



12th

SOUTH CENTRAL ZONE IAPSM CONFERENCE

27th-28th November, 2026

**Pre-Conference Workshop
26th November, 2026**

Theme:

**"Revolutionizing Public Health for Changing India:
Integrating Policy, Practice & People"**

Hosted by
Department of Community Medicine
Gajra Raja Medical College
Gwalior, Madhya Pradesh

INVITATION

With great honour and pleasure, the Department of Community Medicine, Gajra Raja Medical College, Gwalior, cordially invites you to participate in the 12th South Central Zone IAPSM Conference, a prestigious academic gathering of eminent experts, academicians, educators, and professionals in the field of Community Medicine and Public Health.

The South Central Zone IAPSM Conference, encompassing the states of Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh, aims to provide a distinguished platform for meaningful academic deliberations, exchange of innovative ideas, and dissemination of recent advances in public health and community medicine. The conference seeks to promote collaboration and collective learning among public health professionals committed to excellence in healthcare delivery.

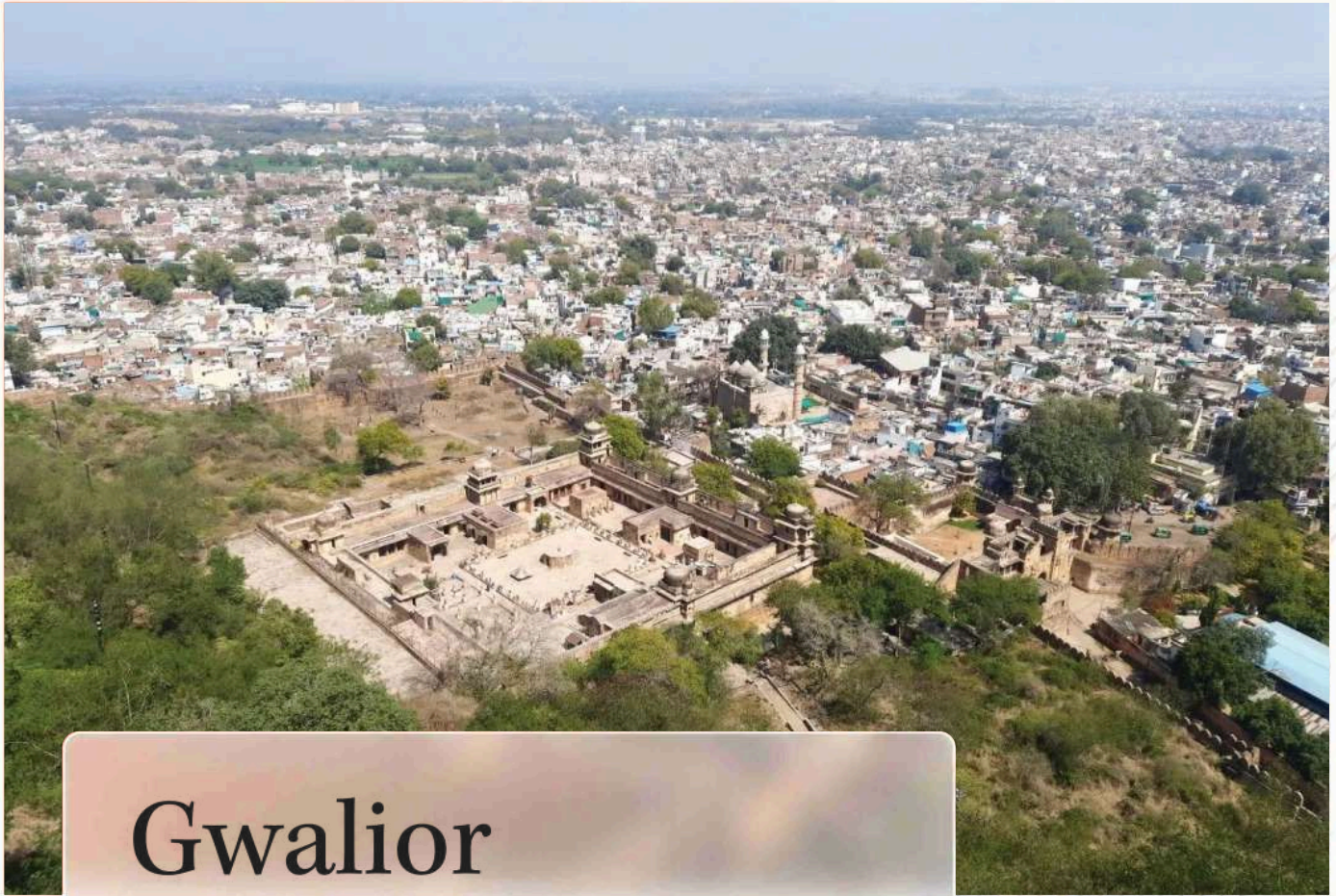
We are honoured to host renowned keynote speakers and esteemed panelists whose expertise and insights will enrich deliberations and illuminate emerging trends and challenges in public health.

