National Symposium on UHC Day Advocacy

Advancing "Health for All" through Equitable, Accountable and Stronger Health Systems

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About Indian Institute of Education

The Indian Institute of Education, Pune is a nationally and internationally renowned institute founded by the legendary educationist Padma Bhushan J.P. Naik (1907-1981), humanist, freedom fighter, polymath, encyclopedic thinker and socialist educationist. Recognized by the UNESCO alongside Rabindranath Tagore and Mahatma Gandhi as three pioneering educationists, J.P. Naik is also known as an institution maker. After his death, the mission of the Indian Institute of Education was taken by his wife Padma Shri Dr. Chitra Naik (1918-2010) who continued to contribute his philosophy of Educational Policy as well as for the systemic foundations for New Education Policy in India.

She contributed her rich experience in education and social development in the Planning Commission; State Planning Board, National Literacy Mission And Directorate of Education and Director of Higher Education and Chairperson of IIE. She received prestigious Jamunalal Bajaj Award, First Jan Amos Comenius International Award UNESCO - Paris, Raja Roy Singh Award for outstanding contribution to “Education for All” in the Asia and Pacific Region.

Presently the institution is working on interdisciplinary aspects of social sciences. Health studies, minority studies, tribal studies and studies in inclusive education are the leitmotivs of teaching, research and pedagogy at the Indian Institute of Education.

Center of Educational Studies, Indian Institute of Education

The Indian Institute of Education (IIE) is both a nationally and internationally acclaimed research institute supported by the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR), MHRD, New Delhi and the Government of Maharashtra. It was established in Mumbai on 1st January 1948 by J.P.Naik, the main founder of the Institute, and along with the strong support of R.V. Parulekar, who became the first director of IIE. Strategies designed for “Health for All: An Alternate Strategy and Education for All through India’s 1st Education Commission Report was developed with the Academic Leadership of Padmabhusan J.P.Naik. and collaborators of IIE.

IIE, after relocating to Pune in 1976, initiated The Center of Educational Studies (CES) which is recognized by the University of Pune as a ‘Permanently Recognized Research Institute’ under section 46 of the Pune University Act (1974) for conducting M.Phil and Ph.D. programmes in subject - Education (Interdisciplinary). For further details about Indian Institute of Education, please refer our website:- www.iiepune.org
About the Universal Health Coverage Day

Last year, on 12 December 2018, IIE Pune successfully organized UHC Day Advocacy. IIE was listed among the International Partners and hosted globally a recorded around 180 events in around 60 Countries. Advocacy and promotion for achieving UHC are important goals to attain equitable and sustainable health outcomes and improving the well being of individuals and communities. Health Systems Strengthening is a means to progress towards UHC. Advocating the experience of Health Systems Strengthening and Research is the purpose of UHC Day Consultation which will sustain the ongoing country specific effort in generating multisectoral response involving representatives, Policy Makers and Partners from Civil Society, Academia and Research community. Indian Institute of Education, Pune has been organizing UHC Day Advocacy since 2014 for serving the Global agenda of “Health for All” through partnerships and collaborators for Health Systems and Policy Research. Ensuring highest level of political commitment for achieving “Health for All” through equitable, accountable and stronger health systems is the theme of this year’s UHC Day Advocacy globally.

Scope of Universal Health Coverage Day Advocacy

This National Symposium on sharing the objective vision set for organizing UHC Day Advocacy involving Academia, Research Community, Civil Society and Policy Makers from the Government and non state actors is expected to generate multisectoral understanding and responses with active engagement of multiple specialists’ contribution on achieving goals set under “Health for All” through strengthening of Health Systems, equitable health policy and Research as envisaged in the global strategy for UHC Day Advocacy. Interactive presentations by national level distinguished speakers with the highlights of challenges and opportunities concerning achievement of Universal Health Coverage through Health Systems Strengthening, Capacity Building and Research are the essential components of this Symposium which are expected to address cross-cutting issues and actionable agenda at the National level involving multiple stakeholders and partners of sustainable development.

Strategic Objectives of UHC Day Advocacy

1. **Ensuring Highest Level of Political Commitment for Advancing UHC Day Advocacy in Partnership with Government – POLICY ADVOCACY**

2. **Effective Engagement with Civil Society Organisations for Promoting Community Participation for UHC - CIVIL SOCIETY PARTNERSHIP**

3. **Support for an inclusive, cohesive and collaborative advocacy community that influences Policies and Partnerships for “Health for All” and UHC – Capacity Building For Health System**

Programme Coverage

With the support of UNICEF and technical assistance of Global Health Strategies - USA, the organization of one day National Symposium will cover strategic issues for strengthening of health systems, policy advocacy and partnership with Civil Society while addressing overarching areas of policies, partnerships, systems strengthening strategies and research while addressing topics on – Primary Health Care Approaches, Health Workers Capacities, Services Delivery, Governance Mechanisms, Community
Engagement, Multi-sectoral Collaborations, Access-equity and Human Rights, Non-Communicable Diseases, Gender Equality, Mental Health and Accountable Health Systems.

Who All Can Participate

Academia – Faculty and Research Scholars in Health Field, Administrators & Managers in Health Care, Public Health professionals, Social Science and Allied Health Professionals, NGOs actively engaged in Health Sector, Policy Makers, Media professionals from Health Systems and Health Care Professionals from Alternate Systems of Practices from the Government and outside of health systems are encouraged to participate.

REGISTRATION DETAILS

Participants are requested to Register at 9.30 am at the Registration Desk, J.P.Naik Center for Education and Development, Behind Eklavya Polytechnic, Kothrud, Pune. **There will be no fee for Registration.** All the participants will be provided food and refreshment and facilities for accommodation will be available on request for Resource Persons and Experts invited for the event.

CERTIFICATE OF PARTICIPATION

Certificate of Participation will be provided at the Registration/Help Desk after the completion of the Symposium.

Please visit our YouTube AND twitter Link for UHC Day Advocacy 2018 at IIE, Pune: www.youtube.com/watch?v=0-BkrNiVP-s  
https://twitter.com/iiepune

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