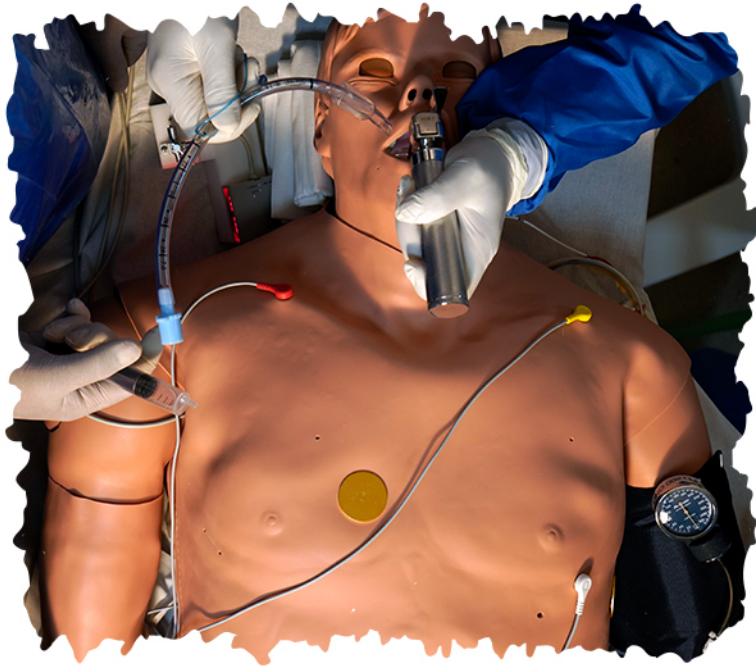
- ▶ Clinicians
- ▶ Simulation Educators
- ▶ Researchers
- ▶ Nurses & Allied Health Professionals
- ▶ Simulation Technicians
- ▶ Healthcare Administrators

This conference aims to foster excellence in simulation-based medical education,
patient safety, clinical competence, and innovation-driven training methodologies.



VYDEHI ADVANCED SIMULATION ACADEMY (VASA)

VASA stands as South East Asia's largest and most advanced healthcare simulation academy, offering a world-class environment for immersive training.



Key Features

- ▶ 42,000 sq. ft. state-of-the-art simulation space.
- ▶ 15 specialized high-fidelity simulation zones.
- ▶ Fully equipped ICU, OT, NICU, OBG, Emergency simulation units.
- ▶ Advanced debriefing suites & procedural skills stations.
- ▶ Virtual Reality (VR) immersive training.
- ▶ Apartment & Ambulance Simulation Units.
- ▶ AHA Authorized Training Centre.

VASA continues to shape the future of medical training by integrating advanced technologies and global best practices.

PediSTARS (PEDIATRIC SIMULATION TRAINING AND RESEARCH SOCIETY OF INDIA)



Since its inception in 2013, PediSTARS has been a national leader in:

- ▶ Pediatric simulation advocacy.
- ▶ Simulation-based curriculum development.
- ▶ Simulation research & innovation.
- ▶ Building a network of simulation educators.
- ▶ Strengthening quality & safety practices.

SIMULUS is the flagship annual event that showcases advancements in pediatric simulation and multidisciplinary training excellence.



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Dr. Luca Tortorolo	Italy
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Dr. Nalini Singhal	Canada
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CONFERENCE DAY – 23rd AUGUST 2026

The Conference Day of **SIMULUS 11** brings together leading clinicians, educators, and simulation experts for a day of insightful discussions and knowledge exchange in healthcare simulation.

The program will feature keynote lectures, expert panel discussions, and interactive sessions focusing on innovations, research, and best practices in simulation-based medical education. Participants will gain valuable insights into improving clinical training, teamwork, crisis management, and patient safety through the effective integration of simulation in healthcare education.

This day provides a unique opportunity to learn from national and international experts, share experiences, and connect with professionals dedicated to advancing healthcare simulation.



