

Brief Bio Dr. Sumit Singh

Dr. Sumit Singh completed his MBBS from M.L.B. Medical College, Jhansi, his MD (Medicine) from L.L.R.M. Medical College, Meerut, and his DM (Neurology) from the All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), New Delhi in 1998, where he was also awarded the topper's gold medal in Neurology and the B.L. Soni Award for the best resident. He served on the faculty of the Department of Neurology at AIIMS from 2000 to 2009, and since June 2016 he has been Chief of Neurology at the "CRREST" Institute of Neurosciences, Artemis Hospitals, Gurugram, having earlier served as Additional Director of Neurology at Medanta – The Medicity, Gurgaon w.e.f. 2009 to 2016.

Over nearly three decades, he has established himself as a leading clinician and academician in the fields of headache medicine, movement disorders, and neuromuscular disorders. At AIIMS, he established the Neuromuscular Disorders Clinic and the first Headache Clinic in the government sector, pioneered the use of botulinum toxin for headache and trigeminal neuralgia, and helped define the role of plasma exchange in myasthenia gravis and other neuroimmunological disorders. He has since been instrumental in setting up neurology departments and DNB training programmes at Medanta and Artemis Hospitals, Gurgaon, and has initiated a Movement Disorders Fellowship at Artemis recognised by the MDS International and the Movement Disorder Society of India.

He has authored **126 publications in peer-reviewed journals with an h-index of 52 and an i10-index of 102, and has guided more than 20 thesis projects as Chief Guide and 40 as Co-Guide.** He is the co-author of the Headache Management Guidelines for India, an invited document of the Indian Academy of Neurology (IAN), and currently serves on the committee reviewing its revision. He has been Principal or Co-Investigator on numerous national and international clinical trials spanning stroke, epilepsy, headache, and movement disorders. He has also **authored 28 Chapters in books Including "Parasitic infections of the nervous system - Bradleys textbook of Neurology".** he has organized several world class stand-alone conference which have been widely appreciated like Virtual Agrim Neurology Update, CREST Neuro-conclave and ICURE CREST Stroke conclave.

He has been deeply committed to public health education, founding PRAN, a patient support group for Parkinson's disease, and organising numerous public awareness programmes on Parkinson's disease, migraine, epilepsy, and multiple sclerosis. He is a regular voice on neurological health in national media, including Times of India, India Today, NDTV, Times Now, and Doordarshan. He has been an astute clinician who is known nationally as a headache and movement disorders specialists. He is a team player who founded the FIRST and ONLY group practicing unit in the field of neurology in the country by the name of AGRIM NEUROSERVICES and then rechristened it by the name of CRREST NEUROSERVICES. This team has been one of the most recognized quaternary health care services in North India.

Dr. Singh has been an Executive Committee member of the Indian Academy of Neurology since 2020 and currently serves as its Joint Secretary; he was also joint organising secretary of AOCN IANCON 2022. He is a founder member and Honorary Secretary of the Headache Society of India, an Executive Committee member of the Movement Disorders Society of India. Dr Sumit has been **instrumental in redesigning the IAN website and app.** He is a Fellow of the Indian Academy of Neurology and the World Headache Society, and a life member of the IAN since 2000. and has been Master of Ceremonies for "NEUROGAMA" the Indian Academy of Neurology's cultural events since 2014.