

CURRICULUM VITAE

Dr Rakesh Jalali, India

Dr Jalali is currently involved in providing clinical and administrative leadership to India's and South Asia's first proton therapy facility and a state-of-the art comprehensive cancer centre (APCC) attached to it, with the mandate of providing cancer care of the highest level and at the same time, generating quality data with due scientific rigour.

Dr. Jalali is recognized as a key global opinion leader particularly for high-precision radiotherapy techniques, enhancing quality of life for cancer patients and developing appropriate research models. It is to his credit and foresight that the 'Neuro Oncology' Group at TMH, which he developed, is hailed as the finest such unit in India and recognized throughout the world. He was also instrumental in establishing the Indian Society of Neuro-Oncology (ISNO) in 2008 serving as its founding general secretary, then its President and now chairing its senior advisory council. Dr. Jalali's numerous research publications including in high-impact journals such as the *Lancet*, *Lancet Oncology*, *JAMA Oncology*, *JCO*, etc; have been helpful in guiding treatment philosophies in the management of cancers. A much sought after speaker, he is widely regarded for his teaching and providing expert guidance to various national and international scientific meetings and professional societies.