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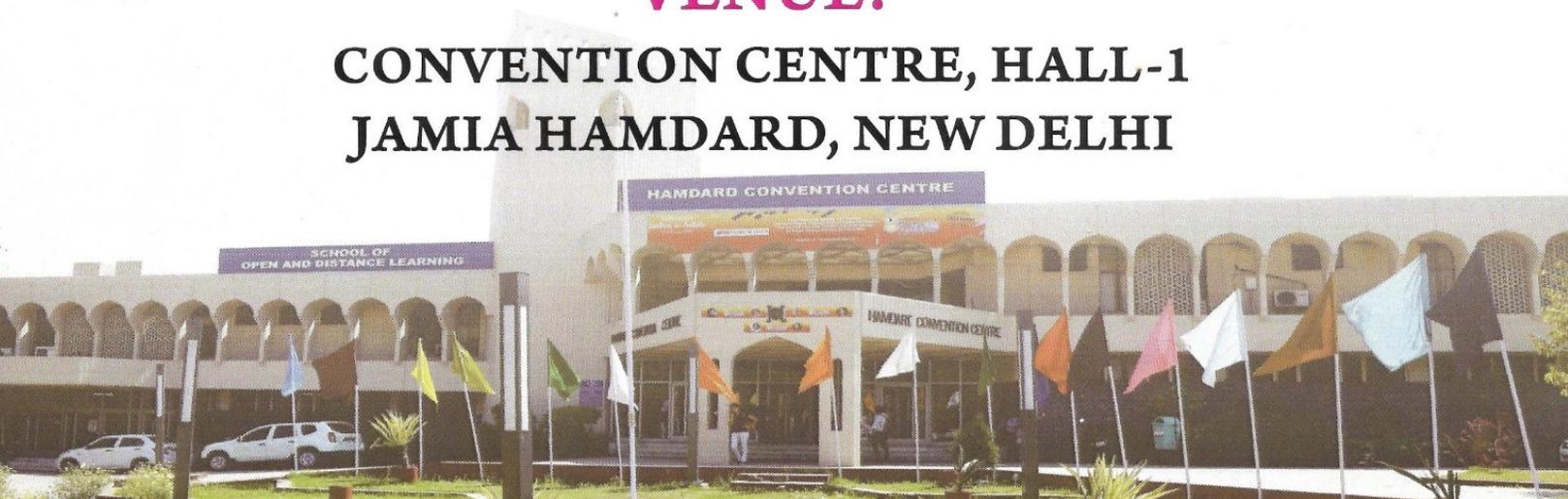
IPATH CON 2019

**“DEMYSTIFYING TRANSGENDER HEALTHCARE:
ADDRESSING THE FELT NEED”**

Date:- 1ST & 2ND November, 2019

VENUE:

**CONVENTION CENTRE, HALL-1
JAMIA HAMDARD, NEW DELHI**



About Association for Transgender Health in India

The need to setup ATHI arose from our firsthand experiences as parents of a Transgender person confronted by the lacunae in Transgender Healthcare and the hurdles faced due to the prejudiced and discriminatory attitude of society, denying equity to the transgender community.

ATHI envisions an inclusive society, which celebrates all hues and colors of gender identity and expression, providing a nurturing environment for attainment of physical, mental, social, and spiritual wellbeing, ensuring equal rights and opportunities, as bestowed by the constitution.

ATHI seeks to achieve its aim by collaborating with the Department of Health and Hospital Management and the Medical School of Jamia Hamdard (HIMSR), by conducting activities through its subsidiary arms:-

- **KHEM** – ATHI’s Social Arm that aims to address the social aspects of Transgender Welfare. The four pillars of KHEM being –Knowledge, Healthcare, Empowerment and Mainstreaming
- **IPATH** (Indian Professional Association for Transgender Health) – ATHI’s Professional Arm that provides a platform for medical professionals working in the field of Transgender Health to engage in clinical and academic research and develop evidence-based protocols in Transgender Healthcare.

