



Indian Association of Preventive & Social Medicine



Dear Esteemed Members of IAPSM,

I am feeling privileged to represent the apex professional organization of Community Medicine / Preventive & Social Medicine for the year 2023-24.

Recently we have celebrated **Golden Jubilee Conference**. It is an important milestone in the life of any Association. This is Golden Jubilee Year. With the support of all of you, we envisage to celebrate this year as **Golden Jubilee year**. We will have a **Golden Jubilee year Action plan** for this year. I am happy to share my **Gold Jubilee Year Vision** for this action plan. We will carry out **50 activities** during golden jubilee year. It will be focusing on five focus and implemented using three principles, two approaches and one goal at the core.

Five Focus areas:

1. **Individual Level:** Create greater opportunities to groom IAPSM members as Community Medicine Experts, Consultants, Teachers, Trainers, Researchers.
2. **Institutional Level:** leveraging Medical Collages and strengthening the network for various activities, i.e. World Health Day Quiz, Subnational Tuberculosis Certification, Research, technical support etc.
3. **State Level:** Strengthening state chapters to make them more vibrant and dynamics. Creating IAPSM Council of all state Head office bearers.
4. **Notional Level:** Creating more committees and having annual action plan of IAPSM to institutionalize and advance the gain attained.
5. **Beyond IAPSM:** Reaching out to People, Policy Makers, Planners and Partners to attain the objectives of the IAPSM and goal of Community Medicine Discipline.

Three Principles

1. **Inclusive:** Including as many as interested members from all corner of the country
2. **Collectivism:** Creating synergy of different talents and potentials.
3. **Incremental:** Striving to achieve greater than what was achieved yesterdays/ yesteryears.

Two Approaches: Acting as facilitators and Catalyst rather than a Controlling Office.

One Goal: Taking IAPSM to Further Heights.....

I am sure Together We Can and We Will

Yours truly

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