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Message from the IAPSM National President and Secretary General



Esteemed Members IAPSM,

I am delighted to share the release of the second issue of our IAPSM Newsletter, a testament to the rich tapestry of activities and accomplishments within our vibrant community.

In this edition, we take pride in showcasing an array of activities, endeavors, and updates, reflecting the dynamism and dedication of our members in the diverse realms of preventive and social medicine. From innovative to impactful community activities, each contribution adds to the collective wisdom of our association.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude starting from the editorial team of this Newsletter to all the contributors who have generously shared their expertise, experiences, and insights. Your commitment to the mission of IAPSM is what makes our association a driving force in advancing preventive and social medicine in our nation.

I encourage each member to delve into the pages of this Newsletter, exploring the wealth of knowledge and celebrating the successes of our colleagues. Let this platform serve as a source of inspiration, fostering collaboration and camaraderie among us.

Thank you for your ongoing support, and I look forward to witnessing the continued growth and success of IAPSM through our shared endeavors.



Warm regards,
Dr. A. M. Kadri
National President
IAPSM

Dear IAPSM Members,

Excited to share our second Newsletter, highlighting diverse activities and achievements in preventive and social medicine. Grateful to contributors and the editorial team for their dedication. Your commitment propels IAPSM's mission, making us a force for positive change. Explore the Newsletter for insights and celebrate our collective successes.

Thanks for your ongoing support; looking forward to our continued growth.



Warm regards,
Dr. Purushottam Giri
Secretary General
IAPSM

Conferences organized by the IAPSM or under the banner of IAPSM



Completed Conferences

1. IAPSMWBCON2023:

- West Bengal state chapter organized by Dept. of Community Medicine, Institute of Post Graduate Medical Education & Research (IPGME&R) Kolkata with the theme of Healthy living in the shadows of Climate change on 08/09/2023 to 09/09/2023 and Preconference Continuing Medical Education (CME) event on September 14th, 2023. The conference was organised on the theme of Healthy living in the shadows of Climate change.
- Two Pre conference workshops were conducted at College of Medicine & Sagore Dutta Hospital, West Bengal on Deciphering statistics using Jamovi (on 07/09/2023) and Drafting of publication-ready manuscript (on 25/08/2023)
- There were 278 Participants registered in the conference and total 02 plenary sessions on various important public health issues like Rare disease: Public health implication and modes of early diagnosis, Climate change and Public health etc.
- In various scientific sessions total 11 scientific papers present orally and total 17 posters were presented.
- This conference was organised under the leadership of Dr. Sinjita Dutta was the Organizing Chairperson and Prof. Dr. Mausumi Basu was Organizing Secretary.



2. 3rd State Conference of the Karnataka Chapter:

- The 3rd State Conference of the Karnataka Chapter of the Indian Association of Preventive and Social Medicine (IAPSMCON2023) organized by the department of Community Medicine BLDE (DU) Shri B M Patil Medical College, Hospital & research Centre, Vijayapura on - 15-16 September 2023 and Preconference Continuing Medical Education (CME) event on September 14th, 2023. The conference was organised on the theme of Environment and Health – Equitize, Educate, and Empower – A Step towards Attaining Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Theme of pre-conference: Digital Health was Scaling Up Healthcare Using Digital Innovations
- There were 370 Participants registered in the conference and total 07 plenary sessions on various important public health issues like Effect of Air Pollution on Cardiovascular Health, Healthy Environment for Healthy Children, Climate Change & Human Health, Integrated Disease Surveillance Programme (IDSP) in Changing Climate, Tomorrow's World Today and Mapping the River of Life - Thinking like a Futurist etc were held.
- In various scientific sessions total 100 scientific papers present orally and total 24 posters were presented.

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- This conference was organised under the leadership of Dr. Shailaja S. Patil, Professor, Department of Community Medicine, as Organizing Chairperson and Dr. Rekha S. Udgiri, Professor, Department of Community Medicine, as Organizing Secretary.



3. 8th Andhra Pradesh State Joint Conference:

- The 8th AP State Joint Conference of the Indian Association of Preventive and Social Medicine (IAPSMCON2023) organized by the Department of Community Medicine GITAM Institute of Medical Sciences & Research, Yellapragada Auditorium on – 2 - 3 September 2023. The conference was organised on the theme of SDGs for better Health: How India is Spearheading towards it?
- There were 230 Participants registered in the conference and total of 07 plenary sessions on various important public health issues like the Implementation of CBME UG and PG curriculum in Community
- Medicine - Challenges & Solutions, Initiatives on Snake Bite management, Family Doctor program: Insights from the field, Updates on TB Preventive Therapy and Recent Community Initiatives in
- TB Elimination, SDGs – The Journey So Far and Way Ahead, IHR in view of emerging infectious diseases, Community Medicine at crossroads – Opportunities & Challenges etc.
- In various scientific sessions total 89 scientific papers present orally and total 19 posters were presented. This conference was organised under the leadership of Dr I. Jyoti Padmaja, Dr N. G. Nagamani as Organizing Secretary.

