# Capacity Building and Training for Trauma Care in India

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Our aim is "to provide state of the art, efficient and compassionate trauma care, from resuscitation to rehabilitation, to all Acutely injured patients and those requiring its specialized services. Develop patterns of teaching, training, research and preventive strategies related to injury of highest standard."

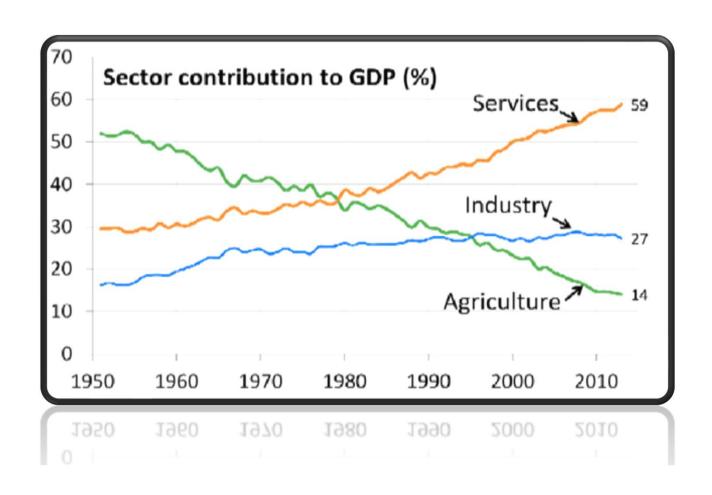


# **India - The Growth Story**

**Increase in Overall Infrastructure** 



# From Agriculture to Industrial growth





# **Rapid Urbanization**

6 cities > 10 million

4 cities with > 5 million

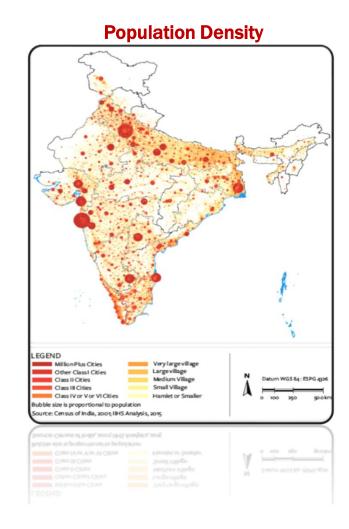
53 Cities > 1 million

34% Urban Population

Increase in construction activity

Migration to bigger cities for job opportunities

Census of India 2011.





# **Economic Growth over the years**

## India is a developing mixed economy

• Private with Public enterprise

7<sup>th</sup> Largest economy by nominal GDP and the 3<sup>rd</sup> largest by Purchasing Power Parity

- Nominal GDP \$ 2.716 Trillion (2018)
- PPP \$ 10.505 Trillion (2018)

World's fastest growing major economy

Achieved 6-7% average GDP growth annually

#### Long-term growth perspective is positive

 Young population, English proficiency, low dependency ratio, healthy savings, high investment rates, and increasing integration into the global economy.



Despite this 24% are Poor 12.4% live below poverty line 55% Middle Class

**Source: NITI Aayog** 



## **Exponential growth in Road Network**

#### Second largest road network in the world

5,903,293 kilometres (3,668,136 mi) (31 January 2019)

#### Road Density 1.70 km /Sq Km

- Japan (0.91)
- United States (0.989888)
- (0.46), Brazil (0.18)

4.63 km of roads per 1000 people.

#### Qualitatively India's roads are a mix

- modern highways
- narrow, unpaved roads, and are

#### Investment in national highways

• ₹14,095.87 crore (US\$2.0 billion) in 2005-06 to ₹98,988.06 crore (US\$14 billion) in 2015-16





## **Growth of Road Users**

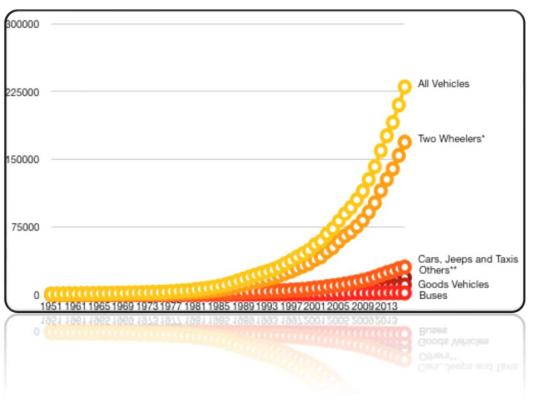
Increasing Aspirations of urban population

Fast Life – Need for personal Vehicles

Slow growth of urban public transport systems

More Increase in Motorized 2 wheeler population

#### **Increase in Registered Vehicles**







Multiple road users on highways and roads (92)



# **Disaster on Indian Roads**







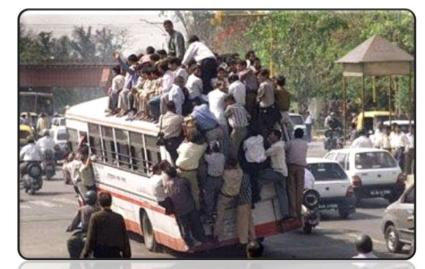
















#### 11 students killed in J&K bus accident

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SDINAGAR/IAMMIII- Ar loast 11 strudents of a private computer training institute were killed when the minibus they were travelling in fell into a gorge at Peer Ki Gali in Jammu and Kashmir's Shopian district on Thursday. Officials said they ehicle was carrying students for a picnic from Poonch to Dhobijan.

