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Receiving the Prestigious Dr Chitrahara & Dr Gangadharan Award for community services for Preventive Oncology and Research at AICOG Hyderabad as President.





**Dr. Babaji Ghewade sir, invited as co-investigator at ICMR**



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स्वास्थ्य अनुसंधान विभाग, स्वास्थ्य एवं परिवारकल्याण, भारत सरकार  
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डॉ. बाबाजी घेवडे/ Dr. Babaji Ghewade,  
प्राध्यापक एवं विभाग प्रमुख / Professor and HOD,  
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Datta Meghe Institute of Higher Education and Research,  
सवांगी, वर्धा/Sawangi, Wardha  
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विषय: आईसीएमआर द्वारा वित्त पोषित बहुकेंद्रित अध्ययन "भारत में तपेदिक में कमी के लिए प्रदर्शन  
परियोजना: एक बहुकेंद्रित अध्ययन" में सह-अन्वेषक होने के लिए निमंत्रण  
Subject: Invitation for being co-investigator in ICMR funded multicentric study titled  
"Demonstration project for reduction of Tuberculosis in India: a multicentric study"

महोदय/Sir,

आईसीएमआर-राष्ट्रीय पर्यावरणीय स्वास्थ्य अनुसंधान संस्थान (आईसीएमआर-निर्रेह),  
भोपाल, भारतीय आयुर्विज्ञान अनुसंधान परिषद के स्थायी संस्थानों में से एक है, जो देश में जैव-चिकित्सा  
अनुसंधान के लिए भारत सरकार का शीर्ष स्वायत्त संगठन है।  
केंद्रीय क्षय रोग डिवीजन के सहयोग से आईसीएमआर, नई दिल्ली द्वारा वित्त पोषित एक बहुकेंद्रित  
अध्ययन "भारत में तपेदिक में कमी के लिए प्रदर्शन परियोजना" कार्यान्वयन चरण में है। परियोजना के  
तहत तपेदिक की पहचान और नियंत्रण में सुधार के लिए छह हस्तक्षेप (विवरण अनुबंध-1 में) का  
मूल्यांकन करने का प्रस्ताव है। इसी संदर्भ में, आईसीएमआर-निर्रेह, भोपाल को महाराष्ट्र के वर्धा जिले में  
परियोजना गतिविधियों के कार्यान्वयन का काम सौंपा गया है।

इस परियोजना में, गतिविधि 1 (विवरण अनुबंध-1 में) के तहत, फील्ड स्टाफ हैंडहेल्ड एक्स-  
रे मशीनों से सुसज्जित है, जो डिजिटल कॉपी के रूप में एक्स रे आउटपुट प्रदान करते हैं। इसके संबंध में  
हम आपको वर्धा जिले में सह-अन्वेषक के रूप में इस परियोजना में योगदान देने के लिए आमंत्रित करना  
चाहते हैं। आपको परियोजना के तहत लिए गए एक्स-रे की औपचारिक रिपोर्ट प्रदान करने की  
आवश्यकता होगी, ताकि सकारात्मक मामलों में क्षय रोग विरोधी उपचार शुरू किया जा सके। इस  
परियोजना के निष्कर्षों पर आधारित प्रकाशनों में आपको सह-लेखक के रूप में भी शामिल किया  
जाएगा।

इसके अलावा हम आपसे इस परियोजना को सफलतापूर्वक संचालित करने के लिए  
यथासंभव समर्थन देने का भी अनुरोध करते हैं। आईसीएमआर-निर्रेह, भोपाल से, डॉ. विकास यादव,  
वैज्ञानिक ई, नोडल अधिकारी हैं, जिनसे किसी भी अन्य स्पष्टीकरण के मामले में उनके ईमेल  
yadav.vikas@icmr.gov.in के माध्यम से संपर्क किया जा सकता है।

ICMR-National Institute for Research in Environmental Health (ICMR-NIREH),  
Bhopal, is one of the permanent institutes of the Indian Council of Medical Research  
(ICMR), a Government of India's apex autonomous organization for bio-medical  
research in the country.