Your gracious presence and active participation would greatly enhance the academic value of the conference and contribute significantly to its success. The Department of Community Medicine, Gajra Raja Medical College, Gwalior, looks forward to welcoming you to this esteemed event and to sharing a memorable, intellectually stimulating, and enriching experience.

Organizing Team

12th SCZ IAPSM Conference, Gwalior





Gwalior

Where Heritage Resonates

Often described as the **"Pearl in the necklace of the castles of Hind,"** Gwalior is a city where heritage, music, and history resonate in timeless harmony. Recognised as a UNESCO Creative City of Music, Gwalior occupies a revered place in India's cultural landscape. The city is the birthplace of the legendary Tansen and the

cradle of the illustrious Gwalior Gharana, among the oldest and most influential schools of Hindustani classical music. Beyond its rich cultural legacy, it is today an academic hub for people in and around the nation.



UNESCO Creative City of Music



Birthplace of Tansen



Cultural & Academic Hub



Gajra Raja Medical College

A Legacy Since

Hailing from the lands of music and heritage, Gajra Raja Medical College, Gwalior, a monumental institute in the field of medical education, stands tall since 1946. It holds the proud distinction of being the first medical college in Madhya Pradesh and the 17th medical college in India. G.R.M.C. is affiliated with the expansive Jaya Arogya (JA) Group of Hospitals, one of the largest hospital complexes in Central India.

G.R.M.C., a centre of excellence, enjoys the rare honour of being the only institute in Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh to have produced nine Padma Shri awardees, a testament to its enduring contribution to medical science and public service. With a legacy that blends tradition with progressive vision, G.R.M.C. continues to harbour generations of eminent medical professionals.

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About the Department

Preventive & Social Medicine 1949

Established on 1st August 1949, originally as the Department of Hygiene and Public Health. In 1952, the department played a pioneering role in initiating the BCG immunisation programme and initiated participation in statewide smallpox vaccination programme in Madhya Bharat. In 1953, Dr. Kolekar then Deputy Director of Health services of Madhya Bharat became Professor after attending the International Planned Parenthood Conference in Bombay. By 1954, it was formally redesignated as the Department of Preventive and Social Medicine.

The department holds a place of special academic significance, having been associated with eminent scholars, including Dr. J. E. Park, leaving a lasting impact on medical education in India. The department runs OPD-based public health services including: Anti-Rabies Clinic, NCD Screening Clinic and also Tobacco Cessation Centre. It has become one of the four dispersal centres of state for HPV vaccination campaign. With a strong foundation in teaching and research, the department continues the legacy of kindness in service and public health practice.

For our esteemed guests, Gwalior offers an atmosphere that inspires reflection, learning, and dialogue—set against a backdrop of timeless heritage. As the host institute, GRMC extends a warm welcome to delegates, faculty, and students, inviting them to engage in meaningful academic exchange through this educational conference.

Scientific Sub-Themes

Immunization -
Adult and Children

One Health

Mental Health

Maternal and Child
Health

Adolescent Health

Nutrition and Food
Security

Environmental
and Occupational
Health

Health Systems
and Policy

Communicable
Diseases

Non Communicable
Diseases

Recent Advances
and Innovations
in Health

Medical Education
Research

Digital Health &
Data Integration

Climate Change
& Health

Emerging &
Re-emerging
Diseases

Special Population
Health

Development and
Sustainability

Miscellaneous

Guidelines for Abstract



• A structured abstract should be submitted with the following headings:

1. Conference ID	6. Aim/Objective
2. Conference Subtheme	7. Material & Methods
3. Title	8. Results
4. Author Details	9. Conclusion
5. Background & Rationale	10. Three to Five Keywords



