

Dr. S. I. Padmavathi,
June 20, 1917
Indian Cardiologist
First Women Cardiologist of India

Her contributions: -

- Padmavati was born in Rangoon and did her medical studies in Rangoon Medical College.
- Then she did her Fellowship at Royal College of Physicians, London & in Edinburgh. Further, she was learning under the guidance of well-known Cardiologist Dr. Helen Taussing at John Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore and sometime under Dr. Paul Dudley White, a Pioneer of Modern Cardiology in Harvard Medical School.
- After returning to India, she initiated her service in 1953 at Lady Hardinge Medical College, Delhi. Where she began the **first Cardiac clinic and Cath lab**.
- Ultimately her meritorious services was honoured with **Padma Vibhushan** award. Which is a countries second highest civilian award and by **Padma Bhushan**.

The Goddess of Cardiology **Dr. S. I. Padmavathi**, truly a Hardonian is celebrating her 101st Birthday today.