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Minutes of General Body Meeting of IAPSM, UP and Uttarakhand Chapter held on 21st November, 2009 during

XII Annual Conference (21st & 22nd November, 2009) at
Hind Institute of Medical Sciences, Safedabad, Barabanki
(Subject to be passed by GBM of 2010 XIII Annual Conference of UP & UK Chapter)

The General Body Meeting of IAPSM, Uttar Pradesh & Uttarakhand Chapter was held on 21st November, 2009 during the 12th Annual Conference of IAPSM, UP & UK Chapter at Hind Institute of Medical Sciences, Safedabad, Barabanki, UP.

The following members were present:

1	Dr. Deoki Nandan	15	Dr. Tanveer Bano
2	Dr. VK Srivastava	16	Dr. Pawan Kumar Goel
3	Dr. SC Saxena	17	Dr. PK Jain
4	Dr. SK Garg	18	Dr. CM Singh
5	Dr. RP Sharma	19	Dr. Sandeep Kumar
6	Dr. SD Kandpal	20	Dr. Santosh Kumar Barman
7	Dr. Jayanti Semwal	21	Dr. AK Srivastava
8	Dr. Meenakshi Singh	22	Dr. Pradeep Agrawal
9	Dr. Pankaj Bhardwaj	23	Dr. Parul Sharma
10	Dr. DS Martolia	24	Dr. Shaili Vyas
11	Dr. SK Singh	25	Dr. AB Singh
12	Dr. Pankaj Bhardwaj	26	Dr. H Chopra
13	Dr. Arun Kumar	27	Dr. Uday Mohan
14	Dr. Sanjeev Kumar	28	Dr. AC Rajpurohit

The meeting was chaired & presided over by Prof Deoki Nandan, Director, NIHFW, Munirka, New Delhi, who expressed his satisfaction for maintaining the continuity of Chapter Conference by HIMS, Barabanki.

The following matters were discussed: -

Agenda No. 1: Confirmation of Minutes of meeting of GBM dated 13.10.2008:

The minutes of last General Body Meeting held at LLRM Medical College, Meerut were read by Prof. Uday Mohan and were passed.

Agenda No. 2: Holding of next Chapter Conference:

The present conference as decided in the last General Body meeting held at LLRM Medical College, Meerut was to be organized by GSVM Medical

College, Kanpur and this responsibility was taken up by Prof. RP Sharma, HOD, Community Medicine, GSVM Medical College, Kanpur, but because of certain reasons, not explained yet, was refused at last minute, so in emergency the responsibility of holding XII Annual Conference was given to Dr. AC Rajpurohit, HOD, SPM, Hind Institute of Medical Sciences, Safedabad, Barabanki, who accepted it very humbly.

It was unanimously decided that XIII Annual Conference of UP & UK Chapter of IAPSM will be organized at Himalayan Institute of Medical Sciences, Jollygrant, Dehradun, Uttarakhand and Prof. SD Kandpal, HOD, Community Medicine, HIMS, Dehradun has committed for the same.

Agenda No. 3 :- Shifting of Indian Journal of Community Health (IJCH) office of UP & UK Chapter from Kanpur :

After much of the deliberations it was concluded that -

- i. The GSVM Medical College, Kanpur will continue to be the office of Indian Journal of Community Health (IJCH); an official publication of the Chapter.
- ii. The members of Editorial Board should be nominated a fresh as per guidelines of IJCM.
- iii. The quality of IJCH is to be improved.
- iv. The process of indexing of IJCH is to be started immediately and is to be done in a definite time line.
- v. The website of Journal is to be developed.
- vi. A fresh Joint Account of IJCH is to be opened leaving aside the present Journal Account. The old account may be merged once the problems of IJCH are solved.
- vii. The members may be requested to contribute afresh for IJCH and the amount so collected will be kept in the form of Fixed Deposit and only its interest is to be used for publication.
- viii. The work done by Editorial Board members of IJCH will be reviewed quarterly which is to be intimated to all the members of IAPSM, UP & UK Chapter.

Agenda No. 4: Elections of Executive members of the chapter:

The following were elected office bearers of IAPSM, UP & UK Chapter for the year 2010. Those who are not members of IAPSM were asked to become Life Members immediately.

President : Prof. SC Saxena
Vice President : Prof. Uday Mohan
Secretary : Prof. SK Garg
Joint Secretary : Dr. Tanveer Bano
Treasurer : Prof. H Chopra

Executive members: Dr. AC Rajpurohit

Dr. DS Martolia

Dr. Sandeep Kumar Dr. Pawan Kumar Goel Dr. Pradeep Aggarwal

Agenda No. 5:- Any other matter No. 1:-

- The department of Community Medicine from each Medical College of UP & UK should come forward to hold the Annual Conference of UP & UK Chapter of IAPSM and for this purpose a 'Resource Mobilization Team' should be formed for attracting finances.
- Regarding non communication between members, it was decided that an
 electronic directory should be developed. Previously Prof. Bhakt Prakash
 accepted the task of making a directory of all members but no progress
 has been received from him so far. Therefore, this responsibility is now
 taken over by Prof SK Garg & Prof H Chopra. Also there is a IAPSM
 youth group on net and the information may be sent to these so that
 young members of Association get the information.
- The IAPSM should write to MCI regarding reduction in time span of internship in Community Medicine.
- Under NRHM, Post graduate Diploma in Health Management could be started in Medical Colleges for a maximum of 25 student/ Medical College. The interested HODs may start its process.
- Prof. JS Mathur award, as raised by Prof. Bhakt Prakash couldn't be started as the modalities of award are not clear.

Any other matter No. 2:-

- 1. Matter of not offering Chair on Dias during Inaugural Function to Prof. Uday Mohan, Secretary, UP & UK Chapter of IAPSM by Prof. (Mrs.) Manjul Bhatnagar, Chairman Organising Committee, Prof SK Garg, Organising Secretary and Prof. Harvansh Chopra, Scientific Secretary at XI UP & UK Chapter of IAPSM at LLRM Medical College, Meerut, reasons best known to them was raised by Prof Uday Mohan for permanent abolition of Chair to Chapter Secretary on Dias during C+hapter Conferences, but was not accepted by the members. It was decided to make a protocol for members to be seated on dias during Inauguration and Concluding Session.
- 2. Regarding existing of joint UP & UK Chapter of IAPSM, all members accepted to exist as such in future.

The meeting ended with vote of thanks to the Chair by Prof. Uday Mohan followed by Tea.

(VK Srivastava) Chairman & President, IAPSM (Uday Mohan) Secretary, UP & UK Chapter, IAPSM