Shopiandeputycommissioner Owais Ahmad said the 11 included ninewomen. "The bodies have been sent to Poonch while those injured have been hospitalised," he said. Ahmad said the vehicle fell into the gorge near a curve, which is wide enough. "The road condition is also good. It appears the driver wasover speeding as the vehicle went over a parapet," he said.

One of the survivors managed to jump off the vehicle before it plunged. "The driver was driving normally... As I was near a window, I immediately jumped out of the rolling vehicle. I saw it going deep into the gorge," said Jabeen



The mangled minibus that fell into a gorge at Peer Ki Gali in Jammu and Kashmir's Shopian district on Thursday.

Mohammed Rashid, a Surank-

deceased belonged to Gunthal,

Kounsar, the survivor from Surankot in Poonch. Kounsar who ote resident said most of the escaped with minor injuries, is

injured was critical. "Most of the injured have the head or spinal cord injuries," he said.

By this evening, they may have reached Srinagar." he said.

Poonch's senior police super intendent. Ramesh Kumar Angral, said the students were studying at Kashish Computer Institute in Suranzote town. Their families are in a state of shock. Majority of them have rushed to Shopian," he said.

A police officer, who spoke on condition of anonymity said that prima facie investigations revealed that the vehicle had old worn-out tyres and that it was given fitness certificate last year. The old tyres were retreaded and the unfit vehicle was moving on a dangerous Mughal Road."

A nother resident who sought anonymity, said there was no check on unfit vehicles plying in theborderdistrict. "The drivers bribe traffic cops, who turn blind eye to unfit vehicles. They indulge in overloading...

Jammu and Kashmir governor Satya Pal Malik expressed grief over the loss of lives and announced a compensation of₹5 lakh each to the next of the kin of

undergoing treatment. Draba, Lasana, Mandiland Lath-Shopian district hospital medioonvillages. "There is mourning cal superintendent GMBhat said in every house. The families of the dead were aged between 22 the deceased are shell shocked and 26. He said one of the seven over what has happened with them... All the men rushed to Shorian around 3.30 pm when the news about the accident spread.

# **3 killed, 10 injured in** accident on NH-24

NEW DELHI: Three persons, two of them from a family, were killed and 10 others injured after the minibus they were travelling in rammed a water tanker from behind on NH-24 (Delhi-Meerut Expressway) near East Vinod Nagar late Saturday. Police the groupwas headed to

Uttarakhand's Nainital on a vacation and the minibus, Tempo Traveller, was allegedly speed ing. The tanker driver fled the spot immediately after the acci dent but was arrested on Satur day afternoon and booked for by negligence, the police said.

The three dead persons were The impact of the crash was such that the front right portion of the vehicle was mangled. BUK BUHTPH





#### **7 KILLED IN AGRA ACCIDENT**



At least seven persons were killed and 40 injured after a private bus coming from Bihar rammed into a truck on the Agra-Lucknow expressway around 5am on Friday. The accident took place at milestone 27 in Agra district. "The bus was coming from Bihar," said Pravesh Kumar, station incharge at Fatehabad police station. "The dead include a woman and two children." he added. HT

## (35 killed as overcrowded bus rolls down gorge in Kishtwar

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JAMMU: At least 35 people were killed and 17 others injured when an overloaded minibus skidded off a winding road and fell into a deep gorge in Jammu and Kashmir's mountainous Kishtwar district on Monday.

This is the second major road accident in the state since Thursday when 11 students were killed when their speeding bus fell into a ravine in Shopian district.

Kishtwar's deputy commissioner, Angrez Singh Rana, said that the exact cause of Monday's accident remained a subject of investigation. "The driver's negligence cannot be ruled out,"



Locals and rescue workers gather at the site of the bus accident in Kishtwar on Monday. Officials said that the 28-seater bus was

## 1 killed, 8 injured as cluster bus rams multiple vehicles

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NEW DELHI: A 65-year-old woman was killed and eight others injured after the driver of a cluster bus, which was allegedly speeding, lost control of the vehicle and rammed eight vehicles before hitting the road divider and coming to halt on central Delhi's Desh Bandhu Gupta (DBG) Road near Anand Parbat Monday morning.

The vehicles that were hit by the busincluded three auto-rickshaws, three motorcycles and two e-rickshaws. The elderly



The elderly woman, Bhago Devi from Karol Bagh, was seated in an e-rickshaw that the hus crashed into in Anand Parhat.



## Delhi-bound bus falls into drain along e-way, 29 dead

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AGRA: At least 29 people were killed and 25 injured when an Uttar Pradesh State Road Trans-port Corporation (UPSRTC) bus fell into a drain after breaching a barrier along the Yamuna Expressway near Agraearly on Monday as the driver fell asleep and lost control of the vehicle,

The air-conditioned "Jan-rath" bus, travelling from Luc-know to Delhi's Anand Vihar terminal had more than 50 passen gers on board, police added. The accident occurred at 4.30am in Etmadpur, around 200km from

State officials said that it appeared the driver dozed off at the wheel and lost control of the bus, which then veered into a

"Twenty-nine people, includ-ing the driver, were killed," said NG Ravi Kumar, Agra district

magistrate (DM).

