

BPPA 2016 ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Radisson Blu Hotel, East Midlands Airport, Derby, DE74 2TZ
12th and 13th November 2016

Inequity and inequality in mental health – problems and solutions

SATURDAY 12th November 2016

9:00: Registration and Coffee

10:30 Recitation from Holy Quran

10:35 Introduction to the conference - Scientific Committee

10:40: Welcome Address: President BPPA

10.50 Scientific Session 1

Equity and mental health - general issues

10.50 to 11.30 Professor Knapp KCL "*What are the causes and valid measures for inequity and inequality in mental healthcare*"

11.30 to 12.10 Professor Rob Poole "*Social deprivation and mental health – how evidence can guide policy*"

12.10 to 12.50 Professor Swaran Singh "*The problems of resource allocation in mental health and how they relate to inequity and inequality*"

12:50 to 13.50 Lunch

13.50 Scientific Session 2

Equity and international mental health

13.50 to 14.30 Dr Peter Hughes "*Mental health in developing countries – what is the impact mhGAP on inequity and inequality issues*".

14.30 to 15.10 Dr Safi Afghan "*Development and implementation of SOUL Project in Larkana Pakistan*"

15.10 15.50 Professor Mohamed Abou-Saleh "*Mental health issues in war torn Syria*"

15.50 to 16.00 Tea/Coffee

16.00 Scientific Session 3

Equity and mental health in specific populations

16.00 to 16.35 Professor Sami Tamimi "*Inequity and inequality in child and adolescent mental health services and what could be the effective solutions*"

16.35 to 17.10 Dr Walid Abdul-Hamid "*Mental health of homeless people and inequity of services*"

17.10 to 17.45 Dr Francesca Brady – "*Mental health of refugees and inequity of services*"

17.45 Closing Remarks: President BPPA

17.55 Close of the scientific sessions

18:00 BPPA AGM

SUNDAY -13 November 2016

9:30 Scientific Session 4

Equity and biological psychiatry and GMC regulations

9.30 to 10.10 Dr Tariq Mahmood "*Biomarkers in psychiatry - possibilities and pitfalls for equity of services*"

10.10 to 10.50 Dr JS Bamrah "*Fitness to Practice: Psychiatrists behaving badly or 'over regulation' and is equity for overseas doctors an issue here?*"

10.50 – 11.10 Coffee/Tea Break

11:10 Poster Prize Distribution

11:30 to 13.00 Scientific Session 5 (Two parallel workshops)

Workshop on mindfulness; facilitator Dr Nishanthie Dolage

Workshop on Critical Appraisal; facilitator Dr Waqas Waheed

13:00 – 13.10 Closing Remarks: President BPPA