About Jamia Hamdard

Jamia Hamdard, a deemed to be University, was founded by Late Hakim Abdul Hameed Saheb, a well-known Unani Physician and philanthropist of his time, who used all the profits made by the Hamdard Dawakhana to fund Hamdard National Foundation, which is the principal sponsor of Jamia Hamdard. Today Jamia Hamdard comprises of a Medical School (Hamdard Institute of Medical Sciences and Research) and 550-bedded hospital with state of art diagnostic labs, a well-known Unani Medical School and Hospital, a School of Chemical and Life Sciences, School of Management and Business Studies, School of Open and Distance Learning, School of Law, and many others. You will be very happy to know that Jamia Hamdard continues to be among the top Universities in the country in the area of Pharmaceutical Sciences and per the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF) Surveys 2017, 2018 and 2019 conducted by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India. Jamia Hamdard Has also been ranked amongst the top 20 universities in India as per the NIRF Survey 2019. For three consecutive cycles, Jamia Hamdard has been recommended by the UGC for the Award of 'Institution of Eminence' status, as the top 5 Private University of India, by the Empowered Committee appointed by the Ministry of Human Resource Development.

Theme of IPATHCON-19

“Demystifying Transgender Healthcare: Addressing the Felt Need”

Summary

IPATHCON 2019 started off a much-needed dialogue on Transgender Healthcare. The two-day international conference focused on medical, legal, and social aspects of the matter. Many eminent international speakers from different disciplines shared and discussed their ideas and opinions on different subject matter among each other and with community representatives as well. The conception of IPATHCON 2019 was curated by ATHI to create a platform where stakeholders working in transgender sphere, for the very first time under one roof can discuss ideas and create a sense of community. Healthcare for transgender community, for a very long time, has been neglected by society and even by some democratic institutions. For elevation of a marginalized community healthcare plays a pivotal role. However, the significance of healthcare becomes heavier when it intersects with the transgender sphere. From a very early stage, transgender individuals find themselves in a very complex stage because of short receiving capacity of the society due the pre-existing societal structures. Hence, one can clearly see the imperative of early intervention by healthcare professionals.

The inaugural session was addressed by Dr. Bilali Camara, UNAIDS country director India also an epidemiologist who has extensive experience in Public Health and Health policy was the Chief Guest, Guest of Honor Dr. Robert Gilman from University of Michigan who specializes in cosmetic surgery and rejuvenation procedures and transgender rights activist Swati Bidhan Baruah who is also the first transgender judge in Assam was the Keynote Speaker.



Key Speakers

1. Dr. Bilali Camara

Country Director, UNAIDS

Dr. Bilali Camara in his address praised the efforts of ATHI and Jamia Hamdard in conducting the conference, he further put emphasis on the importance of Universal Health and how it is connected to the healthcare rights of transgenders. He stated that organizing meetings like these reflect the stance India have taken on the issue of Transgender Healthcare.



In the end, he concluded his address and stated “Let us make sure, we work towards transgender healthcare, as transgender rights are human rights”.

2. Dr. Robert Gilman

University of Michigan, USA

Starting off from an academic viewpoint, Dr. Gilman talked about the structure of medical programs and services at the University of Michigan. Then, he laid down some statistical facts by the National Gender Discrimination Study and highlighted that a significant proportion of Trans population is denied medical care because of their Gender Status.



3. Swati Bidhan Baruah

Judge- Lok Adalat, Assam

To Address the legal aspect of Transgender Healthcare Swati Bidhan Baruah discussed the current dynamics related to SRS. She shared her personal experiences and challenges that she had to face, which interestingly led to a landmark judgment by Bombay high court. She also pointed out the discrepancies in Government-sponsored healthcare schemes and addressed the legal issues related to Marital status.



Session Highlights

Mental Health Matters

The first session on mental health was chaired by Dr. R.C. Jiloha, head psychiatry HIMSR. The session started with a detailed presentation on the evolution of sex reassignment procedures and how surgeries were done in the past how



technological advancements with a better understanding of gender, which segued to how medical professionals started looking it as an authentic condition rather than a mental illness. The session also referenced the recent amendments done by Diagnostic and statistical manual of the American psychiatry association. Dr. Rajiv Mehta from SGR hospital defined the concept of Gender dysphoria along with statistics related to its effects especially risk factors and role of psychiatrists. Further in the session, Dr. Vishal Chhabra briefed the audience on some of the mental health issues related to gender dysphoria, this included issues like Depression, Anxiety, Substance abuse, OCD and other psychotic disorders.

Other key highlights of the mental health session included responsibility of mental health experts by Dr. Shobhit Garg, which covered topics like timely identification, maintaining confidentiality and providing education and support. Dr. Deepa Tilak



from Murray Royal Hospital gave a new perspective on gender dysphoria, and how medical professionals can incorporate a value-based approach in their practice. Dr. Kavita Arora from Children First brought an Indian societal viewpoint of the subject and how one can apply the human rights approach to work with it.

