

Pune Knowledge Cluster presents

Title: Prevention and Control of Hypertension

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Background	The World Health Organization attributes hypertension, or high blood pressure, as the leading cause of cardiovascular mortality. It has been recognized that more than 50% of the hypertensive population worldwide are unaware of their condition. To address this problem, the World Health League initiated a global awareness campaign on hypertension in 2005 and dedicated May 17 of each year as World Hypertension Day. In India, around 26 per cent of Indians above the age of 45 years reported to have been diagnosed with hypertension. The prevalence was higher (32 per cent) in senior citizens (aged 60 years and above) than those in the age group 45 to 59 years (21 per cent). The prevalence was higher in women (36 per cent) than men (27 per cent) among the senior citizens. The disease was also more prevalent among those living in urban areas (47 per cent) than those in rural areas (26 per cent).
Open to all	It's public talk. Open to all
Potential Gains	To create awareness about hypertension in public.
Speaker	Dr. Harshal Pandve Professor & Dept. of Community Medicine (PSM), PCMC's PGI-YCMH, Pimpri, Pune-18.
Registration Link	Registration link: https://bit.ly/38OudPQ



Profiles of Speaker



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Brief information about the speaker

Dr. Harshal T. Pandve, MBBS, MD, currently a Professor and HOD at PCMC's Yashwantrao Chavan Memorial Hospital & Postgraduate Medical Institute, (YCMH-PGI) Pimpri, Pune. He is selected as Academic Member of ATHENS INSTITUTE FOR EDUCATION AND RESEARCH, GREECE. He is part of the Expert Working Group Member of INDIAN NETWORK FOR TROPICAL DISEASES, AIMS, Kochi. He is a member of THE SCIENCE ADVISORY BOARD, USA. He currently is the Joint Secretary of Indian Public Health Association (IPHA) Maharashtra State Chapter. He is an active member of Indian Association of Occupational Health, Indian Association of Preventive & Social Medicine, International Society for Infectious Diseases (ISID) and many more. He has 160 articles to his credit, which are published in various indexed International & National journals.

About the Organizer



The Pune Knowledge Cluster (PKC) has been established by the Office of the Principal Scientific Adviser to the Government of India. It aims is to bring together academia, R&D institutions, and the industry of Pune and its surrounding areas, to address the challenging problems of the region through innovative means, using scientific knowledge and engaging highly skilled human resources.

PKC is administered by the Inter-University Centre for Astronomy and Astrophysics (IUCAA). In the initial phase, PKC would focus on Health, Sustainability and Environment, Sustainable Mobility, BIG Data and AI and Capacity Building

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