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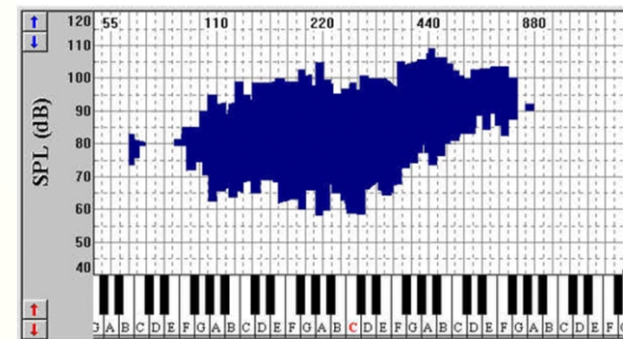
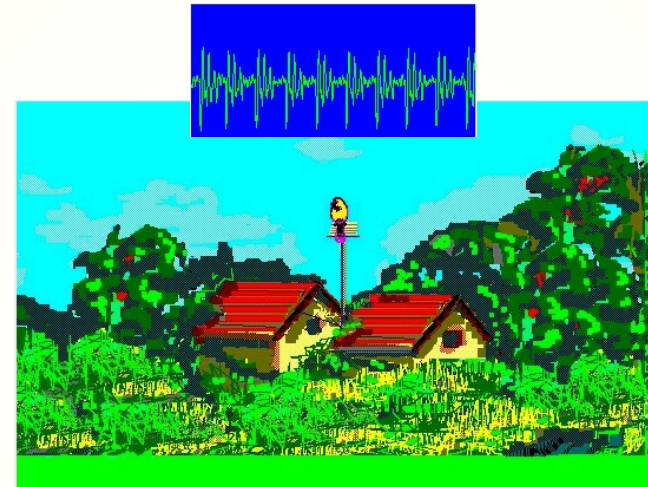
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National Workshop on Pediatric Voice disorders: Assessment and Management

12-13 February, 2015



Venue

AIISH, Seminar Hall
 Manasagangothri, Mysuru 570 006

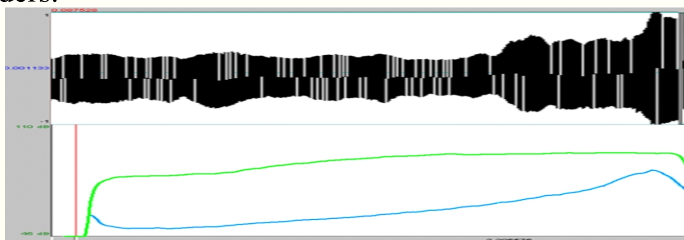
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A large number of children are reported to have voice disorders, with estimates of prevalence varying from 6%-9% (Sederholm, 1995). In general, most of the children in their day-today activity engage in loud talking, screaming, yelling, play vocalizations of animals and vehicles and so on. These vocal activities are often referred as phonotraumatic behaviors which are associated with dysphonia involving vocal nodules commonly seen in school going children. Voice disorders in children, if left untreated, may persist for many years. It would have few adverse effects in their educational performances.

The objective of the workshop is to augment the knowledge of practicing speech-language pathologists and students of speech-language pathology and ENT students on current procedures and approaches in assessing and managing children with voice disorders.

The workshop would enumerate the anatomical and physiological differences between the adult and child larynx, voice problems commonly seen in pre-school and school going children and appropriate assessment procedures (both acoustic and perceptual) for them by eminent persons who have expertise in the area of voice disorders. Also, this workshop would emphasize on the different techniques that can be used in the management for children with voice disorders. In addition, this workshop addresses different issues on pediatric voice disorders from multi-disciplinary point of view of Speech-language pathologists and Oto-rhino-laryngologists. This workshop would highlight the importance of team approach in managing children with voice disorders.



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Schedule of the Workshop

12.02.2015

9.00 - 9.30	Registration	
9.30 - 10.00	Inauguration	
10.00 -10.30	Coffee / Tea Break	
10.30 -11.00	Lecture 1 : Anatomical differences between adult versus infant and child larynx	Dr. T. K. Prakash
11.00-11.30	Lecture 2: Development of voice from infant to adolescent	Dr. T. Jayakumar
11.30-12.15	Lecture 3: Assessment of voice in pediatric voice disorders (Acoustic analysis)	Dr. M. Santhosh
12.15-1.00	Lecture 4: Assessment of voice in pediatric voice disorders (Aerodynamic and perceptual analysis)	Dr. T. Jayakumar
1.00-2.00	Lunch Break	
2.00-3.30	Practical I: <i>Acoustic analysis of pediatric voice</i>	Staff, Dept. of SLS
3.30-4.00	Coffee/ Tea Break	
4.00-5.00	Practical II: <i>Perceptual analysis of pediatric voice</i>	Staff, Dept. of SLS

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10.00-10.45	Lecture 5: Assessment of voice in children with maxillofacial anomalies	Mr. R. Gopisankar
10.45-11.30	Lecture 6: Voice therapy for pediatric voice disorders	Mr. R. Rajasudhakar
11.30-12.00	Coffee/ Tea break	
12.00-12.45	Lecture 7: Special care for pediatric singers	Dr. K. Yeshoda
12.45-1.45	Lunch break	
1.45-4.00	Practical III: <i>Video of pediatric voice disorders recorded by Videostroboscopy</i>	Staff, Dept. of SLS
4.00-4.30	Valedictory function/ Feedback/ Distribution of certificates	