"Rescue operations started once the information reached us

action. The drain is filled with water hyacinth (an aquatic plant) which hampered the search. All 29 bodies have been recovered." Kumar said.

Eyewitnesses said the speed of the bus dragged it along the divider on the bridge above the drain for dozens of feet before the railing gave way, sending the bus 50 feet down into the drain. "The bus crashed into the

about 40 feet. It then slid along the railing for another 20 feet before falling into the drain. Things happened so fast that we could barely grasp what was happening. Locals gathered graduallyasitwasearly hours of the day, "said Saudan Singh, an eyewitness who said he was present at the crash site near Chaugan village of Etmadpur, around 50km from Agra.

# Teen crashes Merc into car, kills CRPF man

GREATER KAILASH-I Driver, son of Noida bizman, studies in London, is in India on vacation; victim was with PM's security wing

#### HT Correspondent htepaters/Hindusterlines.com

NEW DELHE A Central Reserve on avacation Police Force (CRPF) constable, The constable, who sucposted in the Prime Minister's cumbed wasidentified as Narensecuritywing was killed and two dra Khateek (34), who hailed from of his colleagues were injured Alwarin Rajasthan. The two conafter a speeding Mercedes car stables who are injured have tumped a signal and rammed been identified as Vinod Kumar their Wagon Rearin south Delhi's (36) and Babulal Yaday (38). All of Greater Kailash I area on Thursthemwere posted in CRPF's Speday night. The incident took place cial Duty Group (SDG) and were when the three men were return-deployed at the Prime Minister ing after shopping at Lajpat Office and residence.

Nagarmarket. Vinod Kumar, the constable Police said they have arrested driving the WagonR car said that a 19-year-old man, Sanidhya theincidenttookplace when they Garg, son of a Noida-based businessman, who was driving the Vihar.

car. Police main tained that Garg "We had all gone shopping to

is pursuing an undergraduate

commerce course from a college

in London and had come to India



 The incident took place in south Delhi's Greater Kailash 1. The victim was in a Wagon R car with three friends. SPLOV BRINGSHIT PHOTO

were returning home to Pushp place when we were near Arch-vertible speeding from Siri Fort green. But as our car was cross- and crashed into ours. Before we from a college in London and was cles," he said.

nal before coming to a halt," Kumar said.

immediately rushed to help them gations revealed Garg has and called the police. "Miracu- tumped a red light and lost con lough Vaday and I did not sug, trol of his vohicle "the DCP said tain any serious injury but Khateek was unconscious. We were all ents, wife and two sons - age rushed to AIIMS Trauma Centre. five and seven years. Khatsek' where Khateek succumbed to his brother Dinesh Kumar, who run in turies on Friday morning. The a private coaching centre, sai others were given first aid and that the driver had zilled a person discharged," said Kumar, who but had received bail, "We have had been working with Khatsek lost a family member. His chiland Yaday for the last six years. dren have lost their father but th

the driver of the Mercedes. Sanid- This is in justice, "he said. hva Garg. was a resident of Model Laipat Nagar The incident took ing the signal, a Mercedes conthe spot.

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could brace ourselves, our car vacationing in India. His fathe had turned turde. The Mercedes owns a factory in Noida. He was further went on to ram a divider carrying a valid driving licens and then crashed into a traffic sig- and was not found to be drunk. He was arrested and booked under IPC section 304A for causing He said passersby and locals deathdue to negligence. Investi-

Khateek is survived by par-DCP (south) Vijay Kumarsaid accused has been granted bail

DCP Kumar, however, sai Town and did not try to flee from that the offence is bailable under law. "We are looking into the "Garg is pursuing an under- case from all the possible angles.

#### **HTMETRO**

## 5-yr-old boy, his father run over by truck, driver held

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NEW DELM: A five-year-old child and his 45-year-old-father were killed after they were hit by an allegedly speeding commercial mini truck in northeast Delhi's Nand Nagri on Saturday morning. The child's mother and his sister had a narrow escape as some locals pulled them back as soen as they saw noticed they were in the path of the vehicle. The driver fled the spot after the eccident, but was arrested from

. The driver of the mini-truck. Shambhu Kumar, was arrested from Karol Bagh. SQUICED

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#### HIGHWAY CRASH

## Nine students die in Pune accident

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PUNE/YAVAT: Ninecollegestudents on board a compact SUV, and their driver, were killed when the car collided head-on with a truck on the Pune-Solapur highway early on Saturday, the police said. The accident occurred in the Kadamwakvasti.area.of Loni Kalbhor village, around 20 kilometres from Pune.

The nine students, aged between 19 and 23, were returning home to Yavat village from a picnic at Raigad Fortwhen, police said, the car driver lost control. hit a median and jumped on to a no-entry stretchwhere it collided with the truck coming from the opposite direction at around 1 am.

The impact of the crash was so strong that it reduced the car to a mangled wreck and the rescuers had to cut open the car to extricate the bodies. "The faces of the victims were unrecognisable and identification was carried out with the identity documents in



 Localstake a closer look at the mangled remains of the car in Pune. SHANKAR NARAYAN/HT

their possession," Loni Kalbhor police station in-charge Surai Bandgar said. An FIR registered after the accident blamed the driver of the SUV for rash and negligent driving.

