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November 27-29, 2025

Conference Venue: Anthropological Survey of India (AnSI), Kolkata

DAY 1: 27 November 2025

Inauguration Session Venue: AnSI Auditorium

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	Panel discussions
	Moderated by: Mr. Anand Sinha, Regional Advisor to the Global Reproductive Health
	initiative at The David and Lucile Packard Foundation
	1. Dr. Niranjan Saggurti, India Country Director, Population Council
	2. Mr. Sanjeev S. Ahluwalia , Distinguished Fellow, Chintan Research Foundation
	3. Ms. Poonam Muttreja, Executive Director, Population Foundation of India
01:30 PM-02:30 PM	Lunch
02:30 PM-04:00PM	Panel Discussion on Issues and Challenges in Building Demography – Geography
02.30 FWI-04.00FWI	Ecosystem in India to Support Local Level Decision Making
Dr. Binod Kumar Singh,	Moderated by Prof. Aalok Ranjan Chaurasia
Director, National Atlas &	Session Coordinator: Dr Archana Muthye
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Thematic Mapping Organisation,	Rapporteur: Deepak Kumar
Department of Science &	1. Sr. Prof. K. K. Singh, Department of Statistics, Banaras Hindu University
Technology, Govt. of India.	2. Prof. V. C. Jha, Former Dean, Dept. of Geography, Visva-Bharati, Former Director, NATMO
Welcome Address	3. Prof. V. K. Tripathi, Head, Department of Geography, Banaras Hindu University
weicome Address	4. Prof. Sumana Bandyopadhyay, Department of Geography, University of Calcutta
	5. Prof. A. K. M. Anwaruzzaman , Department of Geography, Aliah University
	6. Prof. S. C. Rai, Former Head, Department of Geography, Delhi University
	7. Dr. Prithvish Nag, Former Vice-Chancellor, Former Surveyor General of India
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04:00 PM-04:30PM	Tea
04:30PM-05:30PM	Awards cum Felicitation Ceremony
	Awards Presentation
	Prof Sudesh Nangia Award
	Prof KB Pathak Award
	Prof K Srinivasan Award
	Felicitation of Senior Demographers
	Prof KK Singh
	Dr Reena Basu
	Dr Jayanta Kumar Basu
	Dr Bashir Ahmad Bhat
05.20DM 06.20DM	Dr Prasanta Pathak
05:30PM-06:30PM	George Simmons Memorial Lecture Session Chair – Dr Suresh Sharma, President, IASP
	Session Coordinator: Dr Ajay Kumar Singh
	Rapporteur: Prerna Rai
	Memorial Lecture – Dr Niranjan Saggurti, Director, Population Council
06:30PM-07:30PM	Cultural Programme
07:30PM onwards	Dinner
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DAY 2: 28 November 2025

Session Type	Time	Theme / Panel	Number
			of Papers
Panel Discussion Dr. Binod Kumar Singh, Director, National Atlas & Thematic Mapping Organisation, Department of Science & Technology, Govt. of India. Welcome Address	09:00 – 10:00 AM	Panel Discussion on Geo-spatial Vulnerabilities of Persons with Disability in India: Breaking the Barriers Moderated by Prof. S. K. Singh, Former Director, International Institute of Population Science, Mumbai Session Coordinator: Dr Rahul Kumar Rapporteur: Krati Singh Panellists 1. Prof. A. K. M. Anwaruzzaman, Department of Geography, Aliah University 2. Smt. Upali Roy Mukherjee, Commissioner of Disabilities, Govt. of West Bengal 3. Shri Prabhat Kumar, Social Policy Specialist, UNICEF, Kolkata 4. Dr. Raghubansh Mani Singh, Assistant Director, DCO Bhopal	
Technical Session 1A	10:00 – 11:30 PM	Fertility, Family Planning & Reproductive Health	6
Technical Session 1B	10:00 – 11:30 PM	Maternal & Child Health Interventions	6
Technical Session 1C	10:00 – 11:30 PM	Mortality, Morbidity & Non-Communicable Diseases	6
Technical Session 1D	10:00 – 11:30 PM	Reproductive Rights, SRH & Legal Frameworks	6
Technical Session 1E	10:00 – 11:30 PM	Gender, Socio-Economic Inequalities & Empowerment	6
Panel Discussion	11:30-11:45 11:45 – 01:00 PM	Panel Discussion on Population, environment and culture: Interdisciplinary approaches from ongoing projects of the Anthropological Survey of India. Panel Discussion (Moderated by Director, AnSI) Session Coordinator: Dr Priyanka Yadav Rapporteur: Ravena Ranjan Panellists 1. TBD 2. TBD 3. TBD 4. TBD	-
Lunch Break	01:00 – 02:00 PM	_	-
Plenary Session	02:00 – 03:00 PM	Plenary Session by Population Council on "Adolescents in Transition: Integrating Nutrition, Mental Well-being, and Social Contexts for Holistic Health" Chair: Dr Subrato Mondal, Former MLE Advisor, USAID Moderator: Dr Punit Mishra, Lead Partnerships, PopulationCouncil Consulting (PCC), India Session Coordinator: Dr Emily Das Rapporteur: Dr. Kiran Sharma Introduction and Chair's remarks: 10 minutes Presentations [10 minutes each] 1. Building resilience through life skills: Current situation and emerging challenges among	