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Upcoming Conferences

● IAPSM YLNC 2023

(4th IAPSM Young Leader's National Conclave/Conference)

📅 4-5 November 2023

🎓📍 Dayanand Medical College & Hospital, Ludhiana, Punjab

www.iapsm-ylncdmch2023.com



● IAPSM UPUK CON 2023

(26th Annual Conference of Uttar Pradesh & Uttarakhand Chapter)

📅 2-3 December 2023

🎓📍 All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Gorakhpur, Uttar Pradesh

www.iapsmupukcon2023.com



● IAPSM PYCON 2023

(Annual Puducherry State Conference)

📅 17-18 November 2023

🎓📍 Pondicherry Institute of Medical Science, Puducherry

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● CSZ IAPSM CON 2023

(9th Central South Zone Conference)

📅 8-9 December 2023

🎓📍 Atal Bihari Government Medical College, Vidisha, Madhya Pradesh

www.csziapsmcon2023.co.in



● IAPSM IPHA OSB CON 2023

(41st Joint Odisha State Conference)

📅 9-10 December 2023

🎓📍 Saheed Laxman Nayak Medical College and Hospital (S.L.N Medical College & Hospital) Koraput, Odisha

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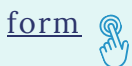
● HP-IAPSM CON 2023

(3rd Himachal Pradesh Chapter Conference)

📅 18-19 November 2023

🎓📍 Dr Radhakrishnan Govt. Medical College Hamirpur, Himachal Pradesh

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● IAPSM RAJCON 2023

(12th Rajasthan State Conference)

📅 16-17 December 2023

🎓 Org: Dr. S.N. Medical College, Jodhpur & Govt. Medical College, Pali

📍 Venue: Dr. S.N. Medical College, Jodhpur

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● AMRITA CON 2023 (Hybrid Mode)

(6th Amrita International Public Health Conference 2023)

📅 1-2 December 2023

🎓📍 Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences, Kochi

<http://www.amritacon.com>



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Upcoming Conferences

● NZ-IAPSM CON 2023

(25th North Zone Chapter Conference)

📅 16-17 December 2023

🎓📍 Maharshi Matkandeshwar Institute of Medical Science and Research, Mullana (Ambala), Haryana


www.nziapsmcon2023.in 

● IAPSM GCCON 2023

(30th & 12th Joint Gujarat State Conference)

📅 27-28 December 2023

🎓📍 Org: Smt. NHL Municipal Medical College, Ahmedabad, Gujarat


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● MHIAPSMIPHA CON 2024

(25th Joint Maharashtra State Conference)

📅 5-6 January 2024

🎓📍 Mahatma Gandhi Misson Medical College, Navi Mumbai

www.mhiapsmiphacon2024.com 


● PREVENCON 2.0 - 2024 (Hybrid)

(International Hybrid Confer'Cation)

📅 26-27 January 2024

🎓 Org: TADCOM (Tamilnadu Alliance for Development of Community Medicine) & PSG IMSR, Coimbatore, Tamilnadu

📍 Venue: Sinclairs Retreat, Ooty, TN


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● KIMSCOMCON 2024

(1st Annual Conference of KIMS)

📅 2-3 February 2024

🎓📍 Karpaga Vinayaga Institute of Medical Sciences and Research Center, Chengalpattu, Tamil Nadu

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● IAPSM CON 2024

(51st Annual National Conference of IAPSM)

📅 8-10 February 2024

🎓📍 Org: Kasturba Medical College, Manglore, Karnataka

www.iapsmcon2024.com 


● ICES 2024

(1st International Conference on Evidence Synthesis: Research to Policy 2024)

📅 22-25 February 2024

🎓 Org: PGIMER, AHSAS and Global Center for Evidence Synthesis (GCES), Chandigarh

📍 Venue: PGIMER, Chandigarh

<https://ices2024.gces.network/> 


● IPHA CON 2024

(68th Annual National Conference of IPHA)

📅 15-17 March 2024

🎓 Org: Indira Gandhi Medical College, Shimla

📍 Venue: The Atal Bihari Vajpayee Institute Of Mountaineering And Allied Sports, Manali

www.iphacon2024manali.com 

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Upcoming Conferences

13 - 15 OCTOBER 2023

DEPT. OF COMMUNITY MEDICINE
ASSAM MEDICAL COLLEGE
PRESENTS

6th IAPSM NEZCON 2023

THEME:
Value based Comprehensive Primary Health Care: Reaching SDGs

Dear Friends,

It gives us immense pleasure in inviting you to the 6th NE Zonal IAPSM Conference to be held in Dibrugarh from 13th to 15th Oct 2023. It will be an enriching experience to interact and exchange our views and learnings with stalwarts from different fields of Public Health. We request you to kindly participate wholeheartedly in the upcoming event.

Thanks,
Organizing Committee

Venue - OIL, Lecture Hall, AMCH Dibrugarh
Date - 13 - 15 October 2023

CONTACT DETAILS OF ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

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Travel and Accommodation: Dr. Anghuman Dasia (9366-03044, cheelangan@gmail.com)

41st IAPSM AND IPHA JOINT CONFERENCE OSB 2023
9TH & 10TH DECEMBER 2023

Organized By:
Department of Community Medicine,
SLNMCH, Koraput

Venue:
Auditorium / LT Complex
SLNMCH, Koraput

Theme:
Plant The Seeds Of Good Health:
Invest In Mother And Child Health

Proposition For Formation Of IPHA
Odisha State Branch

Atal Bihari Vajpayee Government medical college
Vidisha (M.P.)

7TH CENTRAL SOUTH ZONE IAPSM WORKSHOP & CONFERENCE

CSZ-IAPSMCON 2023

9th CSZ MP CC IAPSM State Conference 2023
Sustainable Health And Well Being For All

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Date - 7th to 9th December 2023
Venue - Atal Bihari Government Medical College Vidisha

Host:
Department of Community Medicine
Atal Bihari Government Medical College, Vidisha

IAPSM RAJCON 2023

INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF PREVENTIVE & SOCIAL MEDICINE
12TH CONFERENCE OF RAJASTHAN CHAPTER

Organized by
Department of Community Medicine
Dr. B.N. Medical College, Jodhpur
& Govt. Medical College, Pali

ADOLESCENT HEALTH
INVESTING IN INDIA'S FUTURE

Multifaceted Approach Towards Lifestyle, Mental, Sexual & Reproductive Health

16th & 17th
DECEMBER - 2023

Venue:
Dr. B.N. Medical College, Jodhpur

JOINT ANNUAL STATE CONFERENCE IAPSM-GC (XXX) & IPHA-GC (XII)

27th & 28th DECEMBER 2023

Organized by
Department of Community Medicine
Smt. Niti Municipal Medical College, Ahmedabad

Theme
A NEW ERA IN PREVENTIVE HEALTHCARE
NEON THE FUTURE IS HERE

Pre-Conference Workshop
26th DECEMBER 2023
Venue: Smt. Niti Municipal Medical College

Conference Venue
Rabindranath Tagore Hall
Ahmedabad

Indian Association of Preventive & Social Medicine (IAPSM)
Himachal Pradesh Chapter

3rd HP IAPSMCON

18-19th Nov 2023

Organised by:
Department of Community Medicine
Dr. Radhakrishnan Govt. Medical College Hamirpur (HP)

The participants will be awarded Credit Hours, as per HP State Medical Council guidelines.