Masculinizing Genitoplasty

Invoking the scientific approach in the conference, many prominent medical professionals laid down thematic technical procedures in front of the audience. The second session of the conference was centered around the different modifications and techniques applied while inducing male physiological features in genitoplasty.



The session was chaired by Dr. Shalabh Kumar, Dr. Peeyush Gupta from Safdarjung Hospital and Dr. Lokesh Kumar from BLK Hospital. Detailed presentations on different types of phalloplasty, like Radial Artery Forearm flap, Musculocutaneous Latissimus Dorsi and Anterolateral Thigh



Flap were presented by Dr. Richie Gupta Fortis Hospital, Dr. Marta Bizic from Belgrade Centre for GRS and Dr. Rajat Gupta Fortis Hospital respectively.

Holistic Healthcare for Transgender Persons

The late evening session on different aspects of comprehensive healthcare for Transgender persons was Chaired by Dr. Deepa Tilak and Dr. Kavita Arora. The session started with a presentation by Dr. Karthik Bittu Kondaiah from Ashoka University on the Biological standpoint of Transgenderism and its pervasiveness in Nature referencing the Animal Kingdom.



Dr. Aqsa Shaikh from Jamia Hamdard enlightened the crowd on the existing challenges in the Education sector due to the conventional binary themed infrastructure in higher education institutions and how these issues can be mitigated. The session followed up with Presentations by Air Cmde (Dr) Sanjay Sharma and Dr. Bela Sharma from ATHI on Parenthood and the role of parent support groups in helping the families.



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Panel Discussion on Sexual Health of Transgender Persons

The first day of the conference concluded with a panel discussion. The panel discussed about the various factors which affect the sexual well being of Transgender Persons. The group included Dr. Nitin Walia, Divya Dureja, Deepika Pandhi, Dr. Rahul Arora and Divya Vasihnava.



Feminizing Genitoplasty, Breast Surgeries, and Facial Feminization Procedures

The second day of the conference involved scientific sessions on Surgical procedures such as Feminizing Genitoplasty, Breast Surgery, and Facial Feminization Procedures. Renowned speakers like Dr. Anubhav Gupta (SGR Hospital), Dr. Narendra Kaushik (Olmec Hospital), Dr. Arjun Asokan (Renai Medicity), Dr. James Roy Kanjoor (Roy's Centre) and Dr. Bheem Singh Nanda (SGR Hospital) spoke about different types of vaginoplasty and breast augmentation procedures. Guest of Honour Dr. Robert H. Gilman addressed the crowd on the basic concept of Facial Feminization and also spoke about physical facial attributes of biological males and females.



Endocrine Management of Transgender Persons

Considering the imperative of Endocrine Therapy in Transgender Healthcare the afternoon session highlighted some of the primary concepts and issues related to endocrine management. Dr. Anirban Majumder KPC Medical College started the session by giving his insights on defining the eligibility criteria and readiness criteria for SRS and also the risks associated with it. Dr. Debmalya Sanyal also from the KPC Medical College talked about the importance of medical assessment by the professional prior to the therapy. The fertility facet of the session was conveyed by Dr. Parul Prakash Garg, Sarvodaya IVF centre. Dr. Suja Sukumar from Renai Medicity presented a case study on the successful implementation of non - surgical programs of gender affirmation also underlining the role of state government in Kerala.



Legalities and Ethics in Transgender Healthcare

The concluding session of the conference touched upon Law, Human rights and the Government role in Transgender Healthcare. The chairpersons for this session were Dr. Arun Gupta President, Delhi Medical College, and Swati Bidhan Baruah. Ray R, a law student from Delhi University described the discrepancies in different previous and current provisions/Bills, reflecting the deficient understanding of Gender Identity by the authorities. Dr.



Satendra Singh from UCMS a disability rights activist gave a potent speech on what are the ethical prerequisites that the stakeholders should consider while working towards the development of a marginalized community. In the end Dr. Shobini Rajan ADG-TI, NACO expressed her views on the intersectional areas (high-risk population) where NACP covers transgender health and how NACO is engaging the community at ground.

