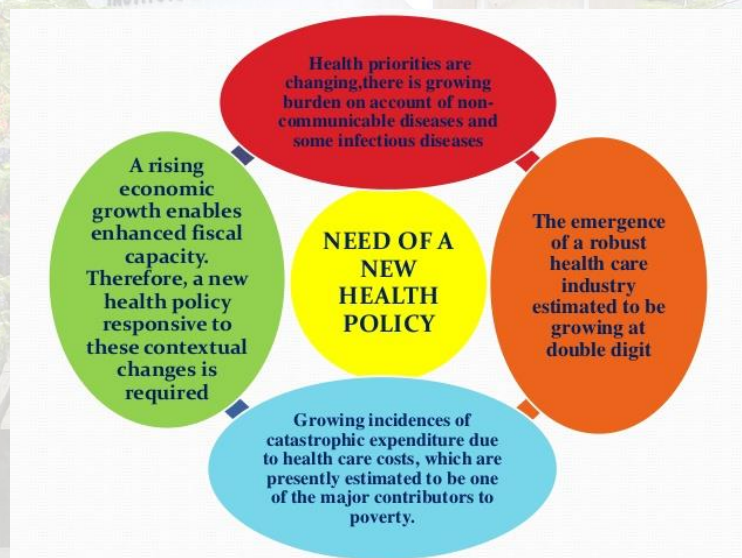


Background of the Seminar:

Health Policy – Provides a broad framework of decisions for guiding health actions that are useful to its community in improving their health, reducing the gap between the health status of the haves and have-nots and ultimately contributes to the quality of life.

The National Health Policy of 1983 and the National Health Policy of 2002 have served well in guiding the approach for the health sector in the Five-Year Plans. Now 14 years after the last health policy, a new is Introduced. The primary aim of the National Health Policy 2017, is to inform, clarify, strengthen and prioritize the role of the Government in shaping health systems in all its dimensions.



Objectives of Health Policy – To improve health status through concerted policy action in all sectors and expand preventive, promotive, curative, palliative and rehabilitative services provided through the public health sector with focus on quality.

Principles of the policy –

- **Professionalism ,integrity and ethics**
- **Equity**
- **Affordability**
- **Universality**
- **Patient centered and Quality of care**
- **Accountability**

- **Inclusive Partnerships**
- **Pluralism**
- **Decentralization**
- **Dynamism and Adaptiveness**

In view of the above , while the public health initiatives over the years have contributed significantly to the improvement of the health indicators, it is to be acknowledged that public health indicators /disease burden statistics are the outcome of several complementary initiatives under the wider umbrella of the developmental sector. We therefore invite prominent scholars as well as young scholars to intensively deliberate upon the various dimensions of the Implications of the New Health Policy in India.

Sub-Themes of the Seminar:

Sub-themes of the seminar are as below:

- Raising the Public Health Expenditure – A need of the hour
- Importance of Sound Health Surveillance System
- Burden of Non Communicable Diseases , a public health challenge
- Focus on Mental Health – A new Dimension in Health policy
- Mainstreaming the potential of AYUSH
- Geriatric Health Care an emerging challenge for the nation
- Research for Evidence based preventive and promotive strategies
- Role of NGO's and Private Sector in Health Promotion

(Note: The above list of the themes of the seminar is illustrative. We welcome a quality submission on related themes in conformity with the overall seminar theme.)

Abstract Submission:

Abstracts of no more than 300 words including key words should be submitted to **health.seminar.2018@gmail.com** before **11th March, 2018**.

All abstracts will be **reviewed** by a voluntary team, the decision of which will be notified by **13th March, 2018** through email.

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- For Academicians and Professionals (Local): ₹ 600.00
- For Research Scholars and Students (Outstation): ₹ 600.00
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