MHIAPSMIPHA CON 2024

Organized by Department of Community Medicine, Mahatma Gandhi Mission Medical College, Kamothe, Navi Mumbai
(With support of Medical Colleges in Mumbai, Navi Mumbai & Thane)

25th Joint State Conference of Indian Association of Preventive & Social Medicine Maharashtra Chapter & Indian Public Health Association Maharashtra Branch: 5th & 6th January 2024

5-6 JAN 2024

Welcome! REGISTER NOW

MAHATMA GANDHI MISSION INSTITUTE OF HEALTH SCIENCES UNIVERSITY
NAVI MUMBAI MAHARASHTRA

www.mhiapsmiphacon2024.com

Theme - Research Frontier: Public Health Always

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Upcoming Conferences

4th IAPSM Young Leaders' National Conclave
 4th - 5th November 2023
 Pre-conclave Workshops: 3rd November 2023
 Venue: Auditorium, College Campus, Dayanand Medical College & Hospital, Ludhiana, Punjab
 Organized By: Department of Community Medicine

3rd IAPSMCON 2023
 ENVIRONMENT & HEALTH
 KARNATAKA STATE CHAPTER
 15th - 16th September, 2023
 "ENVIRONMENT & HEALTH - EQUITIZE, EDUCATE, EMPOWER
 A STEP TOWARD SATTAINING SDGs"
 Pre-conference CME on "Scaling Up Health Care Using Digital Health"
 14th September 2023
 ORGANIZED BY
 Department of Community Medicine, BLOE (Deemed to be University)
 Sri B.M. Patil Medical College, Hospital & Research Centre, Vijayapura

ANNUAL PUDUCHERRY STATE CONFERENCE
 OF
 INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF PREVENTIVE & SOCIAL MEDICINE - 2023
IAPSM PYCON 2023
 NCDs
THEME: CONQUERING THE SILENT EPIDEMIC OF NCDs
 Pre-Conference Workshop: 16th November, 2023 (Thursday)
 Conference: 17th & 18th November, 2023 (Friday & Saturday)
 ORGANIZED BY
 Department of Community Medicine
 PONDICHERRY INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES
 (A Unit of The Madras Medical Mission)
 Applied for INMC Credit Points

XXVI ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF PREVENTIVE & SOCIAL MEDICINE UP-UK CHAPTER
 2nd - 3rd December 2023 | Venue: AIIMS Gorakhpur
ONE HEALTH
 HUMAN HEALTH | ANIMAL HEALTH | ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH
 Organized by
 Department of Community & Family Medicine
 All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Gorakhpur
 in partnership with
 The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation
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NZ-IAPSMCON 2023
 26th Annual Conference
 of
 North Zone Chapter
 Indian Association of Preventive and
 Social Medicine (NZ-IAPSM)
 16th - 17th December 2023
 Theme:
**TECHNOLOGY AND HEALTH:
 Journey till now and the road ahead**
 Organized by:
 Department of Community Medicine
 Maharishi Markandeshwar Institute of Medical Sciences and
 Research, Mullana (Ambala), Haryana - 133207

3rd IAPSM STATE CONFERENCE
 TELANGANA STATE CHAPTER
 ON
 6th and 7th October, 2023
 (PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOP
 5th October, 2023)
 THEME:
DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION OF PUBLIC HEALTH
 INNOVATE - INTEGRATE - INSPIRE
 2+4
 TSMC Credit
 Hours
 ORGANISED BY:
 Department of Community Medicine
 Osmania Medical College,
 Koti, Hyderabad, T.S.

Governing Council Meeting



- Mid-term Governing Council (GC) meeting of IAPSM (2023-24) was held on 26th and 27th August 2023 as per the schedule in physical mode under the chairmanship of the President IAPSM Dr. A. M. Kadri.
- Date: 26th and 27th August 2023
- Venue: White Castle, Boutique Hotel, Bangalore
- Time: 01:30 pm to 07:30 pm on 26th August 2023 and from 09:30 am to 01:30 pm on 27th August 2023.
- The agenda of the meeting was circulated by Dr. Purushottam Giri (Secretary General) to all the GC members through official WhatsApp group as well as by email.
- Following members attended the meeting:
 1. Dr. Annarao Kulkarni (President Elect)
 2. Dr. Rashmi Kundapur (Vice President)
 3. Dr. Purushottam Giri (Secretary General)
 4. Dr. Pankaj Bhardwaj (Chief Editor, IJCM)
 5. Dr. Meenal Thakare (Joint Secretary)
 6. Dr. Manish Rana (Treasurer)
 7. Dr. Animesh Jain (EC Members South Zone)
 8. Dr. Anjana Tiwari (EC Members South Central Zone)
 9. Dr. S. Muhammad Salim Khan (EC Members North Zone)
 10. Dr. Anupam Parashar (EC Members North Zone)
 11. Dr. Shib Sekhar Datta (EC Member East)
 12. Dr. Pramita Sengupta (EC Member East)
 13. Dr. Sonu Subba (EC Member)
 14. Dr. Krupal Joshi (EC Member West Zone)
 15. Dr. Medha Mathur (EC Member West Zone)