Addressing the Felt Need

After the conclusion of scientific sessions on first and second day. The third day focused on the deliberations and



assessments on the talks and presentations delivered at the conference. The brainstorming session was followed by the discussion on current dynamics in Indian healthcare that necessitates the development of Indian Standards of Care. Managing Director of ATHI Air Cmde (Dr) Sanjay Sharma (Retd) addressed the audience and announced the theme for IPATHCON 2020 i.e., Indian Standards of Care: Are we there “Yes there is a huge task in front of us. The conference would have thrown many points which need reflection and deliberation. I implore you to put on your thinking hats and let us have some brainstorming sessions” pronounced Dr. Sanjay Sharma.

He also in an effort to underline some of the future prospects said, “We will be planning separate Brainstorming sessions for Gender Affirmative Surgical Care, Gender Affirmative Medical Care, Mental Health Care, Ethics, law and Support groups at Jamia Hamdard from March 2020”.







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Annexure A: Scientific Program of IPATHCON2019

November 1

1. Conference Inauguration session 9-11AM

Lamp lighting, Saraswati Vandana, welcoming the guests, address by dignitaries Health Minister, Chief of NMC, Shashi Tharoor, VC.

2. Scientific Session 1, 11.30AM-1PM

- a) Gender Dysphoria and Transsexualism. Managing a transsexual patient- Dr. Richie Gupta (Fortis) 20mins + 10 mins discussion
- b) Assessing and diagnosing Gender Dysphoria- Dr. Rajiv Mehta (Sir Ganga Ram) 20mins + 10 mins discussion.
- c) Endocrine treatment of Gender Dysphoric individuals- Dr. Ajay Aggarwal (Fortis) 20mins + 10mins discussion.

3. Scientific Session 2, 2-4PM Phalloplasty and Metaidoioplasty

- a) Radial Artery Forearm Flap Phalloplasty. How we do it. Tips and tricks + Video. Dr. Richie Gupta (Fortis) 25mins + 5Mins discussion.
- b) Musculocutaneous Latissimus Dorsi Phalloplasty. How we do it. Tips and tricks + Video. Dr. Marta Bizic (Belgrade, Serbia) 25mins + 5Mins discussion.
- c) Anterolateral Thigh Flap Phalloplasty. How we do it. Tips and tricks + Video. Dr. Rajat Gupta (Fortis) 25mins + 5Mins discussion.
- d) Belgrade Metaidoioplasty. How we do it. Tips and tricks + Video. Dr. Marta Bizic (Belgrade, Serbia) 25mins + 5Mins discussion.

4. Scientific Session 3, 4.30-6PM

- a) Associated mental health issues in patients of Gender Dysphoria. Dr Vishal Chabra (Fortis) 15mins.
- b) Pre and post transition psychiatric care in Gender Dysphoric individuals. Dr. Amrit Pattajoshi (Odisha) 15 mins.
- c) Rigid diagnostic categories specifically sexual and gender orientation- help or hinderance. Dr. Deepa Tilak 15mins.
- d) Gender Dysphoria, past present and future, from mental health perspective. 15mins
- e) Psychotherapy in Gender Dysphoria 15 mins.
- f) **Panel Discussion 15 mins**

5. Gala Dinner 8PM

November 2

6. Scientific Session 4, 9-11AM

- a) Effect of cross sex hormone therapy on bone mineral density in transsexual individuals. Dr. Rajesh Khadgawat (AIIMS, Delhi). 15mins + 5mins
- b) Preservation of fertility potential for gender and sex diverse individuals. Dr. Ajay Ajmani (BLK). 15mins + 5mins
- c) Challenges in endocrine therapy of Gender Dysphoric individuals, our experience. Dr. Anirban Majumder (West Bengal). 15mins + 5mins
- d) Long term preservation of germ cells and assisted reproductive technology in transsexuals. Dr. Deepti Gupta (Fortis). 15mins + 5mins
- e) Disorders of sexual development, endocrine management. Dr. Ajay Aggarwal (Fortis) 15mins + 5mins.
- f) Disorders of sexual development, surgical management. Dr. D.K.Gupta (Ex AIIMS). 15mins + 5mins.

7. Scientific Session 5 11.30AM-1PM

- a) Facial feminization surgery. Dr. Robert Gilman (University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA). 25mins + 5mins.
- b) Facial feminization surgery. Dr. Murthy Halsnad (Glasgow, UK) 25mins + 5mins.
- c) Voice feminization. 25mins + 5mins.