A man, who was just passing by the accidentsite, was shocked to see his cousin among the deceased. If eltlifeless and broke down," said Mohammad Ali Ismail Daya, a relative of Noor Mohammed Abbas Daya, one of the nine deceased. 11P10

## 75-year-old held for running over two in Navi Mumbai

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NAVIMUMBAI: Two people including a seven-year old boy were killed and four other sinjured in an accident on Sunday evening at Kamothe Navi Mumbai when the driver of a speeding Skoda lost control, rammed into several parked motocycles and scooters, and ran over pedestrians in a crowded street.

The person behind the wheel Harbinder Singh Matharoo, 75, a resident of Kamothe. fled the spot and, according to the police, subsequently checked himself into the Intensive Care Unit of a local hospital.

The police added that he was not injured in the incident. Senior police inspector Davidas Sonawaneconfirmed that Matharoo is under police custody and



The car driven by the accused involved in the accident.

that his blood samples have taken to check whether he was drunk at the time of the accident. The deceased are Sarthak Chopade (7) and Vaibhay Guray (32). The injured are Sadhna Chopade (30) mother of Sarthak Chopade, Shraddha Jadhav (31),

Shifa Sarang (16) and Atish Patil (22). Sonawane added that Matharoo lives alone.

"This could be a case of drink driving. We have registered case against the car owner under section 304 A - causing death by negligence," he said.

## Kanwariya killed, 2 hurt in Khanna road accident

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LUDHIANA: A Kanwariya was killed, while two others suffered injuries after a speeding minitruck hit a pickup van near Beeja village at Khanna on the National Highway-1 on Saturday morning. After the incident, fellow Kanwariyas blocked the highway for about an hour and raised slogans against the police. Kanwariyas are Lord Shiva's devotees who go on pilgrimage to fetch water of Ganga river in the month of Shrawan.

Truck driver Dalip Kumar of Haryana has been arrested and a case registered against him.

The deceased has been identified as Mohit alias Bablu, 20. while the injured are Gulzar, 19, and Deepu, 23, all of Kotkapura. Two other Kanwariyas with minor injuries were discharged rom hospital after the first aid.

#### FELLOW KANWARIYAS

SAID AFTER HITTING THE PICKUP VAN. THE TRUCK DRAGGED MOHIT FOR AT LEAST 50 METRES AND HE DIED ON THE SPOT

Fellow Kanwariyas said after hitting the pickup van, the truck dragged Mohit for at least 50 metres and he died on the spot. The impact of collision was so strong that the van fell into a roadside pit.

Investigating officer ASI Jagjivan Ram said a probe is beins done to know the reason behind the mishap

Mohit's father Rajesh Kumar said his son died on the birthday of his mother. "My wife talked to Mohit over the phone at 6am Mohit told her that he will reach Kotkapura by the evening and celebrate the birthday," he said.



#### Three killed in separate road accidents in J&K

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JAMMU: Two persons were killed when their vehicle got crushed between two trucks in Ramban district on Sunday evening.

The deceased have been identified as Osman, 22, a resident of Batote, and Basharat Ahmed, 25, a Doda resident.

The accident occurred around 5.30pm when a truck, trying to overtake another truck, hit Tata Mobile and pushed it towards the truck coming from the opposite direction on Jammu-Srinagar national highway at Champa Morh in Batote area of Ramban district, police said.

Both the occupants died on the spot when the vehicle got stuck between the trucks.

It took a lot of effort to extract the bodies of deceased from the mangled remains of the vehicle. a police officer said, adding that a crane was used in the operation

Police have arrested the truck driver and a case has been registered.

In a separate incident, a conductor of a Kashmir-bound truck was crushed to death under the wheels of the vehicle near Karool in Ramban district.

Charanjeet Singh, 46, a resident of Punjab, was repairing the ehicle when the accident A PUNJAB RESIDENT

WAS CRUSHED TO DEAT UNDER THE WHEELS OF A VEHICLE NEAR KAROOL IN RAMBAN DISTRICT

occurred, police said.

#### INFANT DEAD, 5 TOUR-ISTS HURT IN MCLEOD-GANJLANDSLIDE

SHIMLA: An eight-month-old girl was killed whereas five others sustained multiple injuries in a landslide in Himachal Pradesh's Kangra district, the police said Sunday.

The tourists were hit by rocks sliding from the hill when they were going on foot from Bhagsu Nag temple towards Bhagsu Nag waterfall, located about 11 kms from Dharamshala on Saturday.

The deceased infant has been identified as Lovedeep of Haroli in Una district.

The injured include Jagpal, 30, Acchar Singh, 30, Sunita, 23, Preet, 8 and Arnab, 2. All are residents of Haroli.

The injured were initially taken to the Dharamshala Civil Hospital, from where they have been later shifted to Dr Rajendra Prasad Medical College Kangra.