Nationwide Competition



1. Essay competition on world hepatitis day

2. Reel competition on breast feeding week celebration

3. National Nutrition Month Activities as advocated by IAPSM.

- The Medical Colleges which conducted awareness activities in 5 or more Anganwadis are being reported.
- Upgraded Department of Community Medicine & Public Health, KGMU, Lucknow celebrated POSHAN Maah in the month of September 2023 in the adopted villages.
- Faculty of the department explained the nutritional properties of millets and the health benefits of its consumption to the beneficiaries attending the event at village Pahadpur, Darogakheda and Natkur. Two google forms questionnaires were filled in order to assess the awareness of health workers and ASHA regarding the beneficial effects of millets.
 - 1. AIIMS, Bilaspur with maximum awareness campaign in 19 anganwadis.
 - 2. KGMU, Lukhnow with 12 anganwadis
 - 3. BMC, Sgar
 - 4. GMERS, Patan
 - 5. Himalayan Institute of Medical Sciences.
 - 6. Manipal Tata Medical College, Jamshedpur



4. National Level Competition of PPT Presentation

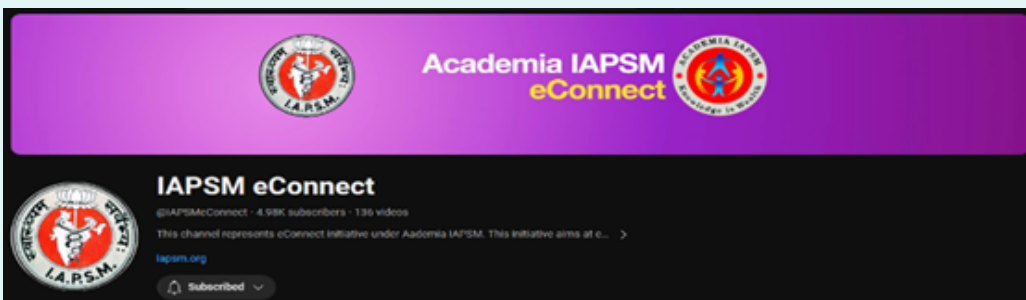
- A National Level Competition for PPT Presentation was organized by Department of Community Medicine, Manipal Tata Medical College, Jamshedpur Jharkhand in collaboration with National IAPSM along with support from IAPSM, Jharkhand Chapter on 6th September 2023 on occasion of National Nutrition Week 2023 as part of Poshan Maah observation under the leadership of Head of Department Dr. Jarina Begum with guidance from Dr. Pradeep Kumar G, Dean, Manipal Tata Medical College along with Program Coordinators Dr. Khusboo Juneja, Dr. Angelin Priya and Dr. Sachin Kumar Patil. The topic of the presentation was RRR– Rethink Renovate Reform: Food System, Practical Action to advance SDGs.
- Participants from various states of the country like Uttar Pradesh, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh, and Maharashtra had registered and sent their PPTs for Screening. Each participant was guided by faculty mentor from their medical colleges. These PPTs were meticulously screened by the organizing committee and 10 Best PPTs were selected for final presentation on 6th September 2023.
- 1st prize was won by Aishwarya R from Panimalar Medical College Hospital & Research Institute, Poonamallee, Chennai, Tamil Nadu, 2nd Prize was won by Sarthak Ravindra Singh from Lokmanya Tilak Municipal Medical College, Mumbai, Maharashtra and 3rd prize was won by Sayali Harichandra Kalambe from SMBT Institute of Medical Sciences and Research Centre, Nashik, Maharashtra. All were given mementos along with books by CBS Publishers.

