

Scaling Up Primary Healthcare in India

A roundtable hosted by The George Institute, India

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Monday, 14th May 2018, 09.00 am to 4.00 pm

Marigold Hall, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi

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The George Institute for Global Health India is hosting a roundtable discussion on opportunities and challenges for scaling up primary health care in India. The focus of discussion is to understand different models of primary health care, consolidate diverse experience in the delivery of primary care and identify associated gaps in knowledge and evidence.

In preparation for the roundtable, The George Institute has conducted an extensive review of the current literature on primary health care in the Asia Pacific, and used this to identify clear 'gaps' in the evidence base. At the roundtable discussion, participants will be invited to review and amend this 'gap map' to ensure it reflects the Indian context. Outputs of the roundtable will include an India-specific case study on stakeholder perspectives of knowledge gaps in primary health care, and a clear and prioritised list of evidence needs.

Order of proceedings:

9.00 – 9.30am	Registration.	
9.30 – 9.40am	Welcome & Introduction	Professor Vivekanand Jha The George Institute for Global Health, India
9.40 – 10.10am	<i>Primary Healthcare in India: Road map towards health and wellness centres</i>	Dr Rajani Ved National Health Systems Resource Centre
10.10 – 10.40am	<i>Knowledge and Evidence gaps on PHC in India: emerging findings from a recent review</i>	Dr David Peiris The George Institute for Global Health, India
10.40 – 11.00am	Morning tea	
11.00am – 1.30pm	<i>Challenges and Opportunities in Primary Healthcare Scale up in India.</i> Facilitated roundtable discussions with expert speakers	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dr Raman Kumar, Academy of Family Physicians of India• Dr Sudarshan, Karuna Trust• Dr Pavitra Mohan, Basic Healthcare services• Dr Sanghita Bhattacharya, Public Health Foundation of India• Dr Sandeep Bhalla, Public Health Foundation of India• Dr Madhukar Bose, Dept. for International Trade, UK• Mr Sunil Nandraj• Dr Abraham Joseph• Ms Mirai Chatterjee, Self Employed Women's Association
1.30 – 2.15pm	Lunch	
2.15 – 3.45pm	<i>Towards a research agenda on Primary Health Care in India</i>	
3.45 – 4.00pm	Closing remarks	Dr Rajmohan Panda