A training program On

Revised Assessment Guidelines (For assessing the extent of specified disability in a person, as per the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 Organised by

Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan), Government of India and Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Directorate General of Health Services, Government of India

In connection to the Ministry file no. P-13013/12/2023-UDID/IT/ Statistics – Government of India regarding the arrangement of the 5th batch of training on implementation of revised disability assessment guidelines for Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan) and also approved Minute sheet of the centre Reference No 24-25/1819 dated 04.11.2024 the institute (CRCSRE-Guwhati) conducted the above titled two days program as below.

Date: 13th November 2024 to14th November 2024 Venue: GMC Auditorium, Guwahati Medical College & Hospital, Guwahati, Assam

Date	Timing	Session	Resource Person					
	Day1							
13/11/2024	Schedule of 1 st Half							
(Wednesday)	9AM to9.30AM	Registration of Participants						
	9:30AMto10AM	Inauguration						
	10AMto10.30A	Tea Break						
	10.30AMto11.45	*Session on Hearing	Dr Arunabha Chakravarti, Director Prof.					
	AM	and Speech	&HoD, Dept. of ENT, LHMC &					
		Impairment	Associated Hospital, Delhi					
			Mr. Prabhakar Upadhyay, Audiologist,					
			LHMC & Associated Hospital, Delhi					
	11:45AM to1:30	*Session on Blood	Dr. Bhawna Dhingra, Dept. of Pediatric,					
	PM	Disorder	AIIMS, Bhopal					
	1.30PM to2.00 PM	Lunch Break						
	Schedule of 2 nd Half							
	2.00 PMto 5 PM	*Session on Specific	Dr. Sheffali Gulati, Prof. Child Neurology					
		Learning Disabilities,	Division, Dept. of Pediatric, AIIMS, Delhi					
		Autism Spectrum	Dr.GautamKamila, Senior Research					
		Disorder, Intellectual	Associate, Child NeurologyDivision,					
		Disability, Chronic	Department of Pediatrics, AIIMS,					
		Neurological	Delhi					
		Conditions						

Program schedule

5PM to5.30 PM		Tea & Snacks				
Date	Timing		Session	Resource Person		
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14/11/2024		Schedule of 1 st Half				
(Thursday)	9AM to9.30AM					
	9:30 AM to10AM	Tea Break				
	10.00 AM to 12	*Session on	Dr Diganta Borah Prof. & Head,			
	PM	Locomotor	Department of PMR, AIIMS, Guwahati			
		Disability	Dr Satyaranjan Sethi Associate Professor, Department of PMR AIIMS, Guwahati			
		*Session on	Dr. Hari Prakash Puri, Chief Medical Officer, Department of Ophthalmology ABVIMS and			
	PM	Visual				
		Impairment	Dr. RMLH, Delhi			
	1.30 PM to 2.00	Lunch Break				
	Schedule of 2 nd Half					
	2.00 PM to 3:45	*Session on	Dr. Pankaj Verma, Ho	D, Dept. of		
	PM	Mental Illness	Psychiatry,Safdarjung Hospital, Delhi			
			Dr. Manushree Gupta, SafdarjungHospital, D			
	3.45 PM to 4.30	*Session on	Dr. Mina Chandra, Ho	D,Psychiatry,		
	PM	Multiple	Dr.RML Hospital, Dell			
		Disabilities				
	4.30 PMto5.00	Valedictory Session				
	5:00 PM to 5:30PM	Tea & Snacks				

Photographs of the event







The 5th Batch of the training Programme on revised disability assessment guidelines was organised at GMC Auditorium Ground Floor, Guwahati Medical College and Hospital, Guwahati, Assam from 13th November 2024 to 14th November 2024 by Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPwD), Government of India in collaboration with Directorate General of Health Services (DGHS), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India with an aim to train medical professionals across Sikkim, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland and Tripurain implementing the revised disability assessment guidelines notified on 12th March, 2024 emphasizing a holistic approach towards disability assessment.

The training was attended by esteemed dignitaries such as Shri Rajeev Sharma, Joint Secretary, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India, Dr. Rupali Roy, Assistant Director General, Directorate General of Health Services, Govt. of India and Prof. (Dr) Achyut Chandra Baishya, Principal cum Chief Superintendent, Guwahati Medical College & Hospital, Assam. Experts on the respective disabilities, namely- Dr. Sheffali Gulati (AIIMS, Delhi), Dr. Arunabha Chakravarti (LHMC, Delhi), Dr. Mina Chandra (RMLH, Delhi), Dr. Pankaj Verma (Safdarjung Hospital, Delhi), Dr. Diganta Borah (AIIMS, Guwahati), Dr. Manushree Gupta (Safdarjung Hospital, Delhi), Dr. BhavnaDhingra (AIIMS, Bhopal), Dr. Hari Prakash Puri (RMLH, Delhi), Dr. Satyaranjan Sethi (AIIMS, Guwahat), Dr. Gautam Kamila (AIIMS, Delhi), Shri Prabhakar Upadhyay (LHMC, Delhi) highlighted the nuances and shared their insights on the disabilities as mentioned in the revised assessment guidelines. In addition to this, the valedictory session was graced by the presence of Shri Kausar Jamil Hilaly, IAS, Secretary to the Government of Assam, Sports & Youth Welfare Department, Assam

Number of participants: 400 (approx.)



News paper coverage of the event

Program coordinator: Dr. Dipak Kumar Aich