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SEMINAR NOTICE

Title: "Overall Environmental Issues In The Prevention Of Suicidal Tendencies".

Speaker: Dr. Shekar P Seshadri

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Date: 23/09/2021

Time: 5.00 PM - 6.30 PM

Venue: Online using MS Teams

Abstract: Suicide is a global public mental health issue which is quite avoidable. Nearly 8 lakhs individuals end their life every 40 second one person. September 10th is the World suicidal prevention day. We can prevent suicide by sharing our mental health issues by creating awareness and taking actions in our communities, medical, justice, law and politics and create hope through actions by knowing the impact of the environment we live in. Many suicides occur impulsively in a moment of crisis with break down in the life stress from financial problems, breakdown in relationship or chronic diseases, conflict disasters, violence, abuse or loss and sense of isolation. We touch these issues during the talk.

Speaker Bio:- Prof. Shekhar P Seshadri is the senior Prof. Of Psychiatry in the department of child and adolescent NIMHANS ,Associate Dean in child mental health dept.Did his MBBS in G.B Pant hospital/Moulana Azad Medical College New Delhi 1979.MD in psychiatry at National Institute of Mental Health and Neuroscience (NIMHANS)-1985 and a Silver Jubilee Medal award for standing first in M.D.His research work well known in life skills training, child sexual abuse, masculinities, women's mental health issues and sexual minorities. He has authored few books, many scientific papers in peer reviewed journals. "The Art and Science of Nurturing"-2013 is a well known book.He has received many local, National, International Awards and adjoined as an eminent and inspirational personality.

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