

Prativa Pandey

Dr. Prativa Pandey is an internist and a travel medicine specialist who has been the medical director of CIWEC Hospital and Travel Medicine Center in Kathmandu, Nepal since 1998. Dr. Pandey did her undergraduate medical education from New Delhi, India and post-graduation in Internal Medicine from Boston, USA and returned after 10 years of practice in the US to start her travel medicine career at CIWEC. CIWEC Hospital started as CIWEC Clinic in 1982, one of the first destination travel medicine clinics with a rich tradition of research on travel related illnesses in Nepal. She has been the Past President of International Society of Travel Medicine and the founding president of Nepal Travel Medicine Society and site co- director for the GeoSentinel Kathmandu site. She is on the medical advisory board of Himalayan Rescue Association and has worked as a volunteer doctor for 3 months at Pheriche near Everest base camp. She successfully organized, as the local committee chair of the previous Asia Pacific Travel Health Society conference in 2016 in Kathmandu, Nepal.