



OCCUCON 2026

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**Theme - Redefining Occupational Health, Safety & Wellbeing:
Navigating Present Challenges, Shaping Future Solutions**

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AOH JAMNAGAR BRANCH

**7th - 10th January, 2026
Padam Banquet & Lawns, Jamnagar, Gujarat**



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ABOUT THE VENUE

Padam Banquet and Lawns in Jamnagar, Gujarat is a popular venue for its elegant ambience and versatile event spaces. It features expansive green lawns and stylish banquet halls. With quality catering, decor services, and ample parking, it ensures a seamless and memorable experience for hosts and guests alike.

WELCOME MESSAGE

BY AOH JAMNAGAR

We are excited to announce the **76th National Conference of Indian Association of Occupational Health - OCCUCON 2026**, organised by **AOH Jamnagar Branch-Innovating Today for a Healthier Tomorrow**, scheduled to take place in **Jamnagar, Gujarat, India**, from **07th to 10th January, 2026**. With the theme **"Redefining Occupational Health, Safety & Wellbeing: Navigating Present Challenges, Shaping Future Solutions"** this event will bring together occupational health experts, HSE professionals and medical practitioners from industries across India to explore the critical connections between occupational health, wellbeing, industrial development, and environmental sustainability in today's rapidly evolving world.

Set against the **Jewel of Kathiawar - Jamnagar**, **OCCUCON 2026** offers a unique platform to share insights, strategies, and innovations aimed at building and shaping a healthier and more sustainable future for workers everywhere. As we navigate an era of rapid transformation and emerging challenges, this congress seeks to address the shifting needs of the workforce while promoting sustainable growth and well-being.

Through engaging discussions, interactive workshops, and cutting-edge research presentations, we aim to inspire new solutions that place workers' health & wellbeing at the heart of economic progress and environmental stewardship. Join us on this transformative journey as we redefine occupational health and wellbeing as both drivers of growth and a foundation for sustainability.

Welcome to OCCUCON 2026 where ideas spark change, and progress takes root.

