## THREE DAY NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON MEDICAL SOCIAL WORK Organized by ECONOMICS WING, Directorate of Distance Education, Annamalai University

Date: 29th, 30th and 31st January 2019

## **REGISTRATION FORM**

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## **Expected Outcome of the conference**

1. Creation of knowledge and awareness about the medical social work

2. Mode of availing the benefits from the hospital social work and clinical social work

3. Identification of areas of medical social work in different health care settings

4. Identification of gaps in role and responsibilities of Accredited Social Health Activists

5. Identification of areas of medical social work in National Rural Health Mission

6. Dissemination of knowledge of bio ethics while taking medical care among the conference participants

7. Suggesting the government towards enhancing the role of NGOs in medical social work

8. Dissemination of knowledge on clinical ethics among the social workers and health care professionals

9. Suggesting the government towards starting a special post graduate programme in medical social work

10. Suggesting the government towards conducting the training programme for the medical social workers to update their knowledge on recent development in medical technology and medical services



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#### About the University

In the early 1920s, to serve the downtrodden and to promote Tamil Literature, Rajah Sir S. R. M. Annamalai Chettiar founded Sri Minakshi College, Sri Minakshi Tamil College and Sri Minakshi Sanskrit College in a rural setup at Chidambaram. In 1928, Rajah Sir S. R. M. Annamalai Chettiar agreed with the local Government to handover the above said institution for establishing a University. Thus, on 01.01.1929 Annamalai University was established as per Annamalai University Act 1928 (Tamil Nadu Act 1 of 1929). The most significant development is the enactment of the Annamalai University Act, 2013 (Tamil Nadu Act 20 of 2013), which has come into force from September 25, 2013, after obtaining the assent of His Excellency, the President of India. Annamalai University, accredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC in 2014, is one of India's largest public residential universities with 10 Faculties and 49 departments of study. Sprawling over 950 Acres of land, the University does yeoman service in taking education to the doorsteps of the people who are otherwise far from access to centres of higher learning. The University has initiated several innovative teaching programmes over the years and has been a pioneer in distance education.

#### About the Directorate of Distance Education

The Directorate of Distance Education established in 1979, and now offers more than two hundred different programmes of study under the Regular Stream. It is credited with the largest enrolment in India and is well equipped with computer and other infrastructure, adequate teaching faculty and administrative set-up of its own, study centres, computer training centres, etc., to serve its students' clientele in their best interest at their door steps. It has also the unique distinction of offering first in India, Postgraduate Degree Programmes in Applied Psychology, Physics, Chemistry, Zoology, Botany, Bioinformatics and Law through Distance Education mode. The Directorate of Distance Education is also offering the Programmes on Fashion Design, Textile Design, Interior Design, Hotel Management and Catering Technology Programmes, Retail Management, Twinning Programme, Programmes on Health Science, Yoga, Music, Fire and Safety. All the programmes of study offered by the Directorate of Distance Education have the approval of the Distance Education Council, New Delhi, The Directorate is introducing B.Ed. Programme through distance education mode from the year 2008-09 with the approval of National Council for Teacher Education, New Delhi.

#### About the Economics Wing

The Economics wing, which was incepted in the academic year 1979-80 with B.A. and M.A. Economics with one teacher for coordinating the programmes. Now it has expanded in leaps and bounds. At present, the wing is offering B.A. and M.A. Economics Programmes, M.A. Environmental Economics, M.A. Business Economics, B.A. Business Economics and M.A. Disaster Management through regular scheme in both English and Tamil Medium. B.A. and M.A. Economics overseas Programmes are also offered. In this wing, the personal contact programme classes are handled by three Faculty Members viz., one Associate Professor, and two Assistant Professors along with Resource Persons.

## **Conference Theme**

This conference aims at creating awareness and knowledge about the importance of medical social work in catering the needs and requirements of patients in various health care settings. The discussion, knowledge sharing and knowledge exchange on importance of medical social work, areas of medical social work, types of medical social work and mode of practicing the medical social work among the target patients constitute the major focus of the conference. This conference aims at disseminating the knowledge on medical social work among the conference participants.

This conference traces out the areas of medical social work in different health care institutions and identification of areas of medical social work in Rural Health Mission. The outcome of the conference is expected to identify the gaps in the role and responsibilities of Accredited Social Health Activists. This conference is expected to suggest the government towards enhancing the role of NGOs in medical social work and need for conducting the training programme for the medical social workers to update their knowledge on recent development in medical technology and medical services. Further outcome of the conference aims at disseminating the knowledge of clinical ethics among the social workers and health care professionals.

#### **Objectives of the Conference**

1. To understand the nature and scope of medical social work 2. To inculcate the knowledge and awareness on different areas of medical social work among the conference participants

3. To discuss the pattern of social work in public health

4. To make a forum on knowledge exchange and knowledge sharing on methods and techniques of practicing the medical social work in hospital settings

5. To demonstrate the nature and types of hospital social work and clinical social work

6. To make aware of the participants about the clinical ethics and bio ethics in medical profession

7To understand the role and responsibilities of Accredited Social Health Activists in Rural Health Mission

#### **Call for Papers**

It is proposed to call for papers on themes most relevant to the topic of the conference. We invite the scholars to submit the paper in any one of the proposed areas of the conference

- 1. Nature and scope of medical social work
- 2. Interdisciplinary approach to health and medicine
- 3. Medical social work practice methods
- 4. Social workers in public health
- 5. Clinical social work
- 6. Hospital social work
- 7. Social workers in mental health services
- 8. Genetics and medical social work practice
- 9. Community health workers
- 10. Accredited social health activists

11. Clinical ethics in social work
12. Bioethics in medical profession
13. Social epidemiology
14. Medical social theories
15. Role of NGOs in health services
16. Core medical social work skills
17. Public health nursing
18. Case management
19. Forensic social work
20. Psychiatric social work
Paper Submission

To submit a proposal, send a paper or an abstract of a paper with maximum 200 words to the Conference Director. All papers and abstracts will be reviewed and authors will be informed of the review decision within a short span of time. Only electronic submissions will be accepted.

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#### **REGISTRATION FEES**

The Registration fee is Rs 500/ for faculty members and Rs.250 for research scholar The registration fees must be paid in the form of DD drawn in favor of the Registrar Annamalai University, payable at Annamalai Nagar Registration fees include lunch, and conference Kit. In case there is a joint paper, both participants have to register themselves separately and both have to make it convenient to attend the conference and make a joint presentation. Since, the available financial assistance is limited, we are unable to provide TA and DA to the participants

#### **Important Dates:**

Last date of abstract submission 20<sup>th</sup> January 2019 Last date of full paper submission 25<sup>th</sup> January 2019 Conference Date: 29<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> January 2019

### Accommodation

The Accommodation for outstation participants will be arranged in the University guest house on the basis of individual request. We are cordially inviting the paper presenters and participants.

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