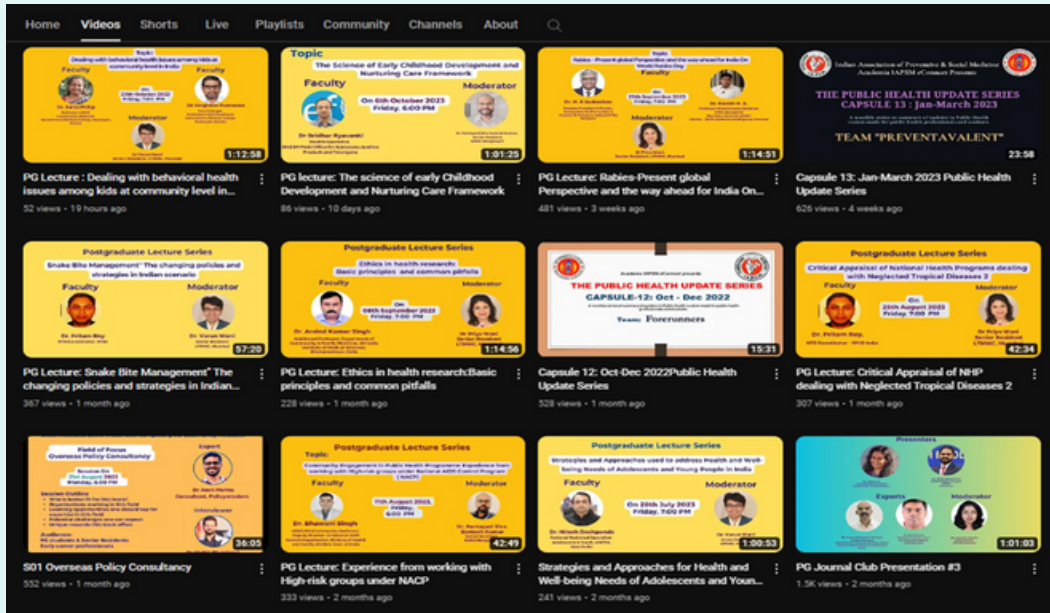




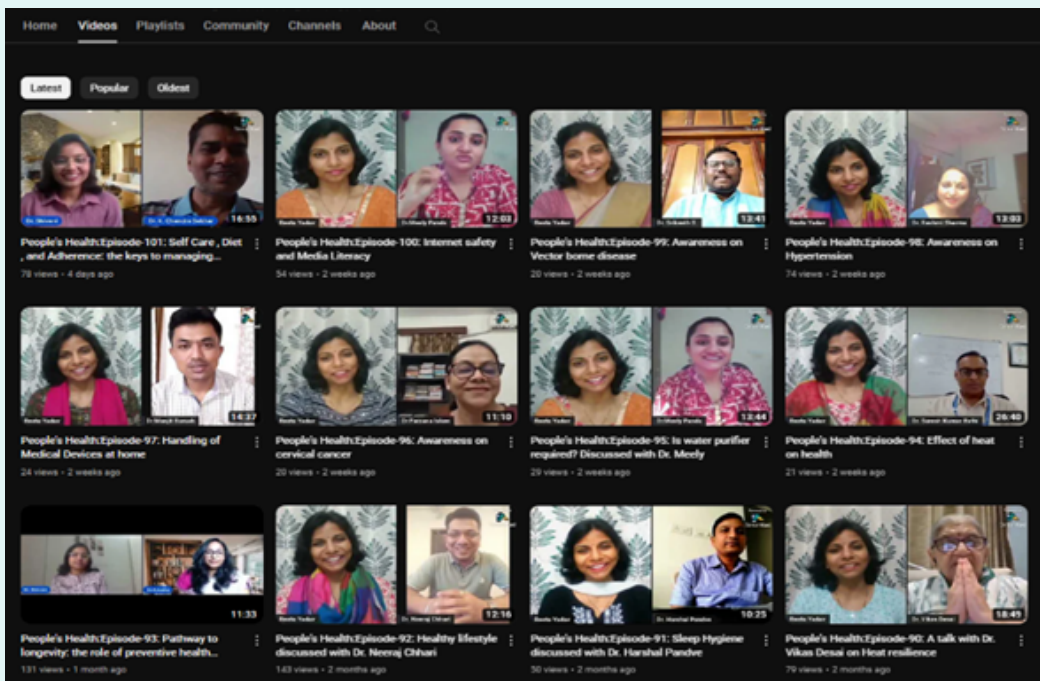
IAPSM eConnect

| PG Lecture | Journal Club | UG Lectures |
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| <p>Dr Meely Panda Dr Sohanjan Chakraborty Dr Varun Wani Dr Priya Wani Dr Siva Santosh Kumar</p> | <p>Dr Arvind Kumar Singh Dr Mousumi Datta Dr Kannan S Dr Anjuman Chaudhary Dr Vishveshwara Rao Guthi Dr Senthil Amudhan Dr Rosana Mary Anto Dr Arvind Gandhi Dr Dhanajayan G Dr Anjusha Ranjit</p> | <p>Dr Himashree Bhattacharyaa Dr Rashmi Agarwalla Dr Waseem Ansari Dr Priti Solanky Dr Liaquat Roopesh Johnson Dr Harshal Sabane</p> |
| Public Health Capsule | Career Track | Citizen Health |
| <p>Dr Malatesh Undi Dr Deepanshi Saxena Dr Snehlatha Dr Chandana H Dr Girish Dr Swati Sikha</p> | <p>Dr Neha Patel Dr Sarrah Maimoon Usmani Dr Mohit Bhardwaj</p> | <p>Dr Medha Mathur Dr Reetu Yadav Dr Parag Chavda</p> |
| eConnect Core Team | | |
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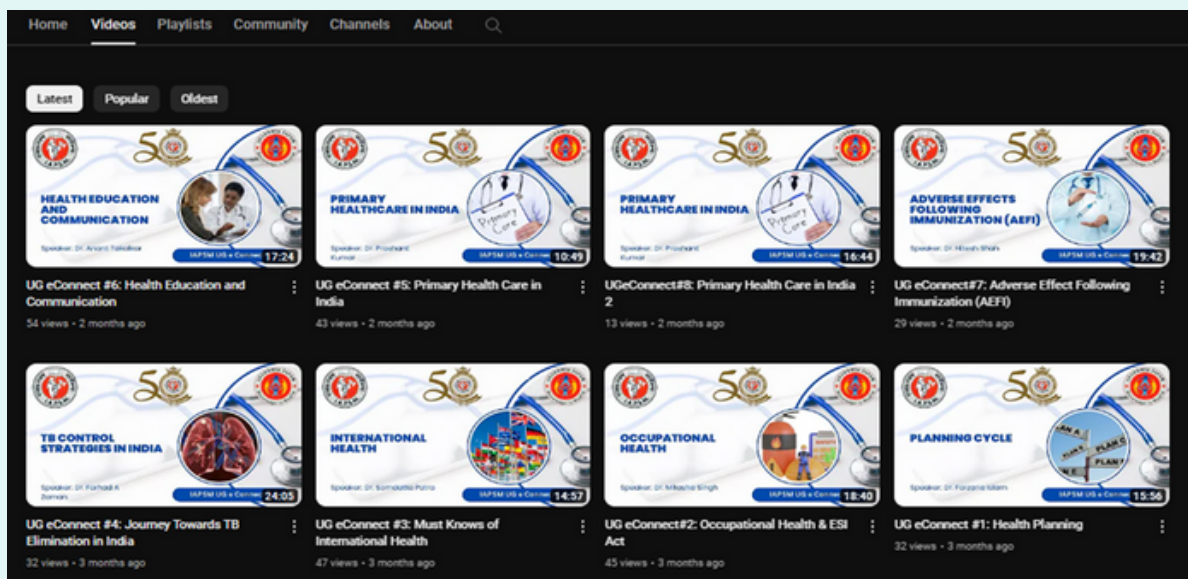
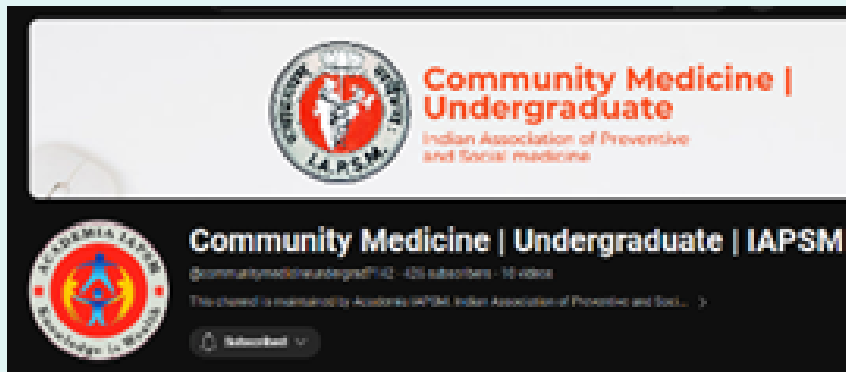


