



ANNUAL REPORT

Indian Association of Preventive & Social Medicine- North Zone Chapter is a professional body of the experts in the field of Community Medicine/Public Health. IAPSM- NZ is a registered organization and affiliated with its national body. It is working with the mission to enhance the quality in Community Medicine/Public Health. (www.nziapsm.in). The national body, IAPSM was registered on 13th February 1984 under Society Act XXI 1860 at New Delhi. It is also registered under Trust Act and Society Act on 8th November 2011. So far, 19 conferences have been held in various medical colleges/ institutes throughout the north zone.

The 19th IAPSM-NZ conference was held at Government Medical College, Srinagar, J&K on October, 2015. The theme of the 19th conference was- “Emerging and Re-emerging diseases: The public health challenges in 21st century” in which updates were discussed on treatment, prevention & control of Dengue, Swine Flu, MERS, SARS and relevant issues. More than 500 delegates attended the conference, and more than 70 research papers were presented. The welcome speech was given by General Secretary, Dr Anmol Gupta in which he also told about the Resolutions passed during Governing Council meeting held on 9th October, 2015.

The audit report of 2014-2015 was read by Dr Anmol Gupta which was universally accepted by all the members. Y L Vasudeva oration for the year 2016 was awarded to Dr Sunil Raina. It was decided that the Department of Community Medicine, Dr RPGMC Tanda will start the e-Journal for which all sort of help will be given by the Governing Council. The meeting ended by the vote of thanks by Dr Rakesh Behl. Following events were observed:

1. Celebrations of World Health Day at IGMC Shimla and Dr RPGMC Tanda.
2. World Tuberculosis Week was observed from 17th – 24th March, 2016
3. Adolescent School Health School Workshop at IGMC Shimla
4. World No Tobacco Day
5. Release of e- Journal Of The International Journal of Epidemiology and Public Health (IJEPH)

Vasudeva Oration-Dr MS Punia



Release of Souvenir



Dr MS Punia Receiving YL Vasudeva Oration



QUIZ AT IGMC, SHIMLA



POSTER COMPETITION AT Dr RPGMC Tanda

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