***We look forward to welcome you at Jamnagar
"The Oil City and Brass City"***

Warm regards,

Dr. Kirti Chudasama
Organizing Chairperson

Dr. Bhavesh Khodadiya
Organizing Secretary

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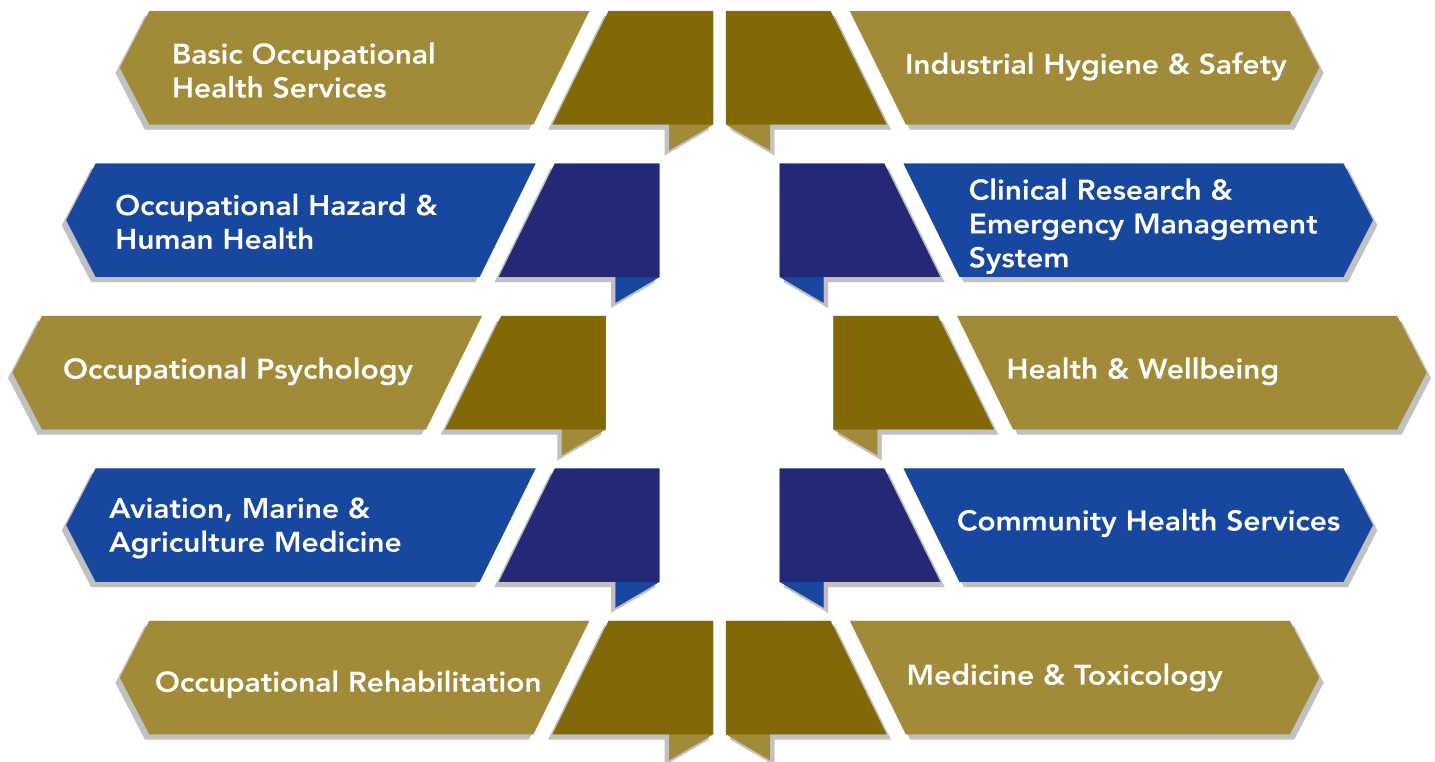
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SCIENTIFIC HIGHLIGHTS

This conference aims to foster collaboration among professionals, researchers, and policymakers to share insights, innovations, and best practices that can help mitigate risks, promote wellness, and create healthier work environments for all. By integrating scientific research with real-world applications, we can drive meaningful change and ensure the long-term sustainability of occupational health globally. This scientific extravaganza includes various research papers; keynote sessions; orations; symposia; occupational safety and clinical sessions.

CALL FOR ABSTRACTS

The Scientific Committee of OCCUCON 2026 invites submissions of abstracts on the latest research, case studies, policy developments, and best practices in:



Occupational Health, Safety, and Environment professionals, Factory Medical Officer, Clinical Specialists, Industrial Hygienists, PG Students, HR & wellness leaders can submit their abstracts digitally through our website. Guidelines for abstract submission are available online, and outstanding papers will be considered for awards.

SUBMISSION DEADLINE: 15TH NOVEMBER 2025

SCIENTIFIC HIGHLIGHTS

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP

A Pre-Conference Workshop will be held on 7th January 2026, from 9 AM to 5 PM, featuring multiple training modules led by eminent faculty. Participants will receive a certificate on completion.

KNOWLEDGE PARTNERS



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SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM

Day-1 (7th Jan 2026)

Time Slot	Hall 1
8.30am to 9am	Registration
9am to 1pm	PDC 1–GHS Phase 2 -From Labels to Lives
1pm to 2pm	Lunch
6.30pm to 7.30pm	Cultural program
7.30 pm Onwards	Inaugural Ceremony followed by Dinner

Day 2 (8th Jan 2026)

