Dear Members

Medical negligence is a big cause of concern, especially for our speciality. Cases against doctors, as well as compensation awarded to patients, are increasing exponentially.

Remaining updated with laws relating to medicine is, therefore, a necessity today. We am happy to inform you that we have tied up with the Institute of Medicine & Law since 2023. Our members are be eligible for a flat 30% discount on their offerings. Kindly use the coupon code **ISCCM30** on https://store.imlindia.com/ to avail this discount.

ISCCM Members can get a discount on the following publications/services:

Medical Law Cases – For Doctors (*www.mlcd.in*)A 16-year-old monthly law reporter that points out the mistakes made by other doctors/hospitals and offers you guidance on the legally correct steps. It is available in both print and online.

MedLegal Year Book (https://imlindia.com/publications/medlegal-yearbook/)An annual reference book that updates you on laws and legally correct protocols. It is available only in print. Members of ISCCM can return this book within 15 days of delivery and get a 100% refund if they are not happy with its content – no questions asked!

Certificate Course in Medicine & Law – For Doctors (<u>imlcourses.com</u>) This course is designed to make you aware of the practical aspects of medical laws and the precautions that should be taken in your day-to-day practice to minimize legal risks. Special emphasis is laid on appropriate response in case of medical mishaps and emergencies

ISCCM members could also view and/or download the 'SOP on Patients Consent' document jointly prepared by ISCCM together with other major associations on www.patientsconsent.com This website also has 4 different consent forms which can also be downloaded/printed as is (blank) and/or after filling-in (entering) the requisite details.

We hope that you will make the most of these and a few other offerings from IML and remain legally safe.

Regards,

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