



National Symposium on Preventive Psychiatry

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Conference Hall, AIIMS, New Delhi

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHIATRY
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Introduction

Preventive psychiatry has come a long way from the era of secondary and tertiary psychosocial interventions, aiming to limit disease progression and disability. With the contribution from neurobiology, psychopharmacology, and psychiatric genetics, the focus of preventive psychiatry has now shifted to the primary prevention of mental disorders, aiming to stop disease occurrence. The field of primary prevention is still in a nascent stage, and is wide open for exploration. The time to begin, therefore, is now!

In an effort the further the above mentioned cause, Department of Psychiatry, All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi, is hosting the **"National Symposium on Preventive Psychiatry"** at Conference Hall, AIIMS, New Delhi.

The Symposium is themed "Prevention of mental disorders: a tangible possibility", and will cover a broad range of topics including, amongst others, a workshop on the scope of preventive psychiatry in daily practice and in low resource settings, deliberations on the role of preventive psychiatry in medical curriculum, and a panel discussion on the strategies for preventive psychiatry in severe mental disorders, substance use disorders, suicide prevention and across all age groups.

This symposium is sponsored by the **National Academy of Medical Sciences (India)**.

Everybody is cordially invited to participate in the event



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Scientific Program

TIME	TOPIC	PRESENTER
9.00 am	Pre-conference evaluation of participants	
SESSION I – Preventive Psychiatry: Concepts and Challenges (Chairpersons: Prof SD Sharma, Prof Rakesh Lal)		
9.15 am	Preventive psychiatry: an overview	Prof SD Sharma
9.45 am	Preventive psychiatry in low resource settings: current status	Prof SK Khandelwal
10.15 am	Challenges in preventive psychiatry	Prof Pratap Sharan
10.45 am	Preventive psychiatry in medical curriculum	Prof RC Jiloha
SESSION II – Workshop for Postgraduates		
11.15 am	Developing a model of preventive psychiatry for low resource settings	Dr Mamta Sood, Dr Rachna Bhargava, Dr Ramandeep Pattanayak, Dr Koushik Sinha Deb, Dr Rohit Verma, Dr Bichitra Patra
1.15 pm	LUNCH	
SESSION III – Preventive Strategies for Specific Mental Disorders (Chairpersons: Prof SK Khandelwal, Dr Nand Kumar)		
2.00 pm	Preventive strategies for common mental disorders	Prof Nitin Gupta
2.30 pm	Preventive strategies for severe mental disorders	Prof Subho Chakrabarti
3.00 pm	Preventive strategies for substance use disorders	Prof Anju Dhawan
SESSION IV – Approaches to Preventive Psychiatry in Special Populations: Panel Discussion (Moderator: Prof RK Chadda)		
3.30 pm	Child and adolescent psychiatry	Prof Rajesh Sagar
4.00 pm	Geriatric psychiatry	Prof BS Chavan
4.30 pm	Suicide prevention	Prof Rajiv Gupta
5.00 pm	Post-conference evaluation of participants	
5.15 pm	Assessment of workshop/symposium and Feedback	





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Registration

The participants can register for the workshop through the online portal –
<http://aiimspsy psychiatry.org/ncpp2016/>

There is no registration fee for the workshop.

Deadline for e-registration is 10th September 2016 (05:00pm IST). Spot registration will be given based on the availability of seats and first come, first served basis.

Please note that limited seats are available hence you are requested to pre register through the web portal.

An e-certificate of participation will be mailed to each registered participant after the workshop.

