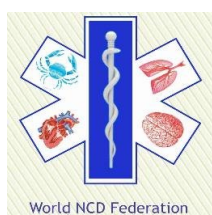


6th International CME on Public health approaches to NCDs (Hybrid)



**Theme: Systematic review and Meta-analysis
for Evidence based prevention and control of
NCDs**

7th March 2021, Sunday



Venue: Lecture Theatre 1, Nehru Hospital, PGIMER, Chandigarh

**Partners: World NCD Federation, IAPSM, World Health Organization, Pfizer Upjohn,
Centre of Excellence for evidence-based research in NCDs for LMICs**

Chair Organizing Committee: Prof JS Thakur, PGI

Organizing Secretary: Samir Malhotra, PGI

Time	Activity	Coordinator
06:00 – 07:00	Walkathon with Social Distancing	Prof Sanjay Bhadada
08:00 – 09:00	Registration for in-person participants	
Time	Topic	Speaker
Session 1 Chairs: Prof. Rakesh Kapoor, Prof Dheeraj Khurana		
09:00 – 09:30	Systematic reviews – History, Background, Need	Prof. Meenu Singh
09:30 – 10:00	Planning and conducting Systematic Reviews and Meta-analyses	Prof. Nusrat Shafiq
10:00 – 10:15	Q & A	
Session 2 Chairs: Prof Ashutosh Aggarwal, Dr. Amandeep Kaur Kang, DHS UT Chandigarh		
10:15 – 10:45	Literature search and search strategy	Dr. Neelima Chadha
10:45 – 11:15	Introduction to software for Systematic Reviews and Meta-analyses	Dr. Anil Chauhan
11:15 – 11:30	Tea	
Session 3 Chairs: Dr. GB Singh, DHS Punjab; Prof Anand Krishnan		
11:30 – 12:00	-GRADE approach -Writing and registering a protocol of Systematic Review	Dr. Navjot Kaur Dr. Nanda Gamad
12:00 – 13:00	Inaugural session Welcome: Prof JS Thakur, President, World NCD Federation Address by Prof Amarjeet Singh, Chair, IAPSMCON21 Annual Report of WNF-Prof Rakesh Kapoor, Secretary, WNF Keynote Speaker: Multisectoral Response for Noncommunication Diseases. Prof. Sanjay Zodphey, Director IIPH, Gurugram	

	Release of World NCD Federation Guidelines on Prevention, Surveillance and Management of NCDs and Special issue of IJNCD on COVID-19 and NCDs Chief Guest: Dr. Jagat Ram, Director PGIMER, Chandigarh Vote of Thanks: Samir Malhotra, PGI	
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch	
<p align="center">Session 4: Panel Discussion: How to Promote Evidence Based Medicine and Public Health?</p> <p align="center">Moderators: Prof. JS Thakur, Prof. Samir Malhotra</p>		
14:00 – 14:45	<p>-How can we critically evaluate Systematic Reviews and translate evidence into practice?</p> <p>-Which are the landmark Systematic Reviews that changed NCD practice?</p> <p>-How Professional Associations can contribute in evidence based public health?</p> <p>-How public health association can contribute evidence based policy and programmes at National and state level?</p> <p>- What are the activities of WNF Centre of Excellence for evidence-based research in NCDs for LMICs</p> <p>-How Industry can contribute to Evidence based Medicine?</p> <p>Discussion</p>	<p>Prof Ashutosh Aggarwal, PGI</p> <p>Prof. Sanjay Bhadada, PGI</p> <p>Prof. AM Kadri, ED, SHSRC, Gujrat</p> <p>Prof Sanjay Rai, AIIMS, New Delhi</p> <p>Samir Malhotra, PGI</p> <p>Dr Shekhar Potkar</p>
<p align="center">Session 5</p> <p align="center">Chairs: Samir Malhotra, Prof Rajesh Vijayvergiya</p>		
14:45 – 15:15	Searching literature for studies for inclusion in your Systematic Review and Meta-analysis – Hands-on exercise	<p>Dr. Anil Chauhan</p> <p>Dr. Ritika Kondel</p> <p>Dr. Avaneesh Pandey</p> <p>Mr. Imran</p>
15:15 -15:30	Tea break	
15:30 – 17:00	<p>Presentation of invited proposals for systematic review and meta-analysis</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Invited Grant Proposals under IAPSMCON21 • Under Centre of Excellence for evidence-based research in NCDs for LMICs 	<p>Prof Sanjay Zodpey</p> <p>Prof Amarjeet Singh</p> <p>Prof. JS Thakur, Samir Malhotra</p>
17:00	Closing	