SIMULUS 11 Focus Areas

- ▶ Innovation in Simulation Technology
- ▶ Contextualization of Training Across Specialties
- ▶ Accreditation Standards & Quality Assurance
- ▶ Patient Safety & Crisis Resource Management (CRM)
- ▶ Debriefing Excellence
- ▶ Simulation Faculty Development
- ▶ Interdisciplinary Team Training
- ▶ Simulation in Competency-Based Medical Education (CBME)
- ▶ Simulation Research & Publication

PRE-CONFERENCE SIMULATION WORKSHOPS – 22ND AUGUST 2026



NeoSIM – Neonatal
Emergencies by Simulation



STEP – Simulation
Training in
Emergency Pediatrics



Trauma Simulation
Workshop



SNAP – Simulation
for Nurses in Acute care Practice



CBME Simulation
Integration Workshop



SimPACT–
Simulation for Impact



SIM Vent–Mechanical
Ventilation through
Simulation

Each workshop offers hands-on, immersive, high-fidelity simulation training.

FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM – 21ST & 22ND AUGUST 2026

The FDP equips educators with essential skills to create, deliver, and assess simulation-based learning.



Principles of
adult learning



Scenario design,
scripting & facilitation



CRM & team training



Structured debriefing
techniques



Curriculum integration
strategies



Designing high-realism
simulation with
cost-effective approaches

Ideal for: Medical faculty, nursing educators, clinical trainers, and simulation facilitators.

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NeoSIM Workshop

Neonatal Emergencies by Simulation

NeoSIM is an intensive, one-day, simulation-based workshop designed to equip healthcare professionals with the skills required to effectively manage neonatal emergencies in high-pressure environments.

Through a blend of high-and low-fidelity simulation, this program emphasizes not just clinical knowledge, but also critical human factors such as communication, teamwork, and decision-making.



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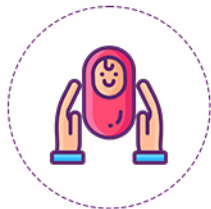
Learning Outcomes

- ▶ Recognize and manage neonatal emergencies effectively.
- ▶ Apply structured clinical approaches in time-critical situations.
- ▶ Enhance teamwork and crisis resource management skills.
- ▶ Reduce errors through improved situational awareness.

Who Should Attend



Pediatricians &
Pediatric Trainees



Neonatologists &
Neonatal Trainees



Anesthetists involved
in neonatal care



Pediatric &
Neonatal Nurses



Pediatric Emergency
Medicine Physicians
& Trainees

Maximum participants: 40
Time – 8.00 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.

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VENUE: KIMS MAHADEVAPURA, BENGALURU

National Coordinators:

Dr Shilpa Kalane (9552024242)

Dr Vijayanad Jamalpur (9866157271)

Local Coordinator:

Dr Srinivasa Murthy CL (9590385655)

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INR: 3500 (Early Bird – 31st May) | 4250 (1st June onwards)

USD: 75 (Early Bird – 31st May) | 90 (1st June onwards)

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STEP Workshop

Simulation Training in Emergency Pediatrics

STEP is a dynamic, one-day, simulation-based workshop designed to empower healthcare professionals with the essential skills to effectively manage pediatric emergencies in high-stakes clinical settings.

Blending high fidelity simulation with hands-on learning, STEP focuses on critical thinking, rapid decision-making, teamwork, and clinical preparedness—bridging the gap between knowledge and real-world practice.



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Learning Outcomes

- ▶ Recognize and manage pediatric emergencies efficiently.
- ▶ Apply structured clinical approaches in real time scenarios.
- ▶ Strengthen teamwork and crisis resource management.
- ▶ Improve decision-making and patient outcomes.

Who Should Attend

Residents and Faculty from



Pediatrics



Emergency Medicine



Anesthesia



Pediatric Surgery



Critical Care/Intensivists



Fellows, Nurses
Paramedics

Maximum participants: 40
Time – 8.00 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.

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National Coordinators:

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Dr Maninder Singh Dhaliwal (9999669415),

Dr Yashaswini K (9962554814)

Local Coordinator: Dr Sujatha Thyagarajan (8123387134)

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VENUE: ASTER WHITEFIELD HOSPITAL, BENGALURU

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Trauma Simulation Workshop

Trauma Emergencies by Simulation

TraumaSIM is an intensive, hands-on, simulation-based workshop designed to equip healthcare professionals with critical skills required to assess, manage and respond effectively in high-stakes trauma situations.

Through realistic, high-fidelity simulation scenarios, this program focuses not only on clinical expertise but also on essential human factors such as communication, teamwork, and rapid decision-making in trauma care.



