



National Conference

on

Inclusive Rehabilitation: Converging Mental Health & Special Education Needs (CRE Accredited)



25th & 26th Feb 2019, IIC, New Delhi

Organized by

National Institute for Empowerment of Persons with
Multiple Disabilities (Divyangjan)

In collaboration with

Expressions India

The National Life Skills, Values Education & School Wellness Program

- Last Date for Registration 8th Feb 2019
- Last date for Abstract Submission 12th Feb 2019

- Last Date for Paper Submission 16th Feb 2019

Registration Details

CRE Participants/ Faculty/ Practicing Professionals - Rs.2500/-
Students (PGs & PhD Scholars) - Rs. 1500/-

India International
Centre, Max
Mueller Marg,
Lodhi Road, ND

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AISCAP - Association of Indian School Counselors & Allied Professionals

➤ Institute of Mental Health & Life Skills Promotion
Moolchand Medcity, New Delhi



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An Introspection.....

The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act stresses progressive changes that must be undertaken to comply with the United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities. It focuses on the principles of non-discrimination, full and effective participation and inclusion in the society, equality of opportunity, accessibility and respect for the evolving capacities of individuals with disabilities (divyangjan).

Mental Health conditions can remain invisible and many times go undetected. And, the impact of the disability due to mental behavior is on various functional aspects for the individual and her/his family, including – education; psychological, lifestyle, social and vocational issues. An important aspect of any rehabilitation program is achieving a full and satisfying life with societal integration.

The link between mental health and educational outcomes is important for practitioners and policy makers to pay attention, in order to ensure successful inclusion and improved quality of life of individuals and their families. This Conference aims to bridge the knowledge gap and establish links for evolving capacities and holistic practices for inclusive education.

*Increasing evidence shows empowering school counselors, special educators, teachers and allied professionals are important as a human resource in the field of Counseling and Health Education. In the light of the recent incidents, it is crucial to evolve consensus on scientific and sustainable semblance for creating a climate of wellbeing in Schools. **NIEPMD in technical support with Expressions India proudly announce the National Conference on “Inclusive Rehabilitation: Converging Mental Health & Special Education Needs”, scheduled on 25th & 26th February 2019 at India International Centre, Max Mueller Marg, New Delhi.***

Association of Indian School Counselors & Allied Professionals (AISCAP), our knowledge partner, is an endeavor of like-minded professionals to provide a forum that seeks to empower and streamline the school counselors and allied professionals in their role to effectively promote child and adolescent well-being. Hereby extremely warm welcome to this pioneering conference of mental health and special education needs.

Core Theme

Inclusive Rehabilitation: Converging Mental Health & Special Education Needs

Sub-Themes

- *Early Childhood Education, Behaviour & Rearing Practices*
- *Access to Holistic Health Care – Physical, Mental and Social*
- *Policies and Laws Promoting Rights and inclusion*
- *Training the Human Resource for Inclusive Education*
- *Multi-Disciplinary and Cross-Disability Approach to Services*
- *Evidence Based Practices & Success Stories in Convergence of Mental Health & Special Education Needs*
- *Good Practices and Emerging Models of School Mental Health esp. Adolescent Wellbeing*

Target Delegates

- *Special Educators, Psychologists & School Counselors*
- *Senior Rehabilitation Professionals*
- *Rehabilitation Practitioners & Mental Health Professionals*
- *Cross Disability Experts, policy makers*
- *Students of RCI recognized courses*
- *PhD Scholars of Disability Rehabilitation/ Special education*

Registration Fees

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Bank Details for Submission

A/c Name: *Expressions children Homes Organizations of India*
Bank Name: *Kotak Mahindra*
Bank Branch: *Kasturba Gandhi Marg, New Delhi*
AccountNo: *0811412573*
MICR Code: *110485002*
IFSC Code: *KKBK0000172*

How to Register?

Duly filled enclosed "Registration Form "to be emailed to:

contactexpressions.india@gmail.com on or before 8th February, 2019. Registration fee may be submitted online subsequently or on arrival.

Organizing & Advisory Group

1. *Dr. Himangshu Das, Director, NIEPMD.*
2. *Prof. Namita Ranganathan, Head & Dean, Dept. of Education., Delhi University.*
3. *Dr. Jitendra Nagpal, Senior Psychiatrist & Head, IMHLS (Inst. Of Mental Health & Life Skills), Moolchand, Medcity. Program Director-Expressions India.*
4. *Ms. Mudita Yadav, Secretary General, AISCAP (Association of Indian School Counselors & Allied Professionals) & Sr. Consultant Special Education.*

Guidelines for Paper Presentation

for

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The Organizing Committee of the Expressions India & Association of Indian School Counselors and Allied Professionals (AISCAP) in New Delhi invites proposals for paper presentations. Proposals should relate to the theme of the conference 'Converging School Mental Health & Special Education Needs'. We invite counselors, special educators and practicing professionals with vast experience in the field of mental health working with schools to wholeheartedly participate in this event. We hope that these diverse perspectives on special education and counseling services would further strengthen, reinforce and consolidate our identity as Counselor Educators and Counseling Psychologists in India. Theoretical, Applied as well as Research-based submissions are welcome.

Papers

Participants should submit their choice paper in maximum of 3000 words. Paper shall be reviewed by the academic committee of the conference. The choice can be made from any of the following types of paper presentation:-

- **Experience Paper:** write up involving issues related to counseling services in India.
- **Case Studies:** Details of manifestation, intervention & post intervention effect.
- **Research Paper:** papers reporting original empirical investigations (qualitative, quantitative or mixed methods).
- **Specific Outreach Program in Child & Adolescent Mental Health:** Synopsis of the outreach program.

Submission Requirements

All submissions should use the form and submit details for the abstract. The abstract should not exceed 300 words. The **cover sheet** should include:

- Name of applicant(s) and affiliation(s)
- Contact information of the first author
- A brief biographical entry of approximately 150 words for each author
- Title of the Presentation

Special equipment needs for presentation: projector and laptop/computer will be available.

Please Note: Papers and abstracts must not be copyrighted, previously published or presented at any other national conference or seminar

Themes of the Paper Presentation

- Early Childhood Education, Behaviour & Rearing Practices
- Access to Holistic Health Care – Physical, Mental and Social
- Policies and Laws Promoting Rights and inclusion
- Training the Human Resource for Inclusive Education
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Any other allied theme related to the promotive aspects/interventions in any above mentioned areas

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Registration for Paper Presentation

Title of the Paper				
Theme				
Topic				
Key Words				
Presenter's Full Name				
Designation				
Organization / School				
Postal Address				
E-mail				
Phone Number		Mobile Number		
Format of Paper Presentation (7-8 minutes only)	Oral Presentation		PPT Presentation (Yes/No)	
Type of Paper <i>(please select & tick only 1 type)</i>	Experience Paper	Research Paper	Specific Outreach Program in Child & Adolescent Mental Health	Case Studies

Kindly Note:

Please mail your abstract. Make sure your abstract is coherent, focused and free of language errors. The length of the abstract should be approx 250 words. Kindly attach your profile not exceeding 150 words.