## **Roads and Road Traffic Injuries in India**



#### **India 2021**

- Accidents 480,652
- Deaths 1,54,732
- Person Injured 4,81,262



### **Every Hour**

- Accidents 55
- Deaths 17
- Person Injured 56





With a population of over 1.2 billion, there were **210 million** registered motor vehicles in India at the end of March 2015



At least **17** deaths occurred from road traffic accidents every hour, in 2016



Working age group of 18-60 years account for **83.3%** of the total road accident fatalities



Road traffic injuries caused **65%** more DALYs in 2016 than they did in 1990



Indian economy takes a **3%** hit every year due to road traffic accidents (GDP loss of **USD 58 billion** in terms of value)

Source: WHO, World Bank, National Crime Records Bureau, India



# **Gross Under-reporting of the Fatality Data**

The Million Death Study estimated 47%-64% greater RTI fatalities than the NCRB-reported official statistics

Recent studies, using data from the health sector suggest the possibility of higher underreporting by traffic police\*

The Global Burden of Disease (GBD) study

- Several national health data systems,
  - Survey of Causes of Death (SCD), Medical Certification of Cause of Death (MCCD), Million Death Study (MDS)
- 253,993 (95%CI: 239,573 266,974) deaths in India in 2016\*\*
- 68% greater than the Government of India estimate of 150,785 deaths

\* Road Safety in India: Status Report 2016
\*\*Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation (IHME) 2017

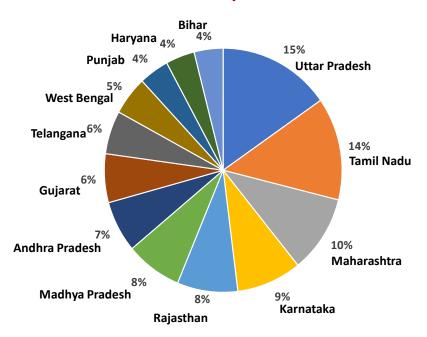


## **Road Traffic Fatalities and Disabilities India**

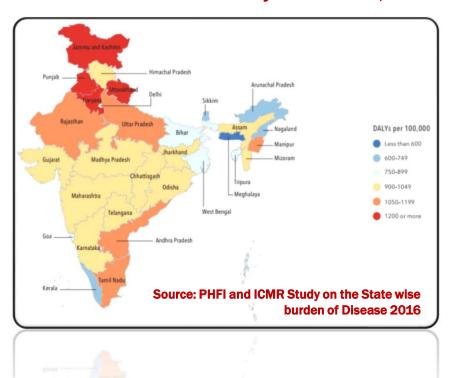
83.7% of total number of Persons Killed in Road Accidents and 86.5

Total number of Road Traffic Accidents were accounted by 13 States

#### **Road Traffic Deaths in Top 13 States in India**



#### DALYs associated with road injuries in India, 2016





## Non-Fatal Injuries – The Injury Pyramid

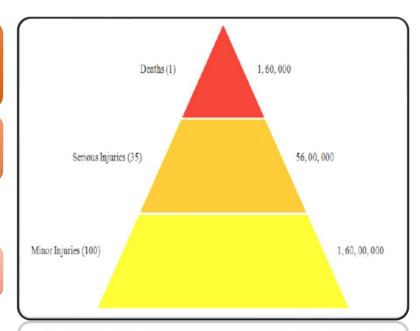
Ratio between critical, serious and minor injuries was 1:29:69 (Varghese and Mohan 1991)

#### Conservative estimate

- Deaths: injuries requiring Hospitalization: minor injuries
- 1:15:50

#### 2016

- 150,785: 2,262,000: 7,539,000
- As non-fatal injury data in India are unreliable police data should not be used for epidemiology of road traffic injuries (Mohan, Tiwari & Bhalla 2016)



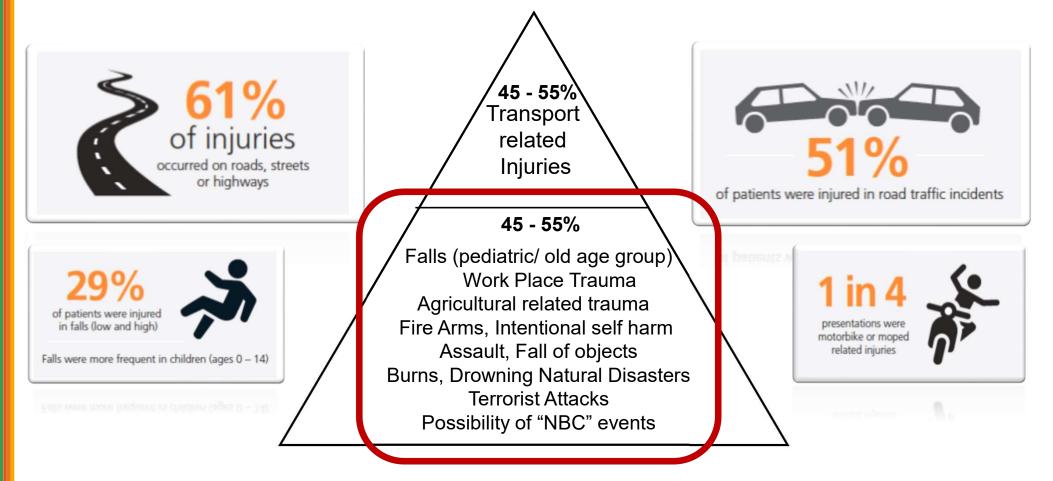
Gururaj G. Int. J. Vehicle Safety, Vol. 7, Nos. 3/4, 2014



# Multiple Causes of Injuries Transport related Injuries highest



# **Injury: Silent Genocide**





# **Trauma Care Systems**

No need to re-invent the wheel

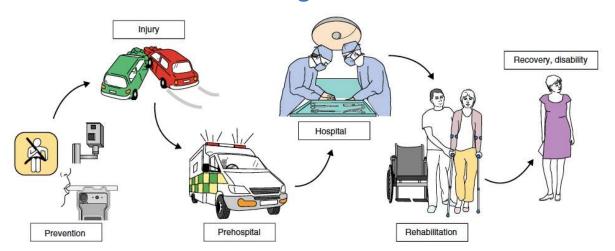


## Very high mortality and morbidity

(16 times) for the same Injury severity in India as compared to western data

- PRIMITIVE OR NON EXISTENT "TRAUMA CARE SYSTEMS"
- Lack of dedicated Pre-hospital care
- Absence of trained manpower in Pre-hospital; In-hospital Acute trauma care and rehabilitation
- Lack of Trauma related hospital data (registry) and Trauma Quality improvement programs.

