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NCMSAP 2025

2nd Mid-term National Conference of Society for Addiction Psychology

Theme-
**Cognitive, Clinical and Psycho-
Neurological Aspects of Addiction**

Organized by:



Department of Allied & Rehabilitation Sciences,
Amaltas University, Dewas (M.P.)

About National Conference:

The aim of the National Conference of the Society for Addiction Psychology is to foster a collaborative, multidisciplinary approach to understanding and addressing addiction. A theme “Cognitive, clinical and Psycho- neurological aspects of addiction” is focus on various addiction which generally affect generation. Youth addiction has emerged as a critical issue globally, impacting young individuals, families, and communities.

This issue extends beyond traditional substance use to include behavioural addictions like gaming, social media, and online gambling. This national conference focused on youth addiction would offer a platform for experts, researchers, policymakers, educators, and youth advocates to examine the causes, consequences, and innovative approaches needed to address this multifaceted challenge.

The conference may also delve into the behavioural and neurobiological aspects of addiction, exploring how substance use affects brain function, decision making, and behaviour. It also highlights cutting edge technologies, such as digital health tools and telemedicine, which increase accessibility to support and treatment, especially in underserved areas.

Through these initiatives, the conference builds a strong professional network that addiction psychology to create lasting, positive impacts on individuals and communities affected by addiction.

Scope of Conference:

The scope of the National Conference of the Society for Addiction Psychology encompasses a broad range of topics that address the many dimensions of addiction.

Hosting a seminar on "Cognitive, clinical and Psycho-neurological aspects of addiction" is essential because youth addiction is a rapidly growing concern that threatens the well-being of young people and the broader society.

Understanding and addressing the root causes, especially the risk factors that predispose youth to addictive behaviors, is critical for prevention and effective intervention.

Here's why this workshop is necessary in this context: addressing growing youth addiction crisis raising awareness and education on risk factors empowering families, schools, and communities highlighting mental health as a core risk factor supporting policy development and advocacy building resilience and coping skills in youth.



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Call for Abstracts and Paper :

- The Scientific Program Committee of the
- 2nd Mid-Term National Conference of Society for Addiction Psychology (NCMSAP-2025) invites Authors to submit abstracts for presentation at the conference.
- Submissions are sought for oral presentations, posters, symposia and workshops.
- The deadline for abstract submission is 30th Oct. 2025.
- All accepted Abstracts will be included in the Journal of the society for Addiction Psychology. All enquiries regarding abstracts for the conference should be sent at amaltasarc@outlook.com
- Abstracts limited up to 350 words are invited in MS Word format with 1.5 spacing using
- Microsoft Times New Roman font and 12 font size for both paper and poster presentation.
- Last date of abstract submission: 30th Oct 2025
- Last date of full paper submission: 5th December 2025
- On spot registration will be subject of Availabilities
- Participants will be informed within three days of receipt of the abstract.

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Link of Registration and Bank Detail Link for Registration:

Participants will have to register for the conference by paying the registration fee (in INR) as follows-

	Early Bird (10 Oct. 2025)	10 Oct. to 30 Oct 2025	1 Nov. Onwards
Student	2000/-	2500/-	3000/-
Members of SAP	3000/-	3500/-	4000/-
Delegates	3500/-	4000/-	4500/-
Accompanying Person	1000/-	1500/-	2000/-

Bank Account Details

- A/C Name: Amaltas University Acedmic
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Department of Allied & Rehabilitation Sciences (DARS)

The Department of Allied and Rehabilitation Sciences (DARS) is a leading academic and training hub committed to excellence in allied health and rehabilitation education. The department offers comprehensive programs in physiotherapy, occupational therapy, audiology, speech-language pathology, clinical psychology, special education, and other allied health disciplines.

With a strong focus on multidisciplinary learning, DARS equips students with the knowledge, clinical skills, and ethical values required to meet the diverse needs of individuals with physical, sensory, cognitive, and developmental challenges. The department emphasizes evidence-based practice, hands-on clinical exposure, and community engagement, preparing graduates to serve as competent professionals and compassionate caregivers.

DARS also actively engages in research, innovation, and outreach initiatives, contributing to advancements in rehabilitation sciences and promoting inclusivity and accessibility in society. Through collaborations with healthcare institutions, NGOs, and professional councils, the department plays a pivotal role in addressing contemporary challenges in health and disability care.

The vision of DARS is to nurture future leaders in allied and rehabilitation sciences, empowering them to create a meaningful impact on individuals, families, and communities by enhancing quality of life and promoting holistic well-being.