		adolescents- Dr Aditi , Technical Specialist-Evidence Synthesis, PCC, India 2. Unlocking the potential of adolescent girls: Transforming lives through education, skills, and opportunity— Dr Basant Panda , Technical Specialist, PCC, India 3. Equity through Systems Thinking: Transforming Adolescent Nutrition in India— Monica Shrivastav, Senior Technical Specialist, PCC, India 4. Digital Exposure and Adolescent well-being— Dr Kajori Banerjee , Affiliate, Girl Centre, Population Council Inc, USA and ISI, Kolkata Discussion/ Q&A: 10 minutes	
Poster Presentation 1	12:30 – 02:30 PM	All Themes	_
Technical Session 2A	03:00 – 04:30 PM	Adolescents, Life Skills & Education	6
Technical Session 2B	03:00 – 04:30 PM	Public Health and Nutrition	6
Technical Session 2C	03:00 – 04:30 PM	Urbanisation & Infrastructure	6
Technical Session 2D	03:00 – 04:30 PM	Ageing & Elderly Wellbeing	6
Technical Session 2E	03:00 – 04:30 PM	Morbidity, Anaemia and Tribal Health	6
	04:30 - 05:00 PM	Tea	
Award Presentation Sessions	05:00 – 06:30 PM	Prof. Chandrasekharan & P.P. Talwar Awards	
General Body Meeting (IASP)	06:30 – 08:00 PM	Members Only	_
Dinner	08:00 PM onwards	-	-

DAY 3: 29 November 2025

Session Type	Time	Theme / Panel	Number of Papers
Plenary Talk	09:00 – 10:00 AM	Session by Dr Jalandhar Pradhan	
Poster Presentation 2	09:00 – 11:00 AM	All Themes	
Technical Session 3A	10:00 – 11:30 AM	Climate Change & Health	6
Technical Session 3B	10:00 – 11:30 AM	Data, AI, and Analytics in Demography	5
Technical Session 3C	10:00 – 11:30 AM	Migration & Labour Economics	6
Technical Session 3D	10:00 – 11:30 AM	Community-Based Health, Migration, and Intervention Studies	6
Technical Session 3E	10:00 – 11:30 AM	Economic Development & Inequality	6
Tea Break	11:30 – 12:00 PM	-	-
Valedictory Session	12:00 – 01:00 PM	Closing Remarks & Recommendations	-
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	12:00 PM	Inviting Dignitaries to Dais	Anchor –
	12:05 PM	Floral Welcome to Guest of Honor	
	12:10 PM	Welcome Address (5 min)	Dr. Suresh Sharma
	12:15PM	Conference Summary (5 min)	Dr. Ajay Kumar Singh
	12:20 PM	Overall Reflection from IASP (5 min)	Dr. Anil Chandran, General Secretary, IASP
	12:25 PM	Valedictory Address (10 min)	Dr. Binod or AnSI
	12:35 PM	Participant Feedback (5 min)	Participants
	12:40 PM	Reflection and Thanks from Local Organizer (5 min)	AnSI
	12:45 PM	Vote of Thanks (5 min)	Dr. Jeetendra Yadav, Treasurer, IASP
	12:50 PM	National Anthem (2 min)	All
Lunch	01:00PM		

