

# NCHPE 2021 ORGANIZED BY SRI GURU RAM DAS UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH SCIENCES, AMRITSAR

26 -30 October 2021



The 12<sup>th</sup> National Conference on Health Professions Education (NCHPE 2021), which had to be delayed by a year due to COVID pandemic, was held at the Sri Guru Ram Das Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Amritsar between 26-30 October 2021. The theme of the conference was “Looking back to leap forward: Curriculum innovations”. The conference was held in hybrid mode, with around 250 participants onsite and 500 joining online. The Chief Guest was Prof JS Sandhu, Vice- Chancellor of Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar.

Day 1 of the conference was devoted to share various aspects of the CBME curriculum like its design, student-doctor method of training, integration, and quality assurance. The entire afternoon session was devoted to students’ perspective, their requirements and preparing them to adopt this curricular model. There was a parallel poster session.

Day 2 and 3 were for pre-conference workshops. A total of 15 preconference workshops were organized. Most of them were in online mode. Theatre of the Oppressed was organized onsite. The main conference was organized on day 4 and 5 and included keynotes, panel discussions, debates and guest lectures. Dr Sahiba Kukreja was the organizing secretary of the conference.

