

This year YPC has twenty five members including chair (Dr. M Taimoor Khan) and co-chairs (Drs. Majid Aized, Danish Saeed, Sadiq Naveed and Shahzad Iqbal).

Our Chicago YPC meeting held in January of 2019 went as planned. We accomplished our goals set for the event. Overall feedback from participants of the event was positive. YPC has laid out multiple projects for this year. Various sub-committees are formed. Two or more YPC members leading each sub-committees. A team of YPC members remained active during the match week and did Teleconference on "Guidance about post match scramble". Dr. Urooba Faheem led this project. We are organizing 'Young Physicians Coaching Teleconferences' on bi-monthly basis. There is brief talk about relevant project by invited speaker or committee member in beginning of teleconference, followed by question-answer session. Drs. Faheem and Nayab will be helping us with media communications on social media. Dr. Iqbal from YPC is working very closely with our advocacy committee on developing mechanisms for expediting pending visa cases. We will also be having " Day on the hill" on May 1st to help establish strong foundation for this year J1/ H1 visa cases. Online visa helpline is already established for visa applicants to submit their cases. Preparation is going on for three other different YPC seminars during APPNA Spring, Summer meeting in Orlando, Florida and Fall meeting. Our team members are also helping with YPC session on April 20th in Boston, April 27th in Arlington and 1st week of April in Dallas. We will organize the research seminars as well. It includes both oral and poster presentations. Honoraria will be provided to the presenters. Donations request has been sent out to help with these projects. Dr. Onaiza Habib, Majid Aized, Danish Saeed and Kashaf Sherafgan leading the mentorship program. YPC is relaunching APPNA online web-based system for observerships and externships portal. Dr. Sadiq Naveed leading 'Externship/ observership' project. Dr. Faraz Alam, Mamoona Sheikh and Gulrayz are helping with this project. Dr. Hasan Habib helping us with signing up preceptors from St Louis MONY Chapter managing APPNA NY house for accommodation. Our Facebook page is very active with over 9000 members. Different YPC members manages it. YPC Website: ([www.cyponline.net](http://www.cyponline.net)) is continuously getting updated. In-order to prepare the upcoming residency match applicants; Dr. Nayyab along with other team members will arrange 'mock interview session' project. Dr. Gulrayz Ahmed along with Dr. Tariq Alam has been helping us with updating previous version of booklet on " Road to residency". We also have fellowship guidance subcommittee involving Drs. Shahram Maroof, Zeshan and Ali Zulquranin. We have faculty and ECFMG reach out sub-committee led by Dr. Rizwan Naeem. Other team members include Dr. Shamim Salman, Saad Usmani, Aftab Ahmed and Amjad Sheikh. Team members include Research sub-committee involves Drs. Faisal Khosa, Saad Usmani, Haider Afzal and Shahzeb Khan. It has been pleasure to work with vibrant team of YPC.