A multi-centric study, funded by ICMR, New Delhi in collaboration with Central TB  
division entitled "Demonstration project for reduction of Tuberculosis in India" is

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The experts, partners and WHO staff who reviewed and supported the validation of the Nutrient and promotion profile model are listed below and gratefully acknowledged;

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A report on the **Nutrient Profiling Model** was recently released by the **WHO - South East Asia Region**.

This publication stems from a project supported by WHO and spearheaded by Dr. Nazli Khatib.

The WHO has expressed gratitude to DMIHER, specifically acknowledging the contributions of **Dr. Abhay Gaidhane, Dr. Nazli Khatib, Dr. Zaheer Quazi**, in this report.

Dr Surekha Tayde awarded as the Legends Of Gynecology Sphurti Award at AMOGS conference at Pune at the hands of Marathi actress Kishori Shahane with AMOGS President Dr Kiran Kurtkoti and other dignitaries.





Dr Surekha Tayde  
received "Legends of  
Gynecology"  
Sphurti Award at  
AMOGS conference in  
Pune



Dr Pankaj Gharde received  
“FIAGES”  
Fellowship of Indian  
Association of  
Gastrointestinal Endo  
Surgeons



Dr Swarupa Chakole received “women with wings award” for outstanding contribution in work in society on International women's day celebration organized by Sanskar National School and Jagdish Shriram Poddar Foundation.







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**19<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> APRIL, 2024, IIT KANPUR**



**Convener**  
Prof. Ashok Kumar

**Co-Convener**  
Prof. Sandeep Verma

Dated: 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2024  
Place: IIT Kanpur, INDIA

Dr. Quazi Syed Zahiruddin  
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Dear Dr. Quazi Syed Zahiruddin,

Greetings from IIT Kanpur, India!

It gives me immense pleasure to inform you that ETMM 2024: A 2-day symposium on *Emerging Technologies and materials in Medicine* will be held at Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur (IIT Kanpur), India on 19<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> April, 2024. ETMM 2024 will be organized by Gangwal School of Medical Sciences and Technology (GSMST), IIT Kanpur. On behalf of my Institute and on my personal behalf, I would warmly like to invite you to this symposium on 19<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> April, 2024 for a *Keynote Lecture*.

With the current advances in technology innovation, the field of medicine and healthcare is rapidly expanding and, as a result, many different areas of human health diagnostics, treatment therapies and care are emerging. Engineered materials and state-of-art technologies (like 3D printing, Artificial intelligence, Genome editing, Deep Learning, Wireless technology, and Virtual reality) have been making tremendous progress in India and have now been incorporated within the interdisciplinary research program in the healthcare domain. Many young researchers and students are preferably choosing this research domain as their professional careers. The goal of this meeting is to bring together engineering experts, medical professionals, industry participants, young researchers and students on a single platform to showcase their views on advancements in this domain. Our stride and purpose for this symposium is also to provide them a platform to discuss and learn new developments and skills in this domain.

The Center of Excellence for Materials in Medicine in the Gangwal School of Medical Sciences and Technology focuses on designing and manufacturing biomedical materials and implants with a translation perspective. Our present efforts are towards establishing it as world class research facility in the domain of medical research and technology.

I am also inviting you to visit our Department of Biological Sciences and Bioengineering and it will indeed be a great opportunity for our faculty and students to interact with you during your visit. The organizers will take care of all local hospitality during your stay for the workshop at IIT Kanpur.

I am looking forward for your visit to IIT Kanpur.

Warm Regards!



**Ashok Kumar**  
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Dr Quazi has been invited for keynote lecture in the 2-day symposium on Emerging Technologies and materials in Medicine that will be held at Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur (IIT Kanpur), India on 19th-20th April 2024.



## Invitation as Reviewer of the APQR

20<sup>th</sup> March, 2024

**Dr Lalitbushan Waghmare**

Vice Chancellor

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*Dear Sir,*

*Greetings from APQR,*

On behalf of Asia-Pacific Quality Register (APQR), I have the great pleasure to invite you to be **Expert Member** of the Asia Pacific Quality Register (APQR) Desk review panel for "The Indonesian Accreditation Agency for Higher Education in Health (IAAHEH or LAM-PTKes), Indonesia."