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| UG Lecture | Citizen Health |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Planning • Occupational health • Must knows of International Health • Journey towards TB Elimination in India • Primary Health care in India - 1 • Health education and communication • Adverse Effect Following Immunization (AEFI) • Postnatal care • Primary Health care in India - 2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heat resilience • Sleep Hygiene • Healthy lifestyle • Pathway to longevity: the role of preventive health checkups |



| PG Lectures Frequency - Weekly | PG Seminars Frequency - Monthly | Journal Club Presentations Frequency - Monthly |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical Appraisal of National Health Programs dealing with TROPICALLY Neglected Diseases • Environment Health and it's challenges - A Critical Analysis • Operational Research - What How and Why • Strategies and Approaches used to address health and well-being needs of adolescents and young people in India. • Implementation Research and Principles Experience from working with High-Risk Groups under NACP • E portfolio for post graduate students of Community Medicine • Critical Appraisal of National Health Programs dealing with TROPICALLY Neglected Diseases. [II] Ethics in Implementational Research – Common Pitfalls • Innovative Approaches in dealing with Community Health Problems in India? • Health Impact assessment for programs and policies • Maternal Health - Role of Public Private Partnership model in dealing with the challenges and issues. • Medical Science Technology and Cross-cultural interactions to deal with national public Health emergencies as a whole | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health Technology Assessment • Palliative Care • Telemedicine and its scope in India • Healthy Ageing | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prevalence and determinants of delays in care among premature deaths due to acute cardiac conditions and stroke in residents of a district in India. The Lancet Regional Health SEA • Metabolic non-communicable disease health report of India: the ICMR-INDIAB national cross-sectional study (ICMR-INDIAB-17) • Case-control study of indoor cooking smoke exposure and cataract in Nepal and India |



Course under the banner of IAPSM

- **Short course on Research Methodology:**
 - Second round of short courses in health research methodology conducted by IAPSM in collaboration with IIPHG.
 - Course will be commencing on September 1st 2023. There are 6 modules namely Basic research methodology, Quantitative research, Qualitative research, Operational Research and health system research, Economic evaluation, Systematic review and meta-analysis.
 - Details of the course and fees mentioned in the brochure the following is the link for registration for the workshop.
 - Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/iWZxQ4ApkyTvZVpL6>



- **Foundation Course on Leadership in Public Health (FLPH):**
 - The Foundation Course on Leadership in Public Health (FLPH) is planned by IAPSM in collaboration with IIPHG.
 - This will be a 3 month course and main focus will be on Leadership concepts, skills and styles; Personal and Professional Development plan (PPD).
 - The outline of the course will be as follow.
 - Week 1-3: Weekly online discussion on selected topics;
 - Week 4: Reflection;
 - Month End - Meet Public Health Leader (1 hr)
 - Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/iWZxQ4ApkyTvZVpL6>



Upcoming Events of IAPSM



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• STAR-COM MED 2023

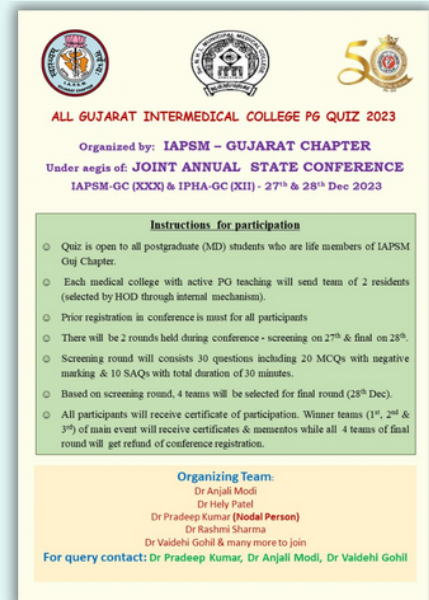
- Search Talent And Reward in Community Medicine STAR-COM MED 2023 - A Nationwide Online Research Presentation Competition.
- Last date of registration: 31st October, 2023.
- Extended last date: 15th November, 2023.
- Chairperson: Dr. Pradeep Kumar
- For More Details, Visit:
<https://iapsm.org/commed-2023.html>



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• All Gujarat Intermedical College PG Quiz 2023

