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Symposium on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities

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For too long Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities have remained at the periphery of the general medical curriculum in India. With more positive community attitudes towards people with disabilities, increasing numbers of children with congenital disabilities are presenting for intervention. Advances in genomic studies have unraveled etiologies for many birth defects and syndromes, and the concept of Early Intervention in the management of disabilities is gradually gathering pace in tertiary medical and non medical centers. The establishment of the Early Intervention Center in the Govt. Doon Hospital has been a major step in the inclusion disability within the public healthcare system.

The Symposium, an initiative of the Uttarakhand Government, aims to draw the attention of the medical community to new concepts in the care and treatment of developmental disabilities.

The organizers appreciate and warmly welcome your participation.

Scientific Program

1.00 - 2.00pm	Registration (& Lunch)
2.00 -2.10 pm	Welcome Prof. Ken McElreavey (Paris, France)
Session I:	Genetics of Developmental Disorders
2.10-2.45 pm	Global overview and the investigation of comorbidities Prof. Alan Bittles (Perth, Australia)
2.45-3.15 pm	Genetic paradigm in intellectual disability Dr. G.K. Chetan (Bangalore, India)
3.15-3.45 pm	Lessons from the National Study of Disability in China Prof. Wei Wang (Beijing, China & Perth, Australia)
3.45-4.15 pm	Genomics of hyperhomocysteinemia and its modulation by vitamin B12 and folic acid: implications for developmental abnormalities Prof. Rajiva Raman, (Varanasi, India)
4.15–4.30 pm	Tea
Session II:	Assessment and Intervention
4.30 -5.00 pm	Multidisciplinary evaluation of a child with microcephaly Dr. Peter Corry (Bradford, UK)
5.00-5.30 pm	Demystifying recognition of Autism in children Prof. Sharmila Mukherjee (New Delhi, India)
Session III:	Disability and the Community
5.30 -6.15 pm	Guest Lecture: Disability and the Law: Current issues in India Chief Justice (Retired) A.P. Shah
6.15–6.45 pm	Role of community organizations in developmental disabilities Ms. Jo McGowan Chopra
6.45 -7.00 pm	Round-up summary and closure
7.30 pm	Dinner

Registration Information

Registration, up to 10th November, 2011 - Rs. 1000. 00 [Rs. 800.00 PG students]

Spot registration - Rs. 1200.00

Demand drafts be drawn in favor of 'Genomics Workshop-2011' payable at Dehradun

Requests for refunds will be entertained only until 10th November, 2011

Completed forms may be sent by post or personally delivered to the mailing address given in the form

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