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Preconference Workshop 13

Title of the Workshop

Hands-On Workshop on Participatory Rural Appraisal and PLA Methods in Public Health



26th Feb 2026

09:00AM - 05:00PM



NAMO Medical Education & Research Institute, Silvassa, U.T. of Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu, India



Highlights of the Workshop:

By the end of this workshop, participants will be able to:

- Deepen their understanding of the theoretical foundations, ethical considerations, and facilitator attitudes essential for PLA.
- Gain hands-on training in key PLA tools including social mapping, resource mapping, transect walks, seasonal calendars, daily activity charts, pairwise ranking, and ideal-actual analysis.
- Enhance their ability to critically analyse PLA findings and convert them into structured, community-owned micro-plans.
- Strengthen their competence in integrating PLA methods into MBBS teaching, postgraduate training, research projects, and field practice at
- Promote participatory, respectful, and community-centred approaches in academic and field-based public health work.





Terms & Conditions

- Seats will be allotted on a first-come, first-served basis.
- Participants may choose up to 3 workshops (in order of
- Each workshop will be conducted only if 25-30 participants
- Conference registration is mandatory for attending the pre-conference workshops.



Registration

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