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Dr Jai Rao is a Senior Consultant Neurosurgeon and Head of the Department of Neurosurgery at Singapore General Hospital under the National Neuroscience Institute (NNI). He also holds and has held leadership roles in staff wellbeing, education, global health, and enterprise risk management across the SingHealth cluster.

As a clinician leader in Singapore's public healthcare system, Dr Rao believes strongly in patient-centred, value-driven care anchored on teamwork, culture, and people development. His leadership journey has evolved from frontline clinical work and residency training into broader departmental and institutional leadership, where he has focused on building sustainable teams, nurturing future leaders, and strengthening organisational culture in complex healthcare environments.

Dr Rao is particularly passionate about creating psychologically safe environments where teams can grow, innovate, and deliver meaningful care together.