# 'Getting the right patient to the right place at the right time for the right care'





**Donald** D **Trunkey** June 23, 1937 - May 1, 2019

Source: R. L. Gruen, B. J. Gabbe, H. T. Stelfox and P. A. Cameron, British Journal of Surgery 2012; 99(Suppl 1): 97–104



# **Trauma Care - Systems Approach**

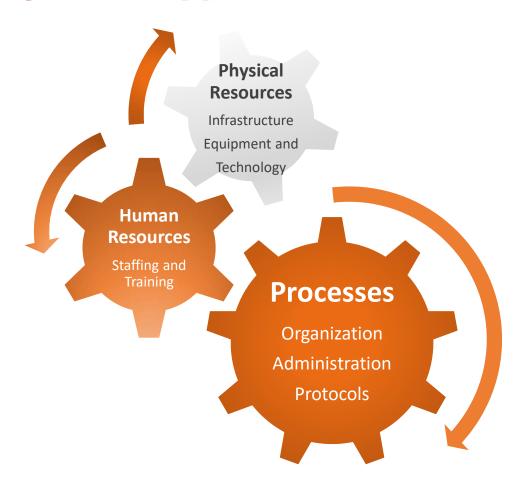
## Pre - Hospital Care

## In Hospital Care

- Acute Care ED
- Definitive Care –OR/ICU/Wards

# Post Hospital Care

• Rehabilitation





# **Poorly Organized Pre-hospital care**

## Public Private partnership at state/local level

• The "108 Services"; Ambulance Access for All (AAA); Foundation and Emergency and Accident Relief Centre (EARC); IIEMS; LIHS; Ambulance Motorbike and Rescue Service (AMARS); Active Network Group of Emergency Life Savers (ANGELS) etc.

**Ambulances with Fire Services** 

Ambulances of Private and Govt. Hospitals

**Private Ambulance Services** 

NGO's/Trusts running Ambulances

St. John's Ambulance Services

Civil Defense Ambulances



# **Pre-hospital Care – PPP Model**

Pre Hospital Care being given by a private agency with a common number "108"

Adopted by 24 States and is in different phases of Commissioning

ALS + BLS

**Short Term Trained personnel** 

Communications Center with GPS enabled systems





# **Pre-Hospital Care – Critical Gaps**

No EMS LEGISLATION – EMS Authority (Except one state - Gujarat)

No Universal Emergency Number – Access to Emergency Care

Absent in many states and in most of Rural India

In some states very primitive without equipped ambulances, trained manpower and proper processes & organization

Some states have adopted the Emergency Number 108 for Ambulance/ Police and Fire.

The current systems run on GPS/ GPRS Systems, backed by regulatory control

Manpower training and organizational aspects.



# **In-Hospital Trauma Care – Critical Gaps**

Lack of trained doctors and nurses in emergency departments

## Dire necessity of Four specialties

- Trauma Surgery
- Emergency Medicine
- Neuro-Surgery
- Trauma Critical/ Intensive Care

Absence of Trauma Surgeons/ trained surgical specialists in trauma

Insufficient numbers of super specialists in various fields of Trauma Care (neurosurgeons, trauma intensive care etc.)

Insufficient numbers of rehabilitation professionals in hospitals



# **Trauma System Gaps**

	Pre-Hospital Care		In-Hospital Care	
	Rural/ Semi Urban	Urban	Rural/ Semi Urban	Urban
Infrastructure	-	+	±	+
Trained and Skilled Manpower	-	±	-	±
Organization (Processes)	-	-	-	-
Trauma Data/ Registries	-	-	-	±



# Initiatives of the concerned Ministries of the Govt. of India



## The New Motor Vehicle Amendment Act - 2019

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• Increased penalties for several offences

#### **Road Safety Board**

Provides for a National Road Safety Board (Advisory)

# Compensation for road accident victims

Cashless treatment in Golden Hour

Compensation to Victim/ Family

#### **Motor Vehicle Accident Fund**

• Provide compulsory insurance cover to all road users

#### **Good Samaritans**

 Not liable for any civil or criminal action in case he provides assistance to Road Accident Victim

#### **Provisions for Vehicular Safety**

Penalties for Highway and road builders

• In case of audit breaches





# Provision of Ambulances every 50 Km on National Highways (National Highways Authority of India – NHAI)

#### The Golden Quadrilateral





#### The NS-EW Corridor







# Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of India Enhancing Trauma Care Infrastructure – Five Year Plans

## 9<sup>th</sup>& 10<sup>th</sup> FYP (1998 – 2008)

Pilot Project for strengthening emergency facilities along the highways

## 11<sup>th</sup> Plan (2008 – 2013)

 Assistance for capacity building for developing trauma care facilities in Govt. hospitals on National Highways. 128 Identified and funded

## 12<sup>th</sup> plan (2013 – 2018)

• Capacity building for developing Trauma Care Facilities in Govt. Hospitals on National Highways

## Extended till March, 2020

• National Programme for Prevention & Management of Trauma and Burn Injuries



# National Ambulance Code - (2018)

Drafted by Central Govt.