Time Slot	Hall 1
8am onwards	Registration for conference
8.30am to 9.30am	Scientific oral paper presentation
9.45am to 10.30am	Symposium-1 – Theme Symposium 1) Speaker 1 (Dr. R Rajesh) : Redefining Occupational Health & Safety – Current Realities & Challenges 2) Speaker 2 (Dr. T Rajgopal) : From Policy to Care – Building Sustainable Occupational Health & Wellbeing System for Future.
10.30am to 11am	Dr CK Ramchandrar Memorial Oration
11am to 11.30am	JOSH Oration-One Health Approach in Occupational Settings: The Role of Surveillance and Research
11.30am to 12pm	Keynote Session -2 -Clinical Governance- Ensuring Quality, Safety and Innovation
12pm to 1pm	Scientific session -1 (RFH)
1.pm to 2pm	Lunch
2pm to 2.30pm	Dr Ramnik Parekh Oration
2.30pm to 3.30pm	Scientific session -Aditya Birla
3.30pm to 4.15pm	Scientific Session-KDAH
4.15pm to 4.30pm	Scientific Session-Synergy
4.30pm to 4.45pm	Scientific session -Wockhardt
4.45pm to 5.15pm	Scientific session- Sterling
5.15pm to 6pm	Scientific Oral paper presentation

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Day 3 (9th Jan 2026)

Time Slot	Hall 1
8am onwards	Registration for conference
8.30 to 9.30	Scientific oral paper presentation
9.30am to 10.30	Scientific session- Nayara
10.30 to 11	Dr J C Kothari Memorial Oration
11 to 11.30	Key note session 3-The Future of Occupational Epidemiology in India: Challenges and Opportunities
11.30 to 12	Dr P V Thaker Memorial Oration
12 to 1	Scientific Session- Apollo
1 to 2pm	Lunch
2pm to 2.30pm	Oration -Dr Jigish Ruparelia Memorial oration(Jamnagar) -Topic pending
2.30 pm to 3pm	Keynote session 4 Occupational Health Without Borders: The ICOH Mission in a current global scenario
3pm to 3.30pm	Harness your mind- Power for better health
3.30pm to 4pm	Reliance practices in mental health wellness
4pm-4.30pm	Guest session - Occupational Health Care for Business Travellers
	Scientific session- Apollo
5pm to 5.15pm	Scientific Session 9-KDAH- When science fights back - Remarkable CAR-T and BMT journeys
5.15pm to 6pm	Scientific Oral paper presentation
5.30pm to 7pm	Annual General Meeting IAOH
7.30pm onwards	Banquet Dinner

Day 4 (10th Jan 2026)

Time Slot	Hall 1
8am onwards	Registration for conference
8.30 to 9.30	Scientific oral paper presentation
9.30 to 10am	Dr G Arjundas Oration
10am to 10.30am	Keynote session- 6 -AI in Health Care
10.30 to 11	Key note Session -7 Workplace Resilience: Building Safer Occupational Environments Through Innovation and Research
11am to 12pm	Symposium-BOHS
12pm to 1pm	Scientific Session
1pm onwards	Valedictory function
1.30pm	Lunch

REGISTRATION DETAILS

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SCHEDULE OF FEES

Category	Up to 31 st July 2025	1st August 2025 to 31st October 2025	1st November 2025 to 31st December 2025	1st January 2026 onwards
IAOH Member	7500	10000	12500	15000
Non IAOH Member	10000	12000	14000	16000
Retired IAOH Member (Age between 65 - 70)	3750	5000	6250	7500
Retired IAOH Member (Age above 70)	1875	2500	3125	3750
Accompanying Persons	5500	7000	8000	9000
PG Students	4000	5000	6000	6000
International Delegates (US Dollars)	300	350	400	450
PDC Workshops	2000	2000	2000	2000

CANCELLATION POLICY:

Cancellation of your conference registration can be done by writing an email to the conference secretariat at registration@iaohoccucon2026.com clearly stating your registration number in the subject line. The email will have to be sent from the email address you used while registering.