What You Will Experience

- ▶ Immersive, scenario-based simulations covering Adult, Pediatric & Obstetric trauma.
- ▶ High-realism trauma care environments for experiential learning.
- ▶ Team-based training in trauma code management.
- ▶ Expert-led facilitation by ER Physicians & Simulation Experts.
- ▶ Structured debriefing sessions for reflection and improvement.
- ▶ Trauma skill training and Learning by Gamification.

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Learning Outcomes

- ▶ Perform rapid trauma assessment and prioritize interventions.
- ▶ Apply structured approaches in high-pressure trauma scenarios.
- ▶ Enhance teamwork and communication during trauma resuscitation.
- ▶ Improve crisis resource management and decision-making skills.
- ▶ Strengthen patient safety practices and error prevention.

Who Should Attend



Emergency
Medicine
Physicians



Nurses
(ED, ICU, OR)



Paramedics
& EMS
Personnel



Medical
Students &
Residents



Simulation
Educators &
Co-ordinators

Maximum participants: 40
Time – 8.00 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.

VENUE: KIMS MAHADEV PURA, BENGALURU

National Coordinators:
Dr Jui Lagoo (9740055700)

Local Coordinator:
Dr Gurudutt (7022336783)

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SNAP

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SNAP Workshop

Simulation for Nurses in Acute care Practice

SNAP is a focused, simulation-based workshop designed to empower nurses with the confidence, competence, and clinical skills required to effectively manage emergencies in time-critical settings.

Tailored to address the unique challenges faced by nurses, this program emphasizes early recognition, prompt intervention, communication, and teamwork to enhance patient outcomes.





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Learning Outcomes

- ▶ Identify early signs of deterioration in pediatric & adult patients.
- ▶ Respond effectively in emergency situations.
- ▶ Communicate efficiently with teams and caregivers.
- ▶ Improve confidence in handling high-pressure clinical scenarios.

Who Should Attend

Nurses working in



Pediatric
Emergency
Units



Emergency
Medicine
Departments



Pediatric Intensive
Care Units (PICU)



Pediatric
Operating Rooms



General
Pediatric Wards



Nurse
Educators

Maximum participants: 40
Time – 8.00 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.

VENUE:

VYDEHI INSTITUTE OF NURSING SCIENCES & RESEARCH CENTRE, WHITEFIELD, BENGALURU

National Coordinators:

Dr Manish Kumar (8002020398)

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Local Coordinators: Dr Javed (8143609989)

Ms Kavita Chandrakar (9685863289)

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INR: 2400 (Early Bird 31st May) | 3000 (1st June onwards)

USD: 50 (Early Bird 31st May) | 65 (1st June onwards)

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CBME Workshop

Competency-Based Medical Education for Undergraduate Training

The CBME Workshop is a one-day focused training program based on the Competency-Based Skills Curriculum of the National Medical Commission (NMC) for undergraduate medical education.

This workshop is designed to equip medical college educators with the essential knowledge and practical skills required to effectively implement CBME principles in teaching, assessment, and curriculum delivery.



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Learning Outcomes

- ▶ Understand and apply CBME principles in undergraduate education.
- ▶ Design competency-based lesson plans and teaching strategies.
- ▶ Implement effective assessment methods aligned with competencies.
- ▶ Facilitate skills-based learning in clinical and simulation settings.
- ▶ Enhance learner engagement and outcome-based education.

Who Should Attend



Medical
College
Educators



Faculty involved
in Undergraduate
Medical Education



Clinical &
Pre-clinical
Teaching Faculty

Maximum participants: 40
Time – 8.00 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.

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National Coordinators:

Dr Ebor Jacob James (8870333409)

Dr. Dinkar Pai (9952253404)

National Co - Coordinator: Dr Jolly Chandran (9025854560)

Local Coordinator: Dr. Yashaswini K (9962554814)

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VENUE:

ST JOHN'S MEDICAL COLLEGE & RESEARCH CENTRE, KORAMANGALA, BENGALURU

INR: 5500 (Early Bird 31st May) | 6500 (1st June onwards)

USD: 120 (Early Bird 31st May) | 140 (1st June onwards)

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SIMPACT: Simulation for Impact

SIMPACT Workshop

The Impact QI Workshop is a focused, simulation-based program designed to help healthcare professionals understand and apply Quality Improvement (QI) principles in real-world clinical settings.

Using simulation as a tool, participants will learn how to identify system gaps, test interventions, and drive sustainable improvements in patient care and safety.





