**Presentations:**

**International**

* Center for the Study of Indian Diaspora, Primary and Secondary Prevention to Prevent Chronic Diseases, North Gujarat University, Ahmadabad, Gujarat, January 4, 2011.
* National Aluminum Corporation Ltd (NALCO) Hospital, Importance of Primary and Secondary Prevention of Diabetes, Damonjodi, June 28, 2010.
* Asian Institute of Public Health, Burden of Diabetes in Indians, Bhubaneswar, January 12, 2010.
* Preventive and Social Medicine Conference, Diabetes Prevention and Management Program in India using Community Health Workers, Bhubaneswar, January 10, 2010.
* Global Health Summit, Epidemics of Diabetes, New Delhi, January 2-4, 2010.
* National Education Society, Health education for children, adolescents, and adults, Mumbai, India, January 7, 2008.
* Indian Science Congress, A Comparison of the Metabolic Syndrome among Immigrant Asian Indians and Indians in India, Visakapatnam, India, January 5, 2008.
* 1st Indo-US Healthcare Submit, Diabetes among Indians, New Delhi, India, December 13-15, 2007.
* Prevalence of Diabetes, Metabolic Syndrome, and CVD Risk Factors: Results from the first National Study of Asian Indians in the US (DIA Study), Apollo Hospital in Chennai, India December 30, 2006.
* Prevalence of Diabetes, Metabolic Syndrome, and CVD Risk Factors: Results from the first National Study of Asian Indians in the US (DIA Study), Jawaharlal Institute of Postgraduate Medical Education (JIPMER), Pondicherry, India , December 31, 2006.
* Prevalence of Diabetes, Metabolic Syndrome, and CVD Risk Factors: National Study of Asian Indians in the US (DIA Study), Patna Medical College, Patna, India January 2, 2007.
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* Diabetes Education Program in Rural Communities, Baroda Medical College, Baroda, India December 23, 2006.
* Diabetes in Migrant Indian Americans. Indian Medical Association. Trivandum, India. December 2004.
* Diabetes Prevention Education Program in a Rural Population in India. Indian Medical Association. Trivandrum, India. December 2004.
* A Population Based Study Of Diabetes And Metabolic Correlates Of Cardiovascular Risk Factors Among Asian Indians. All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi, India. December 2004.
* Metabolic Correlates of Diabetes and Heart Disease. University Grants Commission (UGC) Refresher Course on Health Promotion and Disease Prevention. Gandhigram Rural Institute, Madurai, India. December 2004.
* Importance of Nutrition Education, Department of Agriculture and Food Production, Bhubaneswar, India. June 1998.
* Diabetes care and management, Regional Institute of Education, Bhubaneswar, India. June 1998.

**National**

* Global Organization of People of Indian Origin (GOPIO), “Prevalence of Diabetes, Metabolic Syndrome and CVD among Asian Indians: Results from the DIA Study” New York, November 13, 2010.
* UMDNJ-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, **Keynote speaker**, “Addressing Health Disparities and Chronic Illness in South Asian Communities: What We Know and What we Don’t Know”. Oct 9, 2010.
* New York University Langone Medical Center, Center for Asian American Health, Community Empowerment using Community Health Workers: Diabetes Prevention Program in Rural India, April 1, 2010.
* South Asian Awareness Network (SAAN). An Ounce of Prevention, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, January 23-25th, 2009.
* Ohio State University, School of Allied Medical Profession, Importance of Primary and Secondary Prevention Programs, Grand Round, February 19, 2009.
* Global Diabetes Congress, Diabetes and Metabolic Correlates of Cardiovascular Disease among South Asians, Seattle, Washington, October 22-23 2007.
* MD Anderson Cancer Center. Factors that Influence Diabetes Management and Outcomes. Disparities in Health in America: Working towards Social Justice. 5th Annual Summer Workshop, Houston TX, June 25, 2007.
* Metabolic Syndrome among Asian Americans: A Tsunami in the making. 22nd Annual Scientific Meeting of the American Society of Hypertension, Chicago, May 18, 2007.
* Migration and Cardio-metabolic Risk: Obesity and Diabetes among Foreign Born People in the United States, Hubert Department of Public Health, Rollins School of Public Health, Emory University, April 26, 2007.
* Heart Disease among Asian Indian Women: A Call to Action, American Association of Physicians of Indian Origin, Atlanta, June 30, 2006.
* Diabetes Education Interventions in Community Settings, American Association of Physicians of Indian Origin, Atlanta, June 30, 2006.
* Burden of Diabetes in Asian Americans. Asian American Health Initiative, Montgomery County Department of Health and Human Services-Office of Minority and Multicultural Health, Bethesda, Maryland. May 5th, 2006.
* Diabetes among Indian Americans: Results from the DIA Study. American Association of Physicians of Indian Origin (AAPI)’s 53rd Annual Convention, June 2005.
* Diabetes among Indian Americans. Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX. June 2005.
* The Obesity Epidemic in the United States: Prevalence in Minority Populations and Associated Risks for Chronic Diseases. Diversity workshop on Obesity and Physical Activity among Minority Populations. Harvard School of Public Health, Boston MA. June 2005.
* Diabetes and Cardiovascular Risk in South Asians. Asian and Pacific American Medical Student Association (APAMSA) Regional (Mid-west chapter) Convention, Washington University, Saint Louis, MO. April 2005.
* Cardiovascular Disease and Diabetes in the South Asian American Community. Asian and Pacific American Medical Student Association (APAMSA) Annual Convention, UT Houston & Baylor College of Medicine, Houston, TX. November 2004.
* Metabolic Syndrome, Diabetes, and Cardiovascular Risk in Asian Indians. Endocrine Grand Round, Baylor College of Medicine, Houston TX. March 2005.