PLEASE NOTE:

- Registration is non-transferable to any attendee
- Cancellations upto 15th Nov, 2025: 50% + GST deducted
- Cancellations post 15th Nov, 2025: No refund
- All refunds will be provided by cheque post 6 weeks of the completion of the conference
- Time stamp of email will be considered as official date of cancellation request

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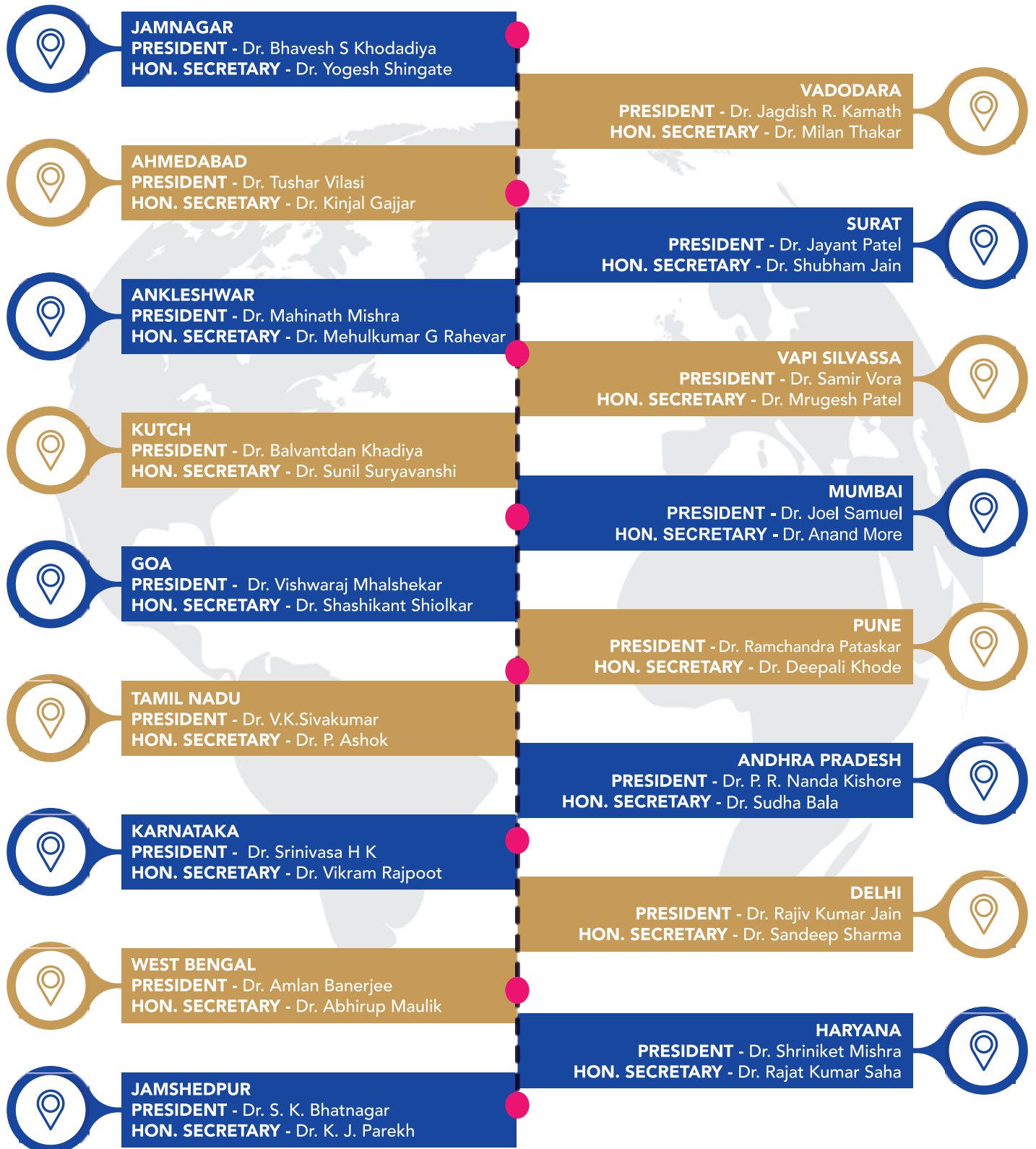
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ABOUT THE CITY