- The specific conference subtheme must be clearly stated under which the poster/oral presentation should be considered. (Only original research accepted)
- Name of all authors should be mentioned along with designation & affiliated institute. Contact details & email ID of corresponding author should be provided. (maximum 5 authors)
- The first author will be considered as presenting author, and certificate will be issued to the first author.
- Abstract should be limited to 250-300 words excluding title, authors and keywords.
- Main title of the abstract must be concise. Avoid using abbreviations in title (except standard abbreviations)
- DO NOT include images, graphs or tables in abstract.
- Abstract should be prepared in Microsoft Word (.doc/.docx)
- Font family and font size to be used in abstract is as follows:

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Body	Times New Roman	10 pt



- Abstracts and permission letter from Institutional Ethical Committee for the study should be attached to form link: <https://forms.gle/dfDtZZfbt1cP9V57A>
- All accepted abstracts will be published in the conference souvenir.

LAST DATE FOR SUBMISSION: 31ST AUGUST 2026



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Early Bird (Mar - June)	5500	6500	5000	6000
Late Bird (July - Sept)	7000	8000	6500	7500
Spot (Post Sept.)	10000	12000	8000	9000

Co-delegate/Spouse - ₹3000
(On Spot ₹4000)

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- UG/PG students must carry the permission letter from their HOD.
- Admission to Pre-conference will be on first-come first served basis
- Delegate kit will not be provided to spouse/ co-delegate/ UGs.
- Delegate kit will be provided based on availability for spot registration.
- Registration fee is non - refundable under any circumstances.

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- Full-page advertisement in the conference souvenir
- Verbal acknowledgment between sessions
- Felicitation during the conference
- Complimentary exhibition stall

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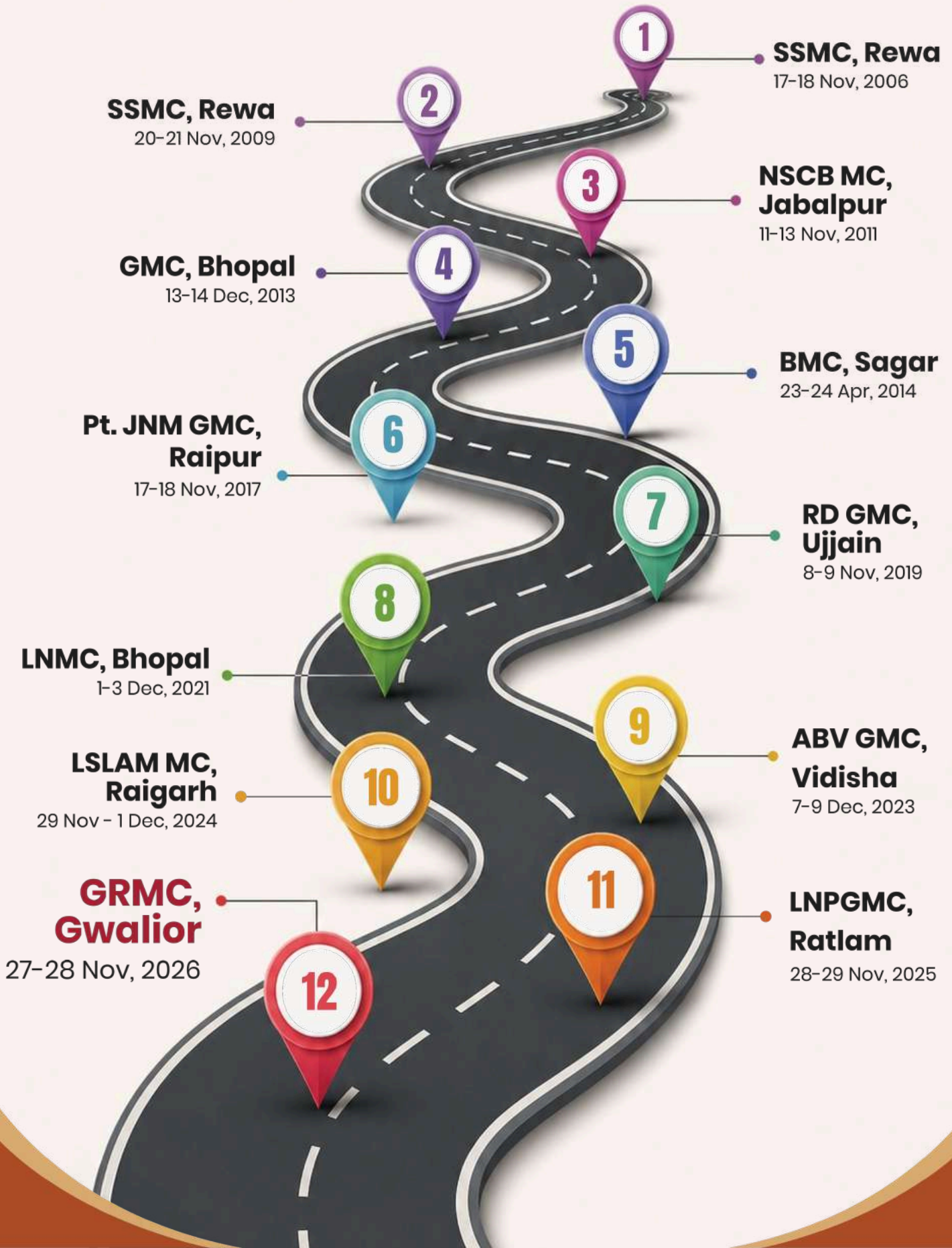
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🕒 5-10 mins

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- ↓
- Akashwani Kendra
- ↓
- RVSKVV



From Gwalior Bus Stand

🕒 5 mins

- Thatipur Road
- ↓
- KV No. 1
- ↓
- RVSKVV



From Gwalior Airport

🕒 20-25 mins

- Airport Road
- ↓
- Gole Ka Mandir
- ↓
- Race Course Road
- ↓
- Mela Ground
- ↓
- RVSKVV

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Rajmata Vijayaraje Scindia Krishi Vishwavidyalaya (RVSKVV)
Raja Pancham Singh Marg, Near Akashwani, Gwalior, (M.P.)

Places of Interest

Experience the heritage, culture and architectural grandeur of the region.



Gwalior Fort

Perched atop a sandstone hill, Gwalior Fort is one of India's grandest hill forts, featuring majestic palaces, ancient temples, and breathtaking panoramic views.



Jai Vilas Palace & Museum

A magnificent palace of the Scindia dynasty showcasing royal artifacts, grand European chandeliers, and an impressive museum collection.



Laxmi Bai Smarak

A memorial dedicated to Rani Lakshmibai, commemorating her bravery during the 1857 uprising.



Gurudwara Data Bandi Chhod

A revered Sikh shrine where Guru Hargobind Sahib was once imprisoned by Emperor Jahangir.



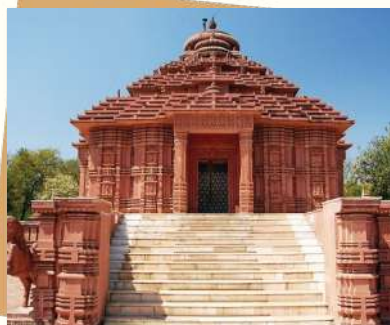
Tansen's Tomb

The resting place of the legendary musician Tansen, one of Akbar's Nine Gems. The annual Tansen Music Festival is held here, celebrating Indian classical heritage.



Ghaus Mohammad Tomb

A monumental 16th-century sandstone structure reflecting Indo-Islamic architectural brilliance and historical significance.



Sun Temple

Inspired by the famous Konark Sun Temple of Odisha, this red sandstone temple is dedicated to the Sun God and admired for its architectural elegance and peaceful surroundings.

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Teli Ka Mandir

An ancient 9th-century temple known for its distinctive blend of North and South Indian architectural styles.



Sas-Bahu Ka Mandir

A pair of intricately carved 10th-century temples famous for detailed sculptures and evening light-and-sound shows.



Sarod Ghar

A music museum preserving India's classical music heritage in memory of Pt. Amjad Ali Khan.



National Chambal Sanctuary

A protected wildlife sanctuary along the Chambal River, home to endangered gharials, river dolphins, turtles, and diverse bird species.



Bateshwar Group of Temples

A remarkable cluster of ancient temples often referred to as "Mini Khajuraho," dating back to the 8th-10th century.



Mitawali

An 11th-century circular temple complex believed to have inspired the architectural design of India's Parliament House.



Padhawali

Known for its richly carved temple architecture and historic fort-like structure near Mitawali.

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