8. Scientific Session 6 2PM-4PM

- a) Intestinal Vaginoplasty (Rectosigmoid/ Ileal) in a transsexual patient and patient with agenesis. Similarities and differences. Marta Bizic (Belgrade, Serbia) 15mins + 5mins.
- b) Penile/ Perineoscrotal flap Vaginoplasty. Dr. Richie Gupta (Fortis) 15 mins + 5mins.
- c) Dissection of neovaginal cavity and neovaginal suspension tips and tricks and pitfalls. Dr. Pankaj Sharma (Fortis) 15mins + 5mins.
- d) Breast augmentation in transwomen. 15mins + 5mins.
- e) Breast reduction in transmen, our experience. Dr. Rajat Gupta (Fortis) 15mins + 5mins.
- f) Perfecting hairlines for perfect transitions. Dr. Tejinder Bhatti 15mins + 5mins.

9. Scientific Session 7 4.30PM- 6PM

- a) Managing urinary complications of phalloplasty. Dr. Rajinder Yadav/ Anurag/ Pravesh (Fortis) 12mins+ 3mins.
- b) Erectile implants in reconstructed penis. 12mins + 3mins.
- c) My experiences, as a transgendered professional. 15mins + 5mins.
- d) My experiences, as a transgendered professional. Dr. Armaan Pandey (Mumbai)15mins + 5mins.
- e) Our experiences, as parents of a transitioning child. Dr. Sanjay Sharma/ Dr. Bela Sharma 15mins + 5mins.

Annexure B: Brochure



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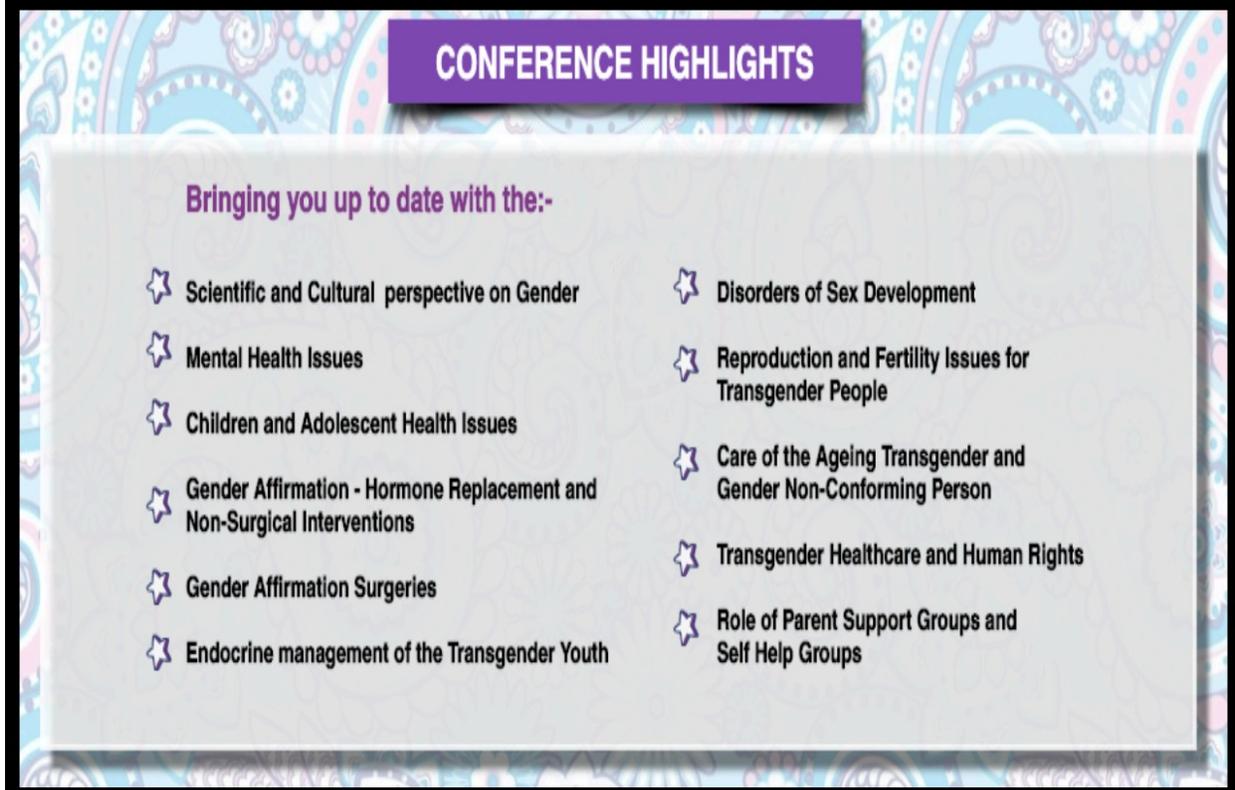
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CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS

Bringing you up to date with the:-

- ★ Scientific and Cultural perspective on Gender
- ★ Mental Health Issues
- ★ Children and Adolescent Health Issues
- ★ Gender Affirmation - Hormone Replacement and Non-Surgical Interventions
- ★ Gender Affirmation Surgeries
- ★ Endocrine management of the Transgender Youth
- ★ Disorders of Sex Development
- ★ Reproduction and Fertility Issues for Transgender People
- ★ Care of the Ageing Transgender and Gender Non-Conforming Person
- ★ Transgender Healthcare and Human Rights
- ★ Role of Parent Support Groups and Self Help Groups

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KEYNOTE & PLENARY SPEAKERS

INTERNATIONAL FACULTY



Dr Robert Harris Gilman
Assistant Professor
Specialities: Plastic Surgery, Otolaryngology, Surgery
Special Interest: Facial Feminization Surgery



Dr Marta Bizić
Assistant Professor
SPECIALIZATION: Pediatric surgery
Genital Surgeries and Gender Affirmation Surgeries



Dr Moorthy Halsanad
Consultant Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeon
Special Interest: Facial Feminization Surgery



Dr Deepa Tilak
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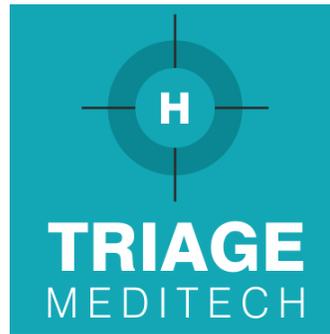
PRESS RELEASE

1. 'Gender Incongruence' has been introduced as a condition under 'Conditions related to Sexual Health' in the latest International of Diseases, ICD-11, released by the World Health Organization on 18th June 2018. This step, which undoubtedly reflects the progressive mindset of the Medical Fraternity, will go down in the annals of history of Modern Medicine as the turning point whence forth the existence of the Gender Spectrum has been validated and a platform prepared for addressing the issues arising out of nonconformity to the populist binary view of gender held by the society at large, without the attached stigma of 'Mental illness'. It needs no reiteration that education is the panacea for effecting change and education institutions need to step up and take charge. Taking the lead, Jamia Hamdard has collaborated with the "Association of Transgender Health in India" to fill the gaps and formalize the kickstarting the much needed debate by hosting the first national conference on Transgender Healthcare with the theme of "Demystifying Transgender Healthcare: Addressing the felt need" on the 1st and 2nd of November 2019 at the Convention Centre of Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi.
2. This conference will be the first of its kind in the country, providing an opportunity for the professionals from various specialties, working in the field to Transgender Health, to not only interact with each other, but also communicate with members of the community, caregivers, students, and scholars to assess their felt needs. They shall share their professional experiences through presentations. They will also deliberate and discuss the existing protocols and prevalent standards of care for delivery of Transgender healthcare in the backdrop of the Indian culture and initiate the process for formulation of first "Indian Standards of Care in Transgender Health". Invitations for registration have been sent to Surgeons performing Gender Affirmation Surgeries including Reconstructive and Cosmetic surgeons, Urologists and Gynecologists; Mental Health professionals including Psychiatrists and Psychologists; Endocrinologists, pediatricians, Family Medicine specialists and General practitioners; Voice Therapists; social scientists and workers; members of Self support Groups and Parent Support Groups; A gathering of approximately 200 professionals is expected.
3. The two day conference will provide an interactive platform for the professionals to engage with the community. They will be covering a wide range of topics impacting Transgender Care such as the scientific and cultural perspective on gender, Mental Health issues children and adolescent health issues, gender affirmation - hormone replacement and non-surgical interventions, gender affirmation surgeries, endocrine management of the transgender youth, disorders of sex development, reproduction and fertility issues for transgender people, care of the ageing transgender and Gender Non-Conforming Person, Transgender Healthcare and human rights, and the role Parent Support Groups and Self Help Groups.

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