

OBITUARY



Dr. (Miss) Amy Dhunjibhoy Engineer
Born 10-10-1915
Expired 10-4-1988

Padma Shri Dr. (Miss) Amy Dhunjibhoy Engineer was born in Bombay on 10th October, 1915. She left for heavenly abode on 10th April, 1988 in King George Medical College, Lucknow. She was Emeritus Professor, Obstetrics & Gynaecology and Officer Incharge, Human Reproduction, Research Centre, (ICMR), K.G. Medical College, Lucknow. She did M.B.B.S. in 1939, M.D. 1943, M.R.C.O.G. (London) in 1951 and F.R.C.S. (Endin) 1952. She was granted F.R.C.O.G. (London) 1955 and F.A.M.S. (India) 1977. She was awarded B. C. Roy Award for being good teacher in Obstetrics and Gynaecology in 1974 and 1976 she was crowned with PADMA SHRI National Award.

After obtaining M.B.B.S. Degree, 1939, she was first appointed as Resident

in General Surgery and Medicine at J.J. Group of Hospitals, Bombay and in Obstetrics & Gynaecology at Cama and Alless Hospitals from April, 1939 to December, 1944. She worked as Reader, Obstetrics & Gynaecology for four years in Medical Colleges of Lucknow and Agra from 1945, then as Professor and Head of Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology from 1st December, 1949 to 28th February, 1953 at S.N. Medical College, Agra and from 1st March, 1953 to 30th April, 1976 at King George Medical College, Lucknow.

She showed her special interest in the field of Contraception, M.C.H., Cytology and problems of reproductive physiology. She worked keenly in collaboration with the Indian Council of Medical Research, Delhi and with the staff of Central Drug

Research Institute, Lucknow since 1948 to date.

Since 1961 to date she was a member and advisor of many Committees formed by the Government of India on various aspects of Family Planning Programme. She kept her life fully devoted to the Family Welfare Programme & I.C.M.R. She was member of Northern Zone Reference Committee of Royal College of Obstetrics on several occasions. She was appointed Expert Advisor to the Union Public Service Commission and Inspector on behalf of the Medical Council of India for Undergraduate and Post-graduate Examinations at Bombay, Delhi, Poona, Trivendrum, Baroda, Ahmedabad,

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