

Prof. Dr. Wasim Jafri

Dr Wasim Jafri is associated with Aga Khan University since January 1987. He is a professor of medicine and consultant gastroenterologist and hepatologist. Dr Jafri is a fellow of the Royal Colleges of Physicians of London, Edinburgh and Glasgow and is also fellow of the American College of Physicians and Gastroenterology. Chair of ACT Hepatitis Pakistan, member of the Guidelines committee of the Asian Pacific Association for the study of Liver, Advisor to the Asian Pacific Association for the study of Liver, He has also worked with the WHO on the first HCV guidelines. He was also Governor of the American College of Gastroenterology in 2011. In 2018, he was awarded the prestigious award of Master of the American College of Gastroenterology.

Dr Jafri is a Member of the New York Academy of Scientists and is the first Pakistani fellow of the FAIMER institute, he has been awarded the fellowship of the American Association for the Study of Liver Disease, and the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene UK. He was the Founding President of the Pakistan Society for the Study of Liver disease, founding Vice president of the Pakistan Society of Hepatology and general secretary of the Pakistan society of Gastroenterology and GI endoscopy.

He has been recipient of several national and international awards. He was conferred life time achievements awards by the Pakistan Society of Gastroenterology, Pakistan Society for the Study of Liver, South Asian Association for the Study of Liver by the prime minister of Nepal in 2018, and by the prime minister of Pakistan on the occasion of Shifa International Master of Hepatology Symposium 2018.

He research work has 11972 citations and his h-index is 51 and i-10 index is 150. He sits on the editorial boards of many national and International journals and is an active member of several societies of his specialty. He has also worked with College of Physicians and Surgeons of Pakistan in developing the fellowship in gastroenterology and has trained scores of physicians in the field of medicine, gastroenterology and hepatology.