Prof. Angela Yung-chi Hou (APQN Former Vice-President, Professor, College of Education, National Chengchi University, Taiwan. Member of QS World Rankings Advisory Board, UK, Member of Transnational Education (TNE) will be the **Chair** and coordinator of the review panel. Dr. Oksana Tanikova (Deputy Head of Accreditation Office of the National Centre for Public Accreditation (NCPA), Russia) will be the other **expert member** of the panel.

APQR would be register of external quality assurance agencies that demonstrate certain thresholds of maturity. The independent external review by peers will be the backbone of the Register. While the primary purpose of the Register is to acknowledge well developed quality assurance agencies.

The Desk review will begin now and virtual site visit will be held on **23<sup>rd</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> April 2024 (Tentative)** and draft report of panel is expected in a Month.

**The guidelines for the review are following:**

- The review will be conducted against criteria of APQR based on the APQN's membership criteria and the Chiba principles. The scope of the review will be discussed with "The Indonesian Accreditation Agency for Higher Education in Health (IAAHEH or LAM-PTKes), Indonesia."
- To a large extent, the review will be based on existing information and materials available in the self-review document of QA agency. Self Evaluation Report (SER) of "The Indonesian Accreditation Agency for Higher Education in Health (IAAHEH or LAM-PTKes), Indonesia." is being shared.

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Another moment of pride as Hon VC Dr Lalitbhushan Waghmare is selected as member expert group Desk review panel of Indonesian Asia Pacific Quality (APQR) Register. The said selection is done by NAAC as Indian representative in the panel of experts. With this we DMIHER embarks in policy making of quality accreditation parameters in International domain.

➤ Invitation as Reviewer of the APQR

**20th March, 2024**

**Dr Lalitbhushan Waghmare**

Vice Chancellor

Datta Meghe Institute of Higher Education and Research



# VAMMCON-2024

One Health: Time to Collaborate, Communicate, and Coordinate

## Certificate

This is to certify that

Dr. Jayashree Patil

Has participated as the Delegate/ Faculty in the Conference at  
VAMMCON-24,

5th Annual Conference of Vidarbha Association of Medical Microbiologists,

Organized at Datta Meghe Medical College, Nagpur

Held on 30th and 31st March 2024

and presented the Paper/ Poster

Titled Diagnostic efficacy using CAMP test

in isolates for E. coli

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Dr. Nandkishor Bankar  
VAMM Secretary





**Dr. Ashok Pathak**  
**VAMM**  
*Best Oral Paper*  
*Award for Faculty - 2024*

## APPRECIATION



### *Legends of Gynaecology*

*The Bengal Obstetric & Gynaecological Society  
on this day, 20<sup>th</sup> April 2024,  
proudly acknowledges the friendship of*

**Dr. Surekha Tayade**

*and appreciates the outstanding contribution towards  
Women's Health in India.*

Dr. Bhaskar Pal  
Past President, BOGS

Dr. Mausumi De Banerjee  
President, BOGS

Dr. Basab Mukherjee  
President Elect, BOGS

Dr. Jayita Chakrabarti  
Hony Secretary, BOGS

Dr Surekha Tayde , received the Legends of Gynecology appreciation by Bengal OBGY society at Kolkata.



**Hearty Congratulations Dr Sandeep Sir for Honorary doctorate from Maryland State University, US for your contribution in medical education..**







## HONORIS CAUSA DOCTORATE AWARD 2024



# MARYLAND STATE UNIVERSITY

Hagerstown, Maryland, USA

This is to certify that  
**Prof. Sandeep Shrivastava**

has fulfilled all the requirements  
to the honoris causa degree of

**Doctor of Philosophy  
in  
Academic Management**

as agreed to the session of the  
**MARYLAND STATE UNIVERSITY**  
The SENATE of the concerned department - 500.

The Maryland State University has awarded for meritorious recognition the person  
above the title by the principles of non-religious and secularism community.

With all its rights and privileges in witness whereof the signatures of the  
Chancellor, VC and Registrar of the Maryland State University is herewith affixed.