Venue: TBD

TECHNICAL SESSION 1

Technical Session 1A

Theme: Fertility, Family Planning & Reproductive Health

10:00AM to 11:30AM

Chairperson	Prof. Mohanachandran Nair
Discussant	Dr Archana Muthye
Session Coordinator	Dr. Gudakesh
Rapporteur	Anaswara BG
Room	

Abstract ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-033	Son preference and parity progressions: the case of Uttar Pradesh	Anup Kumar
IASP-222	Inequality in Teenage Pregnancy Prevalence among the Tribals and Non Tribals in India: Evidence from NFHS-5	Niranjan Rout
IASP-102	Housing and fertility preferences in urban India: The intersection of tenure, house type and dwelling size	Dr. Ismail Haque
IASP-232	An analysis of the model fitting methods for the estimation of life expectancy at	Pawan Kumar
	birth at national and state level of India using NFHS and SRS data	Yadav
IASP-231	Understanding Fertility Mismatch in India: Patterns and Determinants	Paramita
		Majumdar
IASP-291	Bridging the gaps in high-risk pregnancies management by public health cadre	Sandhya NVS
	though classroom training and handholding	Dittakavi

Technical Session 1B

Theme: Maternal & Child Health Interventions

10:00AM to 11:30AM

Chairperson	Prof. N S Bisht
Discussant	Dr Kavitha N
Session Coordinator	Dr Priyanka Yadav
Rapporteur	Dr.Kiran Sharma
Room	

Abstract ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-011	Understanding post-abortion complications and treatment-seeking behavior in India: the role of frontline health workers	AJ Francis Zavier
IASP-029	Trends, Economic Inequalities and Predicted Probabilities in Maternal health care services in India, 2005-2021	Ankush Singh
IASP-050	Effect of mHealth intervention on improving maternal health care services utilization: a systematic review	Bal Govind Chauhan
IASP-077	Assessing the Incremental Impact of Digital Learning and WhatsApp Chatbot on Frontline Health Workers' Competencies for High-Risk Pregnancy Management	Dr Devan Kumar Kuda
IASP-344	Impact of maternal and child interventions on perinatal outcomes: A three-year analysis	Tila Khan
IASP-363	Understanding Knowledge Attitude and Practices of ASHA Workers in Addressing Maternal Mental Health: A Qualitative Study from Uttar Pradesh, India	Yogita Kharkwal

Technical Session 1C

Theme: Mortality, Morbidity & Non-Communicable Diseases

10:00AM to 11:30AM

Chairperson	Prof. S K Singh
Discussant	Dr Jeetendra Yadav
Session Coordinator	Dr Rahul Kumar
Rapporteur	Deepak Kumar
Room	

Abstract	Title of the Paper	Name of the
ID		Presenter
IASP-003	Financial Toxicity Among Gastric and Pancreatic Cancer Survivors in India and Its Impact on Quality of Life	Abhishek Anand
IASP-049	Availability, Accessibility & Quality of Healthcare Services for Patients with Sickle Cell Disorder in Wardha district of Maharashtra.	Badal Santoshrao Thool
IASP-044	Employment Disruption and Financial Vulnerability among Dialysis and Transplant Patients in Kerala	Arun Kumar M
IASP-065	Cancer Screening Practices in India: Spatially Disparaging Stigma and Taboo in the Reproductive Age Group	Deepak Kumar
IASP-278	Seasonal Dynamics of Asthma Mortality in India: A Time Series Perspective	Rishabh Kumar
IASP-336	The Toll of Deaths during the COVID-19 Pandemic Period for India and its States: Unravelling the losses in life expectancy using SRS mortality data	Suryakant Yadav

