

Competition Paper Submission: Best Social Responsibility App

eSymptoms: A Social Media site for lightening....

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He has several publications to his credit in International Journals. He has special interest in Antenatal Diagnosis of Congenital Malformations in the foetus and is actively involved in the management of congenital malformations of the urinary tract. He is currently the Past President of the Telemedicine Society of India and President of TSI Maharashtra Chapter, Organising the 13th International Telemedicon 2017.

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