

**NINTH CONFERENCE OF
INDIAN ASSOCIATION FOR SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HEALTH**

**THEME:
HEALTH, GENDER AND INCLUSIVE DEVELOPMENT**

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Pre-Conference workshop on “Approaches to Social Science Research”



**Conference: 24 – 26 November, 2011
Pre-Conference Workshop: 21-23 November, 2011**

Venue: Centre for Development Studies

Organized by

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	<p>Ninth Conference of INDIAN ASSOCIATION FOR SOCIAL SCIENCES AND HEALTH (IASSH) organized by TATA INSTITUTE OF SOCIAL SCIENCE DEONAR, MUMBAI-400088 Dates: Conference: 24-26, November 2011 Pre Conference Workshop : 21-23, November, 2011 iassh2004@gmail.com website: http://www.iassh.org</p>	
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SUB THEMES:

- S1. Health Transition and Inclusive Development
- S2. Linkages between Health, Poverty and Gender Inequalities
- S3. Concept and Measurement of Health Inequalities, Inclusive Development
- S4. Strategies, Policies and Programmes for Inclusive Development

TECHNICAL SESSIONS:

T1. Health and Inclusive Development:

- T1.1 Health in South Asia: Leveraging Good Practices in MCH
- T1.2 Child Protection, Child Health and Inclusive Development
- T1.3 Food Security, Nutrition and Inclusive Development
- T1.4 Technological Change, Innovation and Inclusive Development

T2. Gender Dimensions:

- T2.1 Gender Dimensions of Health and Longevity
- T2.2 Empowerment of Elderly Women and disparities
- T2.3 Gender, Health, Human Rights and MDGs
- T2.4 Poverty, Gender Inequality and Maternal Health

T3. Social Dimensions:

- T3.1 Social Disparities in Health and Gender-Dalits, Tribals, Muslims
- T3.2 Spatial Disparities in Health and Gender-rural/urban, intra-urban, regions
- T3.3 Social Protection of Women and Inclusive Development
- T3.4 Social barriers for Gender, Inclusive Development

Topics of be Covered in the Pre-conference Workshop

Steps in the Research Process, Selection and Defining of Research Problem, Formulation of Hypotheses, Construction of Interview Schedule and Questionnaire, Preparation of Interview Schedule and Questionnaire, methods of collection of qualitative and quantitative Data Use of Computers in Data Analysis, Tabulation, Statistical tools used for data analysis, and Steps in Report Writing .

Call for Abstracts:

Abstract of papers on topics relevant to the Technical themes are invited from those who want to present papers at the conference. The abstracts should be **submitted ONLINE through the following link.**

Abstract Submission through on-line:

<http://www.iassh.org/onlineabstract.aspx>

Youth Best Paper Award:

There will be two best research paper awards to the young scholars less than 30 years of age, should be single author research paper. Interested young scholars should submit abstract by mention "For Young Scientist Research paper award" through on line only. Visit following link

<http://www.iassh.org/onlineabstract.aspx>

Apart from the Young Scientist Research paper award, in the present conference there will be two "best poster award" for the poster presentations.

IMPORTANT DATES:

Last date for receiving Abstract/s:	July 15, 2011
Intimation of Acceptance of abstract/s: & Travel Grant	September, 15 2011
Last Date for Conference and Pre-Conference, Registration fee :	October 31, 2011

No Spot Registration

Registration Fees: (Non-Refundable Registration Fee)

Type of Participants	Member*	Non Member/ Accompanying Person
1. Conference Registration Fee: (Per person)	Rs. 1000	Rs. 1500
2. Pre-Conference Workshop Registration fee:	Rs.800	Rs.1000
3. Local Participant (for conference and Pre conference)	Rs.800	Rs.1000
4.Overseas Participants	\$ 100	\$ 120

Note: 1. Registration closes by 31 October 2011.

2. For local delegates' accommodation will not be provided.

3. Preference will be given to M .Phil / Ph. D scholars for pre-conference registration.

*4. * Persons paid membership fee on or before 31/5/2011 will be considered as Member.*

Those paid after above date, their membership would be confirmed in the next EC meeting.

Registration Fee Payment

Filled Registration form along with Non Refundable fee **by DD drawn in favour of Secretary, IASSH** payable at **Coimbatore** to the following address:

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Registration fee covers: Food, accommodation in suitable Guest Houses/Hostels, and Conference materials. Those who want **more comfortable accommodation can stay in nearby hotels on payment basis** for which the Local Organizing Committee will extend their co-operation. For Local delegates accommodation will not be provided as the priority is given to out station delegates.

Travel Grant:

Authors of the accepted abstracts for ORAL or POSTER PRESENTATION or delegates attending PRE- CONFERENCE WORKSHOP will be provided to and fro second class **rail fare. Travel Grant will be awarded to PRESENTER only.** Please explore the possibility of obtaining TA/DA from your parent organizations, which will facilitate more participation of young scholars **Decision of award of travel grant rests with the review committee on the basis of available funds. The recipient of travel grant must be a member of IASSH.**

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Registration Form



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DD No: _____, Bank Name: _____

Place _____ Date: _____ NIFT details if any: _____

Title of Abstract *: _____

Name/s of author/s: _____

Name of the Presenter: _____

*Paper submitted for Oral Presentation: _____ or Poster Presentation: _____ or

Oral or Poster _____ or Observer: _____

* Paper submitted for Young Scientist Research Paper Award: Yes ____ / No ____

*Attending Pre Conference: Yes/No

Accommodation:

Whether accommodation required? (Underline and tick your requirement)

Yes: I accept accommodation provided by local organizing committee.

No: I need hotel reservation for which I am enclosing required advance amount

Or: I am making my own stay arrangement.

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• I am exploring the possibility of getting travel allowance from my organization: Yes: _____ / No: _____

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Date: / /

Signature: _____

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