

Medanta to collaborate with John Hopkins for better patient outcomes

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Medanta - The Medicity, in a multiple collaborator effort with global leaders - GHPL, Hopkins, MIER and Bionworks has received 1,20,000 USD (90 lakhs) competitive international grant from Pfizer Independent Grants for Learning & Change (IGLC) and The Joint Commission (JCI) as part of Antimicrobial Stewardship program for the Asia-Pacific Region.

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- The Joint Commission led the application evaluation process and provided oversight for the proposal review committee that made funding decisions
- The Joint Commission will be solely responsible for administering and overseeing project activities
- Pfizer IGLC will be solely responsible for all activities related to the provision of project funding
- All grant funding will be provided by Pfizer

On competing with 13 international JCI accredited hospitals, **Dr. Naresh Trehan, Chairman and Managing Director, Medanta** said, "In continuation to our commitment to world class treatment for all our patients, we are delighted to be a part of the Antimicrobial Stewardship Program to excel towards improved patient outcomes".

Dr. Yatin Mehta, Chairman, Institute of Critical Care and Anaesthesiology, Medanta said, "There is a growing need to find a solution to antimicrobial resistance in a quick turn-around as it is one of the biggest challenges facing today's healthcare providers. We are proud to be a part of this international program and hope to invent best solutions to curb the rise of anti-microbial resistance worldwide."