

## Brief Resume of Dr. S.N. Madhusudana

Dr. Madhusudana is presently working as Professor of Neurovirology at NIMHANS, Bangalore and is the head of WHO collaborating centre for Reference and Research on Rabies. He is working in the field of rabies and vaccinology since 1985. From 1985 to 1994 he worked as Assistant Director at Central Research Institute, Kasauli where he headed Rabies division. He has experience in rabies vaccine production and quality control, rabies diagnostics, clinical trails of new vaccines and has done significant research in pathogenesis of rabies . He is a pioneer in development of intradermal vaccination for Rabies prophylaxis. He was awarded with prestigious European Community Fellowship to do research in rabies at Pasteur Institute, Paris, France.

He is a WHO consultant on rabies since 2000 and has taken part in several WHO and national consultations on rabies. He is a member of the WHO task force for control of rabies in Asia. He is also in the panel of national experts on rabies and a member of ICMR Task force on rabies.

He was awarded with Louis Pasteur Oration at the 10<sup>th</sup> APRICON held at Lucknow and was awarded Life Time achievement award in 2012 at 14<sup>th</sup> APCRICON, Kolkata.

Recently he has been conferred with “Bharat Vidya Shiromani” award by the government of India.

### New Publications

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