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Learning Outcomes

- ▶ Apply QI principles in clinical practice.
- ▶ Identify gaps and safety threats in healthcare systems.
- ▶ Design and implement small-scale QI projects.
- ▶ Use simulation to test processes and improve outcomes.
- ▶ Strengthen patient safety and quality culture.

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Who Should Attend



Healthcare Professionals interested in Quality Improvement



Doctors (Physicians, Residents)



Nurses



Simulation Educators



Quality & Patient Safety Teams



Hospital Administrators

Maximum participants: 40
Time – 8.00 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.

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National Coordinator: Dr. Rakshay Shetty (9535475354)

Local Coordinator: Dr. Pavitra Viswanathan (9686411445)

VENUE: RAINBOW HOSPITAL , MARATHAHALLI, BENGALURU

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SimVent Workshop

Mechanical Ventilation Through Simulation

The SimVent Workshop is a focused, simulation-based training program designed to enhance the understanding and practical application of pediatric mechanical ventilation in critical care settings.

This hands-on workshop enables participants to develop confidence in ventilator management for ICU patients, troubleshoot challenges, and make timely clinical decisions in high-pressure scenarios.





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Learning Outcomes

- ▶ Understand the basic principles of respiratory physiology and mechanical ventilation.
- ▶ Identify indications for HFNC, NIV, and invasive mechanical ventilation.
- ▶ Initiate ventilator support and select appropriate modes and settings.
- ▶ Apply strategies for monitoring, troubleshooting, and weaning ventilated patients.
- ▶ Demonstrate effective teamwork and communication during critical care emergencies.
- ▶ Manage common ventilation challenges through simulation scenarios with reflective debriefing.

Who Should Attend

Postgraduates in Medicine, Pediatrics, Anesthesiology, Pulmonary medicine and emergency medicine, Respiratory therapists and senior nurses involved in care of emergencies and critically ill patients.

Maximum participants: 40
Time – 8.00 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.

VENUE: MANIPAL HOSPITAL, VARTHUR ROAD, BENGALURU

National Coordinator:
Dr Jignesh Shah (9028246946)
Local Coordinators:
Dr Saurodip Maiti (9372451704)
Dr Arvind Kannan (8123140418)

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PROGRAM

Faculty Development Program – 21st & 22nd August 2026

Objectives

- To train healthcare faculty in the use of Simulation – based Education.
- To use the principles of andragogy in debrief following a simulation activity.

Program Overview

This workshop –

- Led by International & National Simulation Experts
- 10 days online (asynchronous) + 2 days on-site training
- Level 1 Certification on completion

Advanced Pathway after Level 1 (Optional)

- Structured Mentorship Program – guided by a Senior Mentor
- Level 2 – 6 months | Level 3 – 1 year
- Separate application and fee structure applies for Level 2 & 3
- Completion of Level 3 Certified as a National Simulation Trainer



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Faculty Development Program – 21st & 22nd August 2026

Learning Outcomes

- Understand the role of simulation in education and quality improvement.
- Practice the principles of adult learning
- Understand and practice the principles of Crisis Resource.
- Management and Multidisciplinary team training.
- Learn how to build simulation curriculum: needs assessment.
- scripting, design and conduct scenarios.
- Learn how to debrief various levels of learners – the essence of simulation.
- Learn how to conduct high-realism scenarios with low cost.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND



Healthcare professionals interested in simulation-based training



Professionals with prior exposure to simulation (preferred)



Pediatricians



Surgeons



Nurses



Paramedics



Physicians & ER Specialists



Anesthetists & Intensivists



Allied Healthcare Professionals

Maximum participants: 40
Time – 8.00 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.

National Coordinators:

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Dr Mihir Sarkar (8961616284)

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- Pedistars Members: 22000 (Early Bird 31st May) | 25000 (1st June onwards)
- Pedistars Non-Members: 25000 (Early Bird 31st May) | 26000 (1st June onwards)
- Nurses & Allied Health Professionals: 12500 (Early Bird 31st May) | 15000 (1st June onwards)

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SIM WARS

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What to Expect

- ▶ Teams will navigate complex simulation scenarios focused on emergency medicine.
- ▶ A panel of experts will evaluate teams on:
 - Clinical management and decision-making.
 - Communication and teamwork.
- ▶ The most proficient team will emerge as the champion of Pediatric and Neonatal SimWars.