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* Misra R., Patel TG, Kotha P, Vijay K, Patel C. (November 2010). Metabolic Syndrome among Asian Indians: A new Proposed Definition for Immigrant Asian Indians in the US, 138th APHA Annual Meeting, November 7-11 2010, Denver CO.
* Misra, R., Maryanna Klatt, and Padmini Balagopal. Cultural Diversity and Complementary and Alternative Medicine Usage among Asian American Subgroups: Implications for Curriculum.The American Educational Research Association, Denver CO, May1-4, 2010.
* Misra, R., Maryanna Klatt, and Padmini Balagopal. *Complementary and Alternative Medicine Use among Immigrant Asian Indians and its Association with Health Behaviors, Supplement Use, and Access to Care*. 137th APHA Annual Meeting, November 7-11 2009, Philadelphia, PA.
* Misra, R., Balagopal, P., Kamalamma, N., Patel, TG. (October 2008) *Participatory Diabetes Prevention and Management Program in a Semi-Urban Village in India.* Annual APHA Conference, October 25-28, San Diego, California.
* Misra, R., *Cancer screening practices among Asian Indians: A national study*, (April 2008) Biannual Intercultural Cancer Symposium, April 3-6, 2008, Washington DC.
* Misra, R., Thakor Patel, Padmini Balagopal, N. Kamalamma, Anoop Misra, Naval Vikram. [*A Population Based Multi-Site Study Of Metabolic Syndrome among immigrant Asian Indians in the United States and Indians in India*](http://apha.confex.com/apha/135am/techprogram/paper_158735.htm). Annual APHA Conference, Washington DC, November 4-8 2007.
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* Krishnaswami Vijayaraghavan, V.Camacho, M Jeffries, M Budoff, R Misra, E Brinton. Gender differences in Insulin resistance among Asian Indians. (March 2007). Atherosclerosis in Asian Indians: Multiple Risk Factor Study Assessment ( AHIMSA). JACC, Mar 6th, 2007. 379 A; 1020-12. ONLINE version : doi:10.1016/j.jacc.2007.01.043
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* *Arciniega B,* Valdes Ramos R, Salinas-E, Misra R, Farfan-G F. Diet in diabetics, non diabetics with impaired fasting glucose, and normoglycemic adults. World Congress of Public Health Nutrition. Barcelona, September 28-30, 2006.
* Misra R., Patel TG, Kotha P, Raji A, Ganda A, Banerji M, Vijay K, Mudaliar S, Balasubramanyam A. (July 2006). Prevalence of Diabetes and Metabolic Syndrome in US Asian Indians: How do they compare to other ethnic groups? 134th Annual APHA Conference, Boston MA, November 5-8 2006.
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* Ramaswami Nalini, Allison Pritchett, Gilbert Garza, *Julie Lager*, Ranjita Misra, Elizabeth Cloyd, Ashok Balasubramanyam. (July 2006). Collaborative Care for Heart Failure Patients with the Metabolic Syndrome: Design and Methods for a Randomized Controlled Clinical Outcomes Trial. American Diabetes Association, Washington DC, June 9-13, 2006.
* Misra R., Patel TG. (June 30, 2006). CVD among Asian Women - A call to action. Women's Forum. AAPI Conference, Atlanta GA, June 29-July 2 2006.
* Kotha, P., Misra R., Patel TG. (June 30, 2006). Diabetes and CVD among Asian Indian Females. Women's Forum. AAPI Conference, Atlanta GA, June 29-July 2 2006.
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