Code to define constructional, functional requirements for road ambulances.

Code will be applicable to ambulances across the country

## **Ambulance Types**

- Type A Road Ambulance: Medical First Responder
- Type B Road Ambulance: Patient Transport Vehicles
- Type C Road Ambulance: Basic Life Support Ambulance
- Type D Road Ambulance: Advanced Life Support Ambulance.







## **Pre- Hospital Manpower**

## Recommendations of the National Guidelines on Pre-hospital Care

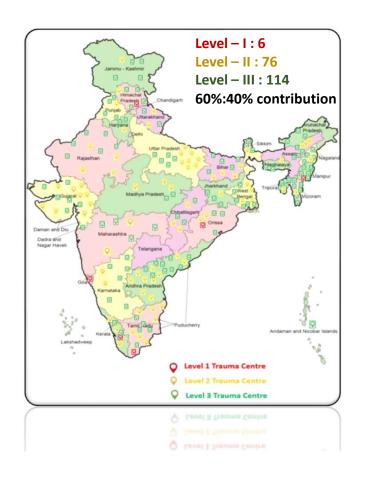
- Who can be Emergency Medical Tech's? (EMT's)
- Training options
  - Employer trains the employee (Variable 2-4 months)
  - 9 months certification course
  - Diploma course:2 yrs
  - Degree course: 3 years
  - Nurses: Degree/ diploma + 6 months bridging course







## Ministry of Health & Family Welfare Central Govt. helping the state Govt's to upgrade Trauma facilities in State run Hospitals







## **Capacity Building**

Demand ...... "GAP" ...... Supply

Urgent requirement for Trained Medical and paramedical manpower



## **Capacity Building: Manpower Training in Trauma**

- Short term training courses
  - Bystanders
  - Police personnel
  - EMTs
  - Nurses
  - Doctors
- Long term training program
  - Doctors
  - Nurses



## **Short Term Training Courses**

- Pre-hospital care
  - First Aid (bystanders)
  - PHTLS/ITLS (EMTs)
- In-hospital Trauma care in ER
  - ATLS (Doctors)
  - ATCN (Nurses)



## Government Agencies

#### Public Awareness, Advocacy, Capacity Building and Training, Legislation, First Aid Training, EMS Guidelines



Ministry of Health and Family Welfare Government of India



Ministry of Road transport and Highways Government of India





राष्ट्रीय स्वास्थ्य एवं परिवार कल्याण संस्थान The National Institute of Health and Family Welfare







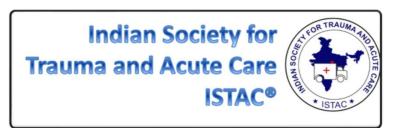


## Initiatives of Societies Non-Governmental Agencies

Public Awareness, Advocacy, Capacity Building and Training, Legislation, First Aid Training, EMS Guidelines















The Lifeline Foundation, Vadodara







# Short Term Course: In-hospital Care Advanced Trauma Life Support for Doctors



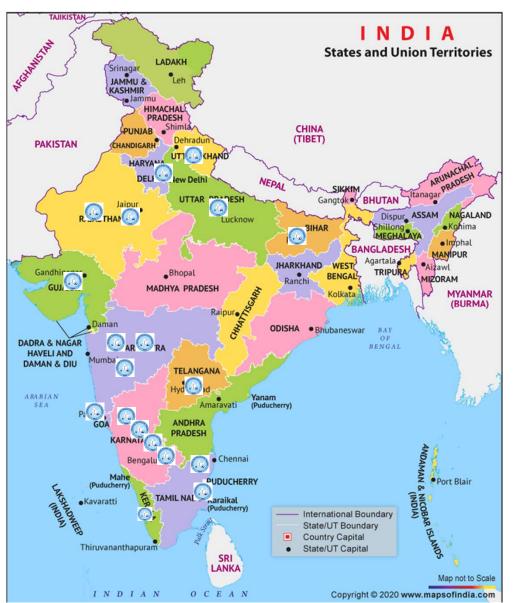






ATLS - India Inaugural Course





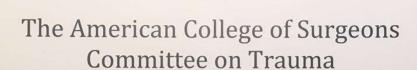


# Expansion of ATLS India Program

www.atls.in

27 ATLS sites





Awards

## India

With your achievement of 10 years dedicated to ATLS service.

