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TN-IAPSM-2019
2\textsuperscript{nd} Annual State Conference of IAPSM-TN Chapter

Theme:
Strengthening Primary Health Care

Date:
Pre-Conference workshop - 5\textsuperscript{th} September, 2019
Conference : 6\textsuperscript{th} & 7\textsuperscript{th} September, 2019

Venue:
PSG Institute of Medical Sciences & Research,
Peelamedu, Coimbatore - 641 004
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Dear Delegates,

With cool breeze from western ghats and warm greetings from department of Community Medicine, PSG IMS&R. Welcome Aboard

This year, the state conference of IAPSM – Tamilnadu Chapter will be conducted in the Manchester of South India (Coimbatore) at PSG IMS&R with the theme of “Strengthening Primary Health Care”.

Ensuring standards in Primary Health Care in India is a great challenge because of its diversity and disparity. Public Health infrastructure is grossly inadequate to cater to health care demands of the enormous population and also grossly underutilised by the community at large. Availability of health infrastructure is not uniform in different parts of the country along with inadequate budgetary allocation. There are gross shortages of skilled health care workers at Primary Health Care level. Huge gaps exist in the field of training of Health care professionals at every level.

This year the State Conference will focus on the following special topics
1) NCDs
2) Emerging and Re-emerging Infections
3) HIV / STDs (Recent Initiatives and challenges)
4) Maternal and Child Health
5) Vaccines
6) Vector Control
7) Anti Microbial Resistance (at Primary Care level)

NOTE

- Last date for Abstract submission for Oral & Poster Presentation will be on 20/08/2019.
- There will be a State Level Community Medicine Quiz for Postgraduate students. Preliminary round will be held on September 6th and finals will be held on September 7th 2019. A team of 3 Post Graduate students should register with their college names on or before September 4th 2019. For further details contact Dr.Suvetha (95976 10674)
- Pre-conference workshop will be on “Modelling of Health Data” which is limited to 50 participants on the first come, first served basis. Kindly confirm your participation in the Pre-Conference workshop in the registration form. For further details regarding the workshop contact Dr.Anil.C.Mathew (9245287851)
- We will be applying to the Tamilnadu Dr.M.G.R Medical University for CME credit points.
- There will be a banquet dinner with light music on the evening of September 6th 2019.
Kindly note:

- **Registration fee details:**

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- Registration fee include Conference kit, Lunch & Refreshments, Dinner.
- *Conference kit is not guaranteed for spot registration
- Participants have to take care of accommodation. We will be able to provide PSG IMS & R hostel single accommodation within the premises (charges apply).
- **Procedure for Registration:**
  1) Payment is only through NEFT
  2) Registration forms without payment details will not be accepted

**STEP 1:** Make NEFT Transaction in favour of

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**STEP 3:** Click copy and paste the following link in Google chrome and complete the registration. [https://bit.ly/31ak8nl](https://bit.ly/31ak8nl)

**Step 4:** Also kindly send the payment details as a copy to [communitymedicinepsg@gmail.com](mailto:communitymedicinepsg@gmail.com)

Registration fee will not be refunded under any circumstances.
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