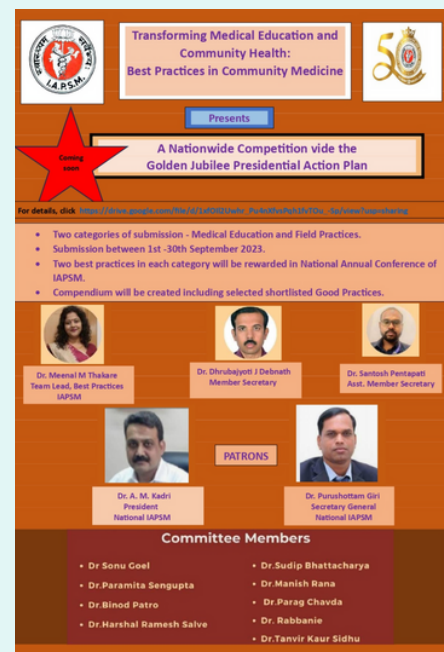
- Organized by: IAPSM Gujarat Chapter under aegis of Joint Annual State Conference IAPSM GC (XXX) & IPHA GC (XII)
- Date: 27 - 28 December 2023
- Nodal Person: Dr. Pradeep Kumar
- Organizing Team: Dr. Anjali Modi, Dr Rashmi Sharma, Dr. Hely Patel, Dr. Vaidehi Gohil



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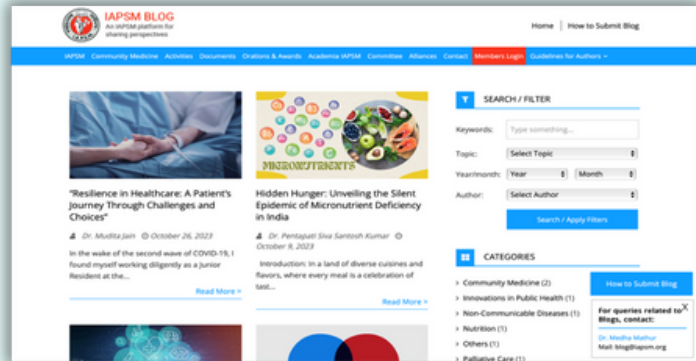
• Transforming Medical Education and Community Health: Best Practices in Community Medicine

- 2 categories - Medical Education and Field Practices.
- Submission between 1st -30th September 2023.
- Extended last date of registration - October 10, 2023
- Two best practices in each category will be rewarded in National Annual Conference of IAPSM.
- Team Lead: Dr. Meenal M Thakare
- Member Secretary: Dr. Dhruvjayoti J Debnath
- Asst. Member Secretary: Dr. Santosh Pentapati
- For More Details, Visit:
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1xfOIl2Uwhr_Pu4nXfvsPqh1fvTOu_-Sp/view?usp=sharing





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- **Why a Blog for IAPSM?**

- Public health is a constantly evolving field with diverse challenges and opportunities. IAPSM, as a pioneering organization in the domain, recognizes the importance of fostering discussions, sharing insights, and disseminating knowledge among its members. The IAPSM Blog is a testament to the association's commitment to professional growth, collaboration, and advocacy.

- **Diverse Perspectives, Invaluable Insights:**

- One of the most compelling aspects of the IAPSM Blog is the diversity of perspectives it brings to the forefront. Public health is a multidisciplinary field, and the blog welcomes contributions from healthcare professionals, researchers, policymakers, and anyone passionate about public health. This diversity ensures a wide range of topics and viewpoints that can enrich the collective understanding of public health issues.

- **Topics of Interest:**

- The IAPSM Blog is a versatile platform where contributors can share their insights on a multitude of topics, including but not limited to Disease Prevention, Health Promotion, Health Equity, Research and Evidence-Based Practices, Global Health, Environmental Health Recent updates etc.

- **How to approach:**

- The IAPSM Blog is committed to maintaining high editorial standards. Our team will work closely with contributors to ensure the clarity, accuracy, and relevance of each blog. This collaborative approach guarantees that every piece published on the blog reflects the latest developments and best practices in public health.

- **How to Contribute:**

- We invite all IAPSM members to become active participants in this exciting initiative. If you have valuable insights, research findings, success stories, or even thought-provoking ideas related to public health, we encourage you to share them with the community. To contribute, simply reach out to **blog@iapsm.org** or **contact Dr Medha Mathur** with your proposed topic or article.

- The launch of the IAPSM Blog marks a significant step forward in fostering a vibrant and informed public health community within IAPSM. This platform provides an opportunity for members to engage, learn, and inspire one another, ultimately contributing to the betterment of public health in India and beyond. We look forward to reading and sharing your perspectives as we collectively work towards a healthier, more equitable world. Join us on this exciting journey of knowledge exchange and collaboration, and let your voice be heard on the IAPSM Blog!

Webinar, online lectures, resource person



- Webinar On “World Population Day 2023” titled "Addressing Population Challenges - Promoting Family Planning for Happiness and Prosperity" organised Jointly by IAPSM and FPHS ON 11 TH JULY 2023.
- Webinar on “Understanding Fatty Liver” on World Hepatitis Day 28.07.2023 by Dr Chandrakant Lahariya and Dr Meenal Thakare under the banner of IAPSM
- “Preventing Hypertension - Empowering Health Through Lifestyle Choices” on 12th July 2023
- Webinar on diabetes preventing diabetes: empowering through lifestyle choices was held on 13 th September 2023 .
- Pannel discussion was held on 2nd September 2023 on the topic of ‘mainstreaming millets in India’ on occasion of national nutrition month 2023.

Addressing Population Challenges: Promoting Family Planning for Happiness and Prosperity
11th July 2023 | 6 to 7 PM

Speakers:
 Air Vice Marshal Dr. Rajiv Bhatnagar, Principal and Dean, Prerna Rural Medical College
 Dr. Sarwat Dha, United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA), India
 Dr. Gurinderbir Singh, Director, Health Services, Punjab

Moderators:
 Ms Indira Bhat, Communication Specialist and Honorary fellow, FPHS
 Dr. Meenal Thakare, Joint Secretary, IAPSM

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UNDERSTANDING FATTY LIVER AND IT'S PREVENTION
28th July 2023 | 6 to 7 PM

TOPICS
 Fatty Liver: Prevention & Management
 The role of Exercise in Preventing Liver Disease.
 Prevention Hepatology: Addressing Liver Health Challenges
 Role of Fibroscan in Liver Disease