Charles A. de la Cruz  
Registrar, Maryland State University

Dr. John A. de la Cruz  
Vice-Chancellor, Maryland State University



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April 8, 2024

Dr. John A. de la Cruz  
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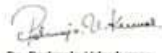
Every Thursday 5th October-26th October, 2023

**Certificate of Appreciation**


***Dr. Sawanand Pathak***

Has been awarded this certificate of appreciation in recognition of his role as a resource person at the CBME National Online Workshop.

We commend the dedication and expertise demonstrated by you in delivering high-quality training and contributing significantly to the success of the workshop

  
Dr. Padmaja Udaylumar

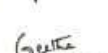
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## VAMMCON 2024 Conference

### Dr. S. L. Akulwar VAMM Best Oral Paper Award for Post-Graduate Student

**Dr Radha Kunjalwar**

Junior Resident

Dept of Microbiology

JNMC, DMIHER



### Dr. Ashok Pathak VAMM Best Oral Paper Award for post-MD Candidate

**Dr. Anjali Patond**

Assistant Prof.

Dept of Microbiology

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# CERTIFICATE OF HONOUR

**This Certificate is proudly presented to**

**Dr. Swanand S Pathak**

**In recognition of participating as an  
“ESTEEMED NATIONAL FACULTY”  
on Research Methodology Workshop held on 20th April'24 by KOLKATA  
NURTURE FOUNDATION & UNI LDU HEALTH.**

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August 12, 2024

**Re: Grant Award Letter**

Dear Surekha,

Congratulations! I am writing to confirm that Reckitt Global Hygiene Institute ("RGHI") has approved a grant to Northwestern University ("Grantee") in support of "Optimizing Maternal and Neonatal Health: Evaluating Hygiene Protocols and Crafting Training Modules for Labor Rooms in Rural Central India" (the "Grant"). The Grant will be funded by RGHI.

**Award Summary:**

Grant Total Amount	\$150,000.00 (USD)
Project Start Date	October 15, 2024
Project End Date	October 15, 2026
RGHI Primary Contact	<a href="mailto:grants_admin@mail.rghi.org">grants_admin@mail.rghi.org</a>

**Conditions of Award:**

- After receipt of this signed letter and completed Attachment A, RGHI will send to the Grantee Primary Contact identified on Attachment A a Grant Agreement governing the Grant for review and execution. A copy of the terms and conditions that will apply to this Grant is available for review at [www.rghi.org/public-policies](http://www.rghi.org/public-policies)
- Specific RGHI policies that will apply to the Grant include, but are not limited to, the following: (a) Open Access Policy, (b) Overarching Compliance Policy, (c) Awardee Conflict Policy, and (d) Grant Award Conditions. Copies of the policies

Reckitt Global  
Hygiene Institute

## Dr Surekha Tayde received large grant from Reckitt Global Hygiene Institute

We are pleased to share that Dr. Zahir Quazi and I will serve as panelists at the United Nations General Assembly 79th Science Summit in New York, USA. I will speak on "Bridging the Academic, Digital, and Research Divide: Bringing LMIC to the Decision-Making Table," exploring ways to enhance global inclusivity in education and research.

Dr. Zahir will address Finding a Common Language: Intercultural Development in Global Context," a topic that highlights the importance of cultural understanding in fostering collaboration between high-income and low- and middle-income countries.

We look forward to representing DMIHER on behalf of India on these important issues at this prestigious global event. The event is on 26th Sept 2024 in-person mode in New York, USA. The Organisers will cover the travel and other cost of the event.





**Honorable Dr Gaurav Mishra, Pro Vice Chancellor , DMIHER (DU), successfully completed a series of 3 courses in Coursera amounting to a “specialisation” certificate from Coursera in “Prompt engineering for Educators”.**

Date:-19<sup>th</sup> Sept 2024

six students from JNMC have won national awards in the **Family Adoption Program organized by the NMC and IAPSM.**

**Dr. Juhi Raut**

JR3

Community Medicine

(National First Rank in NMC & IAPSM FAP Essay competition )

**Dr. Vaibhav Chandra**

JR3

Community Medicine

(National First Rank in NMC & IAPSM FAP Collage competition )