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Maximum Number of Teams – 16

Team Composition

- ▶ **One Team = 4 members** At least 2 doctors, should be postgraduate trainees.
- ▶ Minimum of one Nurse and the remaining one member can be -nurses, paramedics, postgraduate trainees, fellows/DrNB/DM, or junior consultant/assistant professor.
- ▶ All Physicians and residents must have less than 5 years of experience post-MD/DNB/equivalent degree.
- ▶ There is no experience limit for nurses and paramedics.
- ▶ **Team Flexibility:**
 - Teams can include members from different hospitals of same organizations.
 - The team cannot consist of more than one person who has participated in the immediate previous SIMWAR competition.

Who Can Participate?

- ▶ Pediatric Emergency teams across the country

National Coordinators:

Dr Manju Kedarnath (9986634300)

Dr Pritesh Nagar (9959665000)

Dr Supraja Chandrasekhar (9945818818)

Local Coordinators: Dr Javed (8143609989)

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AUGUST 22nd: PRELIMINARY ROUND AT DHEE HOSPITALS KANAKAPURA ROAD, BENGALURU

AUGUST 23rd: SEMI FINALS & FINALS AT VASA, BENGALURU

INR: 10,000 (Early Bird 31st May) | 12,000 (1st June onwards) (Per Team)

USD: 215 (Early Bird 31st May) | 255 (1st June onwards) (Per Team)

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Call for **Scientific Abstracts**

The Scientific Committee invites original research for presentation in **SIMULUS 11**
Under Following Categories

1. Advancements in Medical Education and Curriculum Development.
2. Assessment Strategies and Evaluation of Training Effectiveness.
3. Role of Simulation in Developing Psychomotor and Procedural Skills.
4. Innovative and Cost-Effective Approaches in Simulation-Based Education.
5. Simulation in Crisis Resource Management and Interdisciplinary Team Training.
6. Leveraging Simulation for Quality Improvement and Organizational Change.
7. Outreach Simulation as an Emerging Independent Domain.
8. Evaluating Debriefing Approaches in Simulation-Based Learning.
9. Application of Simulation in Systems Analysis and Improvement.

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Formatting Guidelines

- ▶ Abstracts should be limited to one A4 size page (maximum 400 words).
- ▶ Mention the name of the category under which the abstract is being submitted.
- ▶ Graphs, tables, and illustrations are allowed and will not be included in the word count but should be limited to two.
- ▶ Structure your abstract under the following subheadings: Background, Aim, Methodology, Results, Discussion/Conclusion and References.
- ▶ Ensure the corresponding author's name and contact details are clearly included in the abstract.

Submission Guidelines

- ▶ Submit abstracts electronically to simulus11@vimsmail.com with subject **SIMULUS 11 ABSTRACT**.
- ▶ All submissions will undergo peer review after blinding.
- ▶ Selected abstracts will be allocated to oral or poster presentations.
- ▶ Corresponding authors of selected abstracts will be notified by mail, with presentation guidelines.

Seize the Opportunity

- ▶ Present your work at the biggest Simulation Conference.
- ▶ Receive feedback from global simulation experts.
- ▶ Chance to take a leap from local research towards international collaboration.

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Workshop Details (22nd Aug 2026)

National Delegates (INR)

International Delegates (USD)

Early Bird
registration
(31st May
2026)

1st June
2026
onwards

Early Bird
registration
(31st May
2026)

1st June
2026
onwards

STEP Workshop (Simulation Training in Emergency Pediatrics)

3500

4250

75

90

NeoSIM Workshop (Neonatal Emergencies by Simulation)

3500

4250

75

90

Trauma Simulation

3500

4250

75

90

SNAP Workshop (Simulation for Nurses in Acute care Practice)

2400

3000

50

65

Pediatric SIMWARS (Max. Teams 16 : 4 members per team)

10000/
group

12000/
group

215 / group

255/
group

Competency-Based Skills Training Course for Medical Faculty (CBME)

5500

6500

120

140

SIMPACT (Simulation for Impact)

4000

5000

85

105

SimVent

4000

5000

85

105

FDP (Faculty Development Program) {21st & 22nd Aug 2026}

PediSTARS Members (Doctors)

22000

25000

470

535

PediSTARS Non Members (Doctors)