Moderators:
 Dr. Chandrakant Lahariya, Physician and Public Health Expert
 Dr. Meenal M Thakare, Joint Secretary, IAPSM

Panelists:
 Dr. Tanu Sharma, Associate Professor (Internal Medicine) AIIMS, Bhagpur HP
 Dr. Rabbiasie Tariq, Preventive & Lifestyle Medicine Physician SIKMS, Gurgaon

Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/xRqbtocDbWxgJKFb7>

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NATIONAL NUTRITION MONTH 2023 - MAINSTREAMING MILLETS IN INDIA
2ND SEPTEMBER 2023 | 6 TO 7 PM

SPEAKERS:
 Dr. Pooja Khanna, Associate Professor, IIC, Department of Agricultural Extension, Karnal, Uttar Pradesh
 Dr. Vinod Shankar, IIC, Department of Agricultural Extension, Karnal, Uttar Pradesh
 Dr. Rajesh Gupta, IIC, Department of Agricultural Extension, Karnal, Uttar Pradesh
 Dr. J.P. Kaur, IIC, Chandigarh

MODERATOR:
 Dr. Meenal Thakare, Joint Secretary, IAPSM
 Dr. Twinkle Sharma, Prerna Rural Medical College

GUESTS:
 Dr. A.K. Kadi, President, IAPSM
 Dr. Anurag Kulkarni, President Elect, IAPSM
 Dr. Shalish, IAS, Joint Secretary, National NRM
 Dr. Parvathiam Sibi, Secretary General, IAPSM

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Webinar on HYPERTENSION
"Preventing Hypertension: Empowering Health through Lifestyle Choices"
12th July 2023 | 6 to 7 PM

Speakers:
 Prof. Greenivas Murthy, Senior consultant Physician and Diabetologist, LICOR Hospital and Research Centre, Bangalore
 Ms Eshanka Wahi, Founder of Eat Clean with Eshanka
 Dr. Raman Kumar, National President, Academy of Family Physicians of India

Moderator:
 Dr Chandrakant Lahariya, Senior Consultant, Physician, New Delhi

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Indian Association of Preventive and Social Medicine and Foundation for People-centric Health Systems, New Delhi
Public Awareness Webinar Series on Staying Healthy
 JULY - DEC 2023
 Second Wednesday of every month from 6:00 to 7:00 pm

SCHEDULE & STRUCTURE:
 12 July 2023: HYPERTENSION
 09 August 2023: LIPID DISORDERS
 13 September 2023: DIABETES
 10 October 2023: MENTAL HEALTH
 07 November 2023: OBESITY AND OVERWEIGHT
 13 December 2023: Smoking Cessation

Session plan: Three experts each:
 • Epidemiology to public health specialist
 • Management of primary care settings (family physician or general practitioner)
 • Secondary care or tertiary care level (by a specialist)

Moderated by: **DR. CHANDRAKANT LAHARIYA**

Webinar Coordinator:
 Dr. Anurag Kulkarni, Dr. Twinkle Sharma, Prerna Rural Medical College

Leadership Team:
 Dr. A.K. Kadi, President, IAPSM
 Dr. Parvathiam Sibi, Secretary General, IAPSM
 Dr. Chandrakant Lahariya, Senior Consultant and Public Health Expert

This webinar series is being organized as part of the MoU between IAPSM and FPHS.
 • A formal professional association related to that topic of webinar will be in-situ organizing.
 • The webinar will be live streamed on the YouTube channel of FPHS.

Webinar on DIABETES
"Preventing Diabetes: Empowering Health through Lifestyle Choices"
13 September, 2023. 2023 | 6 to 7 PM

Speakers:
 Dr. Neelish Kapoor, Senior Consultant Physician and Diabetologist
 Dr. Poojam Khanna, Nutrition Specialist - PIONEER
 Dr. Manoj Sharma, Senior Consultant, Internal Medicine - Fortis

Moderators:
 Dr. Meenal Thakare, Joint Secretary, IAPSM
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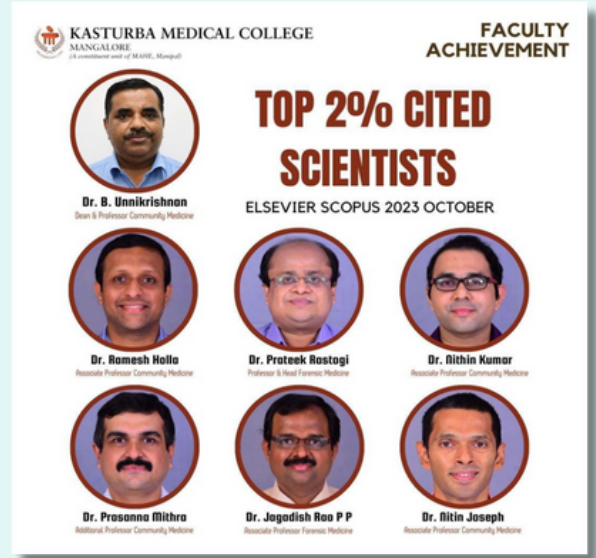
Noteworthy achievements or contributions of any IAPSM member



1. The reel with title "Mommy friendly place" submitted by **Dr. Nidhi Hasmukhbhai Patel**, Resident doctor, P.D.U. Medical College, Rajkot, Gujarat has been selected as **winner for the Reels making competition** conducted by IAPSM. Congratulations to the winner and appreciation for all who participated.

2. **Revathi G. Maroju**, Datta Meghe Institute of Higher Education and Research, Maharashtra, "A comprehensive guide to liver health, nurturing vitality" won the **first prize in essay competition** on world hepatitis day organized by IAPSM.

3. Faculties featured in **Top 2% cited Scientists** in Elsevier Scopus 2023 October.



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Together, we can make the Newsletter even more beneficial for all members.

Best regards,

Editorial team of स्वास्थ्यम्