2009 - 2019





At the Committee on Trauma Annual Meeting March 22nd, 2019, Chicago, Illinois

San M. Hay

Sharon M. Henry, MD, FACS International ATLS Chair Kimberly Joseph, MD, FACS, FCCM ATLS Committee Chair



### **Advanced Trauma Care for Nurses**











## Inaugural ATCN® Provider Course 03/2010





# Pre-hospital Trauma Life Support course for Paramedics









# Inaugural PHTLS course 02/2012









Promulgation of Pre-Hospital Trauma Life Support Course (PHTLS\*) in India



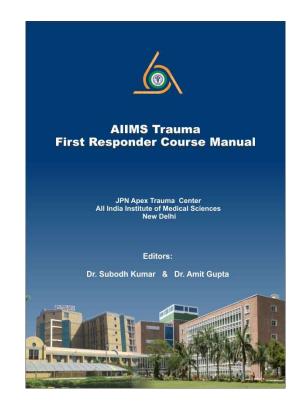


# AIIMS Trauma First Responder Course (AIIMS TFR) Skill Oriented Training

On site - First Aid

Stabilization & Transportation to Trauma Care Center

Medical & Surgical
Management at the Trauma
Care Center





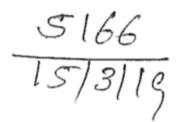
## TRAINED ABOUT 1600 PCR PERSONNEL IN 18 MONTHS 2009-2010





AIIMS – Trauma First Responder Course AIIMS – Basic Emergency Care Course JPN Apex Trauma Center, AIIMS







#### GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

#### **Abstract**

Health & Family Welfare Department Medical Education Service - Department of Emergency Medicine - Action points for Administrators and Duty Medical Officers to improve the quality of trauma care services in Medical Colleges - approved - Orders issued.

#### HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (B) DEPARTMENT

G.O(Rt.)No.623/2019/H&FWD.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 09.03.2019.

Read:- Letter No.CA/3/2019/JDME(M) dated 23.01.2019 from the Director of Medical Education.

#### ORDER

 BLS training to be mandatorily imparted to all staff who has a presence in the casualty and ACLS and ATLS to all doctors including interns.





# Long Term Training (Doctors) Trauma/ Acute Care Surgery/ Emergency Surgery

- Acute Care Surgery is an evolving specialty with three essential components-
  - Trauma Surgery
  - Critical care and
  - Emergency General Surgery



## Trauma/ Acute Care Surgeon/ Emergency Surgeon Maintains Continuity of Care

- All Surgical Emergencies
  - Trauma
  - Non-trauma
- Resuscitation in ED- ER procedures
- Definitive care
- Rehabilitation
- Disaster Management

Trauma Prevention,
Trauma Training, ToT
Quality Improvement Programs



## **Medical Agencies**

Responsible to develop curriculum of different courses in India

- National Medical Commission (NMC)
- National Board of Examination in Medical Sciences (NBE)
- All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS)



# PG Training in Trauma & Acute Care Surgery: Current scenario in India

#### Post M.B.B.S

Master of Surgery (M.S.) – Traumatology & Surgery

### Post M.S. (Surgery/Traumatology & Surgery)

- Fellowship of National Board (FNB)- Trauma & Acute Care Surgery
- Master of Chirurgiae (M.Ch.) Trauma Surgery & Critical Care



## **National Medical Commission (NMC)**

- M.S. (Traumatology & Surgery)
  - Duration: 3 years
  - Eligibility: M.B.B.S.
  - Curriculum: Trauma & Non-trauma surgical emergencies





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MEDICAL SCIENCES & TECHNOLOGY

M.S. (Traumatology & Surgery)



## National Board of Examination in Medical Sciences (NBE)

- FNB- Trauma & Acute Care Surgery
  - Duration: 2 years
  - Eligibility: M.S. (Surgery/ Traumatology & Surgery)
  - Curriculum: Trauma & Non-trauma surgical emergencies



# Division of Trauma Surgery & Critical care AIIMS Apex Trauma Center





## M.Ch. (Trauma Surgery & Critical Care)

- Started at AIIMS Delhi: January 2016
  - Till date 12 batches (36 trainees including 7 from Armed forces)
  - 06 batches (16 candidates awarded)
    - 11 joined as Faculty
- Other AIIMS- Rishikesh, Jodhpur & Patna



## Trauma & Emergency Surgery- a promising career



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#### **EDITORIAL**



#### Trauma and Emergency Surgery—a Career with Passion

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Trauma or its synonym injury is a disease and it can very well be explained by Haddon's matrix [1]. Trauma is responsible for high morbidity and mortality. Worldwide, approximately 1.3 million people are killed in road traffic crashes and 78 million are injured every year [2]. The National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB) reported that \$54,732 people died on Indian roads due to trauma in 2019 [3]. Trauma-related mortality affects mainly the young population in the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> decades of life. It is not only loss of life but also loss to a family and society at large and loss of livelihood with financial burden on both family and society. There is an urgent need to reduce morbidity and mortality due to trauma and every effort must be made at individual, institutional, state, and national levels to achieve this goal.

trauma and emergency surgery (TES) [5]. Both ACS and TES are interchangeable. Since trauma surgeons are trained to work during odd hours with limited resources, they can manage general surgical emergencies more efficiently. In addition, the literature supports the concept of ACS or TES surgeons and emphasise that, in addition to trauma and emergency surgeries, elective general surgery should also be an essential component of training of acute care surgeons [6, 7]. On comparing the surgical practice of TES surgeons and elective practice general surgery (ELEC) surgeons, it was found that TES surgeons admitted more patients and performed more after-hour operations compared with their ELES colleagues [8]. Nowadays, more and more general surgeons are opting for elective surgeries and, as a result, non-traumatic



### **Future Directions**

- To make trauma life support courses compulsory for doctors, nurses and paramedics as a part of their curriculum.
- Need to establish Department of Trauma Surgery in every medical college in the country to improve patient care, training and research in the field of Trauma Care



## **GOAL**

To develop a Trauma System

Dedicated
Responsible
Accountable

"Save as Many lives and limbs as Possible"