JEWEL OF KATHIAWAR - JAMNAGAR

Jamnagar is a city in the western Indian state of Gujarat, located on the coast of the Gulf of Kutch. It is known for its rich history, beautiful temples, and industrial significance. Here are some key points about Jamnagar:

HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE

Originally known as Nawanagar, the city was founded in 1540 by Jam Raval, a Rajput ruler of the Jadeja dynasty. It was once a princely state and later merged with India after independence in 1947. The city is home to Lakhota Fort and Ranmal Lake, which reflect its historical legacy.

CULTURE AND FOOD

- Famous for Bandhani (tie-dye fabric), which is a traditional textile art of Gujarat.
- Popular dishes include Kathiyawadi cuisine, such as Sev Tameta, Bajra Rotla, and Gujarati Thali and snacks like Dry Kachori, Ghughra and Faafda.
- Navratri is celebrated with great enthusiasm, featuring traditional Garba and Dandiya Raas performances.

CONNECTIVITY



AIR

Jamnagar Airport connects to a major city like Mumbai and nearby Rajkot airport connects to Mumbai, Delhi, Hyderabad, Pune, Goa and Bangalore.



RAIL

Well-connected railway station with trains to major Indian cities.



ROAD

National highways link Jamnagar to Ahmedabad, Rajkot, Vadodara and other cities in Gujarat.



BUS/CAB

Buses/ Cabs available from Vadodara/Ahmedabad/Surat/Bharuch/Ankleshwar.

TRAVEL & ACCOMODATION

IN & AROUND JAMNAGAR

HOTELS AROUND THE VENUE

Sr. No	Hotel	Rooms Available	Distance to Venue	Approximate Rate (Final rates to be confirmed with selected hotel)
1	The Orchid Hotel and Resort	44	7.7 km	Rs. 6000/day
2	7 Seasons Resorts & Spa	28	4.6 km	Rs. 5500/day
3	The Fern Residency	49	13.7 km	Rs. 4000/day
4	Sayaji Hotel	86	7.2 km	Rs. 6000/day
5	Anaya Beacon Hotel	40	4.6 km	Rs. 4500/day
6	Hotel Vishal	48	3.6 km	Rs. 4000/day
7	The Lord's Inn	58	6.1 km	Rs. 3500/day
8	The Svasti Inn	36	7.4 km	Rs. 3500/day
9	Hotel Hirisa Jamnagar	60	4.1 km	Rs. 3500/day
10	Aram Hotel	21	7.4 km	Rs. 3500/day
11	Hotel Celebration	40	6.8 km	Rs. 3500/day

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TOURIST ATTRACTIONS



Somnath Temple



Gir National Park



Dwarka Temple



**Khijadiya Bird
Sanctuary**



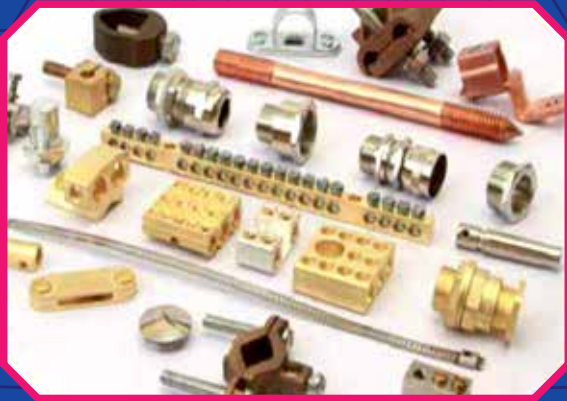
**Narara Marine National
Park**



Lakhota Lake



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