**Dr. Juhi Raut**

**JR3**

Collage selected for publication in NMC Booklet

**Dr. Mitul Saha**

JR3, Community Medicine

**Collage selected for publication in NMC Booklet**

**Dr. Alisha Handa JR2**

Collage selected for publication in NMC Booklet

**Dr. Ansar Ahamad**

JR1

Community Medicine

**Collage selected for publication in NMC Booklet**



- **Dr. Utkarsh Panwar** = First Prize in Poster National Gynac Conference , Gynetech
- **Dr. Manjeet Kothari** = Second prize in Poster in Hello Diabetes National Conference
- **Cureus Laureate Award Winners :**

**(General Medicine, JR3) 1) Dr. Saket Toshniwal**

**2) Dr. Keyur Saboo**

**3) Dr. Harshitha Reddy 4) Dr. Rinkle Gemnani**

Notably, Dr. Juhi and Dr. Vaibhav secured the 1st prize in the essay and collage competitions!

Here are the results of the National Essay/Collage Competition on the Family Adoption Programme in collaboration with IAPSM, featuring the award-winning entries.

#### **Award Winning Entries**

1. 1st Rank Juhi Raut PG essay PG Resident
2. 1st rank Vaibhav Chandra Collage PG Resident

#### **Essay Entries Selected for Publication**

1. Juhi Raut PG Resident

#### **Collage Entries Selected for Publication**

1. Alisha Handa PG Resident
2. Ansar Ahamed Vp PG Resident
3. Mitul Saha PG Resident
4. Juhi Raut PG Resident
5. Vaibhav Chandra PG Resident

**Learnings & Reflections from Family Adoption program: Postgraduate student's Perspective.**

The importance of focusing on rural areas dates back to Gandhi's principle of *Gram Swaraj* - a unique idea for rural development in the form of a self-reliant village, proposed by Mahatma Gandhi much before India's independence, was developed over a period of time. As per his autobiography, he was motivated and moved by the book *Unto This Last* by Author John Ruskin, which led Gandhi ji to translate it into Gujarati and start the **Movement of Sarvodaya (Welfare of All)**.

The Family Adoption Program, as I understand it, has its roots linked to following overall holistic aim of Sarvodaya and Gram Swaraj as envisioned by Mahatma Gandhi - the concept of medical village and medical education, and the medical literature as a whole, there has been an increase in union between community and patient themselves, as evidenced by rising cases of shared and exchange of resources and medical literature being that against doctors and hospitals. One of the major reasons that needs to be recognized, he also focused on the necessary interpersonal communication and corporate influence on medical field, which has opened the covered medical doctors from profit-concerns between to care of the lay community.

In introducing the Family adoption program from the building years of medical profession, the WHO has taken a distinctly clear to starting its health focus in its core. The Organization and importance of FAP was raised in a seminar in one classroom first, one of the important aspects that that many villages have adopted, and students have provided into the villages as to to extend all students on the same village and also to understand and compare their descriptive and cultural and economic differences in each village.

The village focus provides members an better time confidence in adopting a village and reflecting to them the measure situation for both students and adopted families of the village.

The family postgraduate students and medical social workers facilitated the students during their interaction with the rural family and allowed them the measure of support, backing and by working to make the families understand the aim of the program. This combination of family history of adopted family members, family responsibilities, communication and cultural history, followed by medical history and socio-economic interventions with key opinion leaders of villages like Sarpanch, Gram sevaks, Anganwadi Workers, and ASHA Workers regarding their job profile, education, and difficulties faced by them and the village community as related to health. The combination of all also included various health education activities, BCC, BCI, outcome and exposure to students of public health interventions in villages in the form of Anganwadi, Family and welfare women center (Pradhan, Sarpanch, etc.), Gram panchayat etc.

One of the main objectives was that Health is not a priority for the village lay community, and they are not keen to attend just the BCC, BCI, or Family education sessions. Their participation are about their share elements and creative medicines that are can provide them to address their suffering. They become more ill, etc., and they understand that it is not enough to address their full needs for medical medicine as well.

When health training camps were conducted to provide basic statistics into the main scholars and related services for major sessions. The family and students could also conduct health challenges for Anganwadi and School children and workers.

So, in summary, FAP is an experience that we can learn to what we see. The experience teaches and teaches the rural experience and literature.

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