25000

26000

535

555

Nurses, Allied health Professionals, EMS Personnel

12500

15000

270

320

Simulus 11 Conference (23rd Aug 2026)

Pedistars (non-members)

6000

7000

Pedistars Members

5000

6000

Nurses/Allied Health Care Professionals, Students (MBBS/Interns/PG Students)

3000

3500

200

300

(Early bird and standard pricing as per the portal inclusive of GST)



Note: *Conference Registration is mandatory for FDP & Workshops except Pediatric SIMWARS

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Date	Program	Overview	Highlights
21st & 22nd August 2026	Faculty Development Program (FDP)	Interactive training program for healthcare educators in simulation-based education.	• Scenario design • Debriefing techniques • Assessment strategies • Hands-on learning
22nd August 2026	Pre-Conference Workshops	Specialty-focused workshops offering practical and simulation-based learning experiences.	• Hands-on workshops • Live demonstrations • Skill stations • Expert-led sessions
22nd & 23rd August 2026	SimWARS	Simulation-based competitive clinical challenges for multidisciplinary healthcare teams.	• Live simulation rounds • Team-based challenges • Emergency scenarios • Expert feedback
23rd August 2026	Main Conference	Academic platform featuring experts, research, and innovations in healthcare simulation.	• Keynote sessions • Panel discussions • Research presentations • Networking opportunities

TRAVEL & VENUE INFORMATION

Venue

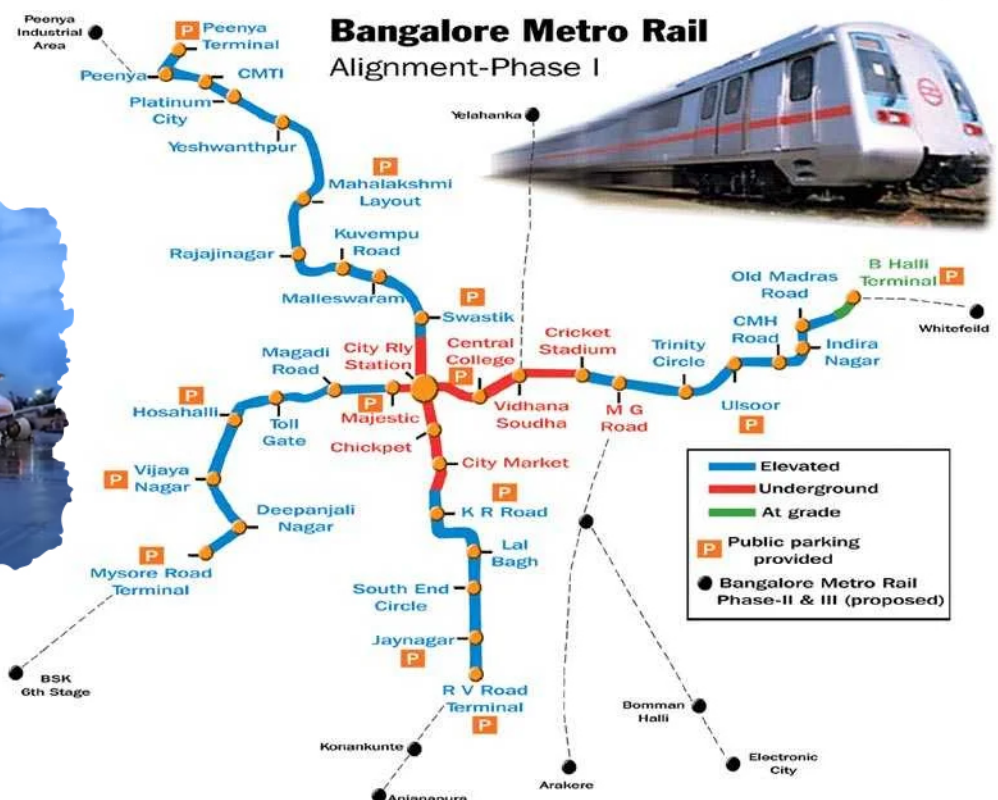
- Vydehi Advanced Simulation Academy (VASA)
- Vydehi Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre Campus, Whitefield, Bangalore

Travel Access

- Near Nallurhalli Metro Station
- Connected via major city routes
- Easy access from the Airport & Railway station

Accommodation

- Multiple hotels & guest houses available nearby.



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