Society for Addiction Psychology

The formation of the Society for Addiction Psychology is a robust and initiating step in the direction of sensitizing the public and reducing the overall burden of Substance Use Disorders (SUDs) in our country.

The Society for Addiction Psychology (SAP) is one of such steps in reducing the substance use across India by providing a platform to practitioners, researchers, academicians and policy makers to come together under its hood and contribute their knowledge, experiences and their expertise.

This would translate into tackling psychoactive substance use as a public health problem with equal emphasis on prevention, early intervention as well as treatment. I welcome all of you to join this novel cause.

Theme:

Cognitive, Clinical And Psycho- Neurological Aspects Of Addiction

Sub themes :

1. Stages of Addiction and Brain Changes: Binge, Withdrawal/Negative affect stage, Preoccupation (craving) stage
2. Stress and Addiction :HPA axis dysregulation, Stress-induced relapse mechanisms.
3. Adolescence and Neuro developmental Risk: risk-taking behaviour, Early exposure and long-term changes
4. Gender Differences in Neurobiology of Addiction: Hormonal influences on reward circuits, Different relapse vulnerabilities
5. Substance- and Behaviour-Specific Neurobiology: Alcohol, nicotine, cannabis, and opioid addiction, Stimulants: cocaine, amphetamines, methamphetamine, Behavioural addictions: gaming, gambling, internet use, Comparative neurobiology of substance vs. behavioural addictions
6. Clinical Neuroscience and Comorbidities: Cognitive and emotional dysregulation in addiction, Neurobiology of craving, relapse, and withdrawal, Dual diagnosis: psychiatric comorbidities and shared mechanisms Gut-brain axis and neuroimmune changes in addiction
7. Behavioural & Non-Substance Addictions, Gambling disorder: parallels with substance addiction, Gaming and internet addiction: emerging neurobiological models. Food and obesity: overlap between feeding circuits and addiction circuits.
8. Developmental & Environmental Factors: Adolescent brain vulnerability: immature prefrontal cortex, Early life stress and trauma: epigenetic programming, Environmental cues and conditioned learning (cue-reactivity, craving).



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Conference Highlights

Location :

Amaltas University, Madhya Pradesh, Dewas

Dates:

12- 13 December 2025

Duration: 2 Days

Special Features other than Paper Presentation

1. Open Forum Discussion
2. Symposium

What You Will Gain

- Networking with fellow professionals and experts in the field
- Detail Learning about Addiction
- Selected Paper will be published in Reputed Journals
- Credit **12*** CRE points.
- Credit NMC points.

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Eminent Speakers :



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Dr. G S Kaloiya,
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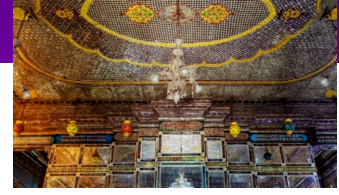
MAHAKALESHWAR TEMPLE

Mahakaleshwar Temple, also known as the Mahakal Mandir, is one of the twelve Jyotirlingas of Lord Shiva, located in Ujjain.



LALBAGH PALACE

It is known for its architecture and royalty and was built by the Holkar Dynasty, and is situated in Indore



KANCH MANDIR

The Glass Temple in indore, built by Sir Seth Hukumchand Jain around 1903, is a famous Jain temple known for its intricate glasswork



RAJWADA PALACE

Rajwada, also known as the Holkar Palace is a historical palace in Indore



SARAFI BAZAR

Sarafa Bazar in Indore is a vibrant nighttime food market offering a tantalizing array of street food.



CHAPPAN DUKAN

56 Dukan is a food and shopping street located in Indore, Madhya Pradesh, India

PLACES NEARBY DEWAS



RALAMANDAL WILDLIFE SANCTUARY

It is located in Indore, Madhya Pradesh, is a popular destination for wildlife enthusiasts and nature lovers



PACHMARHI

It is a hill station in the Hoshangabad district of Madhya Pradesh state of central India



HANUWANTIYA ISLAND

is mainly known for its water sport activities which attract tourists from all over India



PATALPANI WATERFALL

A stunning waterfall near Indore Patalpani is a popular trekking and a picnic spot.



CHORAL DAM

It located near Mhow, Indore known for its calmness and tranquility, with lush greenery and hills surrounding the dam



BHOPAL

The capital of Madhya Pradesh is known as the "City of Lakes" due to the presence of numerous lakes in and around the city.