Technical Session 1D

Theme: Reproductive Rights, SRH & Legal Frameworks

10:00AM to 11:30AM

Chairperson	Dr. Bhaswati Das
Discussant	Dr Asharaf Abdul Salam
Session Coordinator	Dr. Ajay Kumar Singh
Rapporteur	Prerna Rai
Room	

Abstract ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-065	Cancer Screening Practices in India: Spatially Disparaging Stigma and Taboo	Deepak Kumar
IASP-058	Temporal Pattern of Reproductive Health Parameters in Eastern India	Brijesh P. Singh
IASP-403	Contraceptive Neglect After Childbirth Among High-Parity Women in India	Dr. Kiran Sharma
IASP-063	Socio-Economic powerlessness Matters: Non-Therapeutic Abortion, Reproductive Rights and Anthropological Worldview	Debendra Kumar Biswal
IASP-241	Multilevel Analysis of Early Marriage and Its Determinants Among Young Women in A High Prevalence State of India	Pratima Barman
IASP-486	Spatial Shifts in Delivery and Postnatal Care Indicators in West Bengal: A GIS-Based Comparative Study Using NFHS Data	Dr. Subhasish Sutradhar

Technical Session 1E

Theme 5: Gender, Socio-Economic Inequalities & Empowerment

10:00AM to 11:30AM

Chairperson	Dr. Anil Chandran
Discussant	Dr Gudakesh
Session Coordinator	Dr Archana Muthye
Rapporteur	Ravena Ranjan
Room	

Abstract ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-055	Gender Inequality in Educational Attainment	Binod Bihari Jena
IASP-220	Utilizing Gender Dialogues as a Mechanism for Institutional Transformation: An Empirical Study in Four Districts of West Bengal	Nilanjan Bala
IASP-302	Financial Freedom among Indian Married Women- A State-Level Analysis	Sefali Verma
IASP-308	Empowerment of Women: Analysing Trends and Determinants in India, Evidence from NFHS	Shivangi Gupta

IASP-290	Assessing Public Welfare Awareness Among Baiga PVTGs: An Index-Based	Sandesh Bandhu
	Field Study	
IASP-328	Age and sex specific variations in body composition of paudi bhuyan tribe.	Subham Prasad
		Sahoo

TECHNICAL SESSION 2

Technical Session 2A

Theme: Adolescents, Life Skills & Education

3:00 PM TO 4:30 PM

Chairperson	Mr. Pallav Kumar
Discussant	Dr AJ Francis Zavier
Session Coordinator	Dr Rajesh Chauhan
Rapporteur	Krati Singh
Room	

Abstract ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-114	Beyond Silence: Assessing Knowledge, Attitudes, Experiences and Preferences on Sex Education Among College-Going Youth in Mumbai	Dr. Pragati Ubale
IASP-143	Adolescent Sexual Reproductive Health and Rights (ASRHRs) of Lodha Tribes: Special Focus on National Adolescent Health Program	Gita Naik
IASP-256	Barriers and Facilitators of Mental Health Help-Seeking Among Adolescents and Youth in India: A Systematic Review	Puspita Datta
IASP-398	Can Life Skills Reignite Confidence in Education for Adolescents? An Empirical Exploration?	Somenath Ghosh
IASP-401	Can Play-based Life skills Education Transform the Gender Attitude and Perception of Adolescents in Urban Slums?	Sukanya Bose
IASP-188	Anthropometric assessment of nutritional status among adolescents of paudi bhuyan tribe.	Manashree Manamukta Naik

Technical Session 2B

Theme: Public Health and Nutrition

3:00 PM TO 4:30 PM

Chairperson	Dr. Subrato Mondal
Discussant	Dr. Angan Sengupta
Session Coordinator	Dr. Priyanka Yadav

Rapporteur	Bindya Kumari
Room	

Abstract questions ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-174	Prevalence and Contextual Determinants of Acute Respiratory Infection among Rural Children	Koustav Ghosh
IASP-253	Assessing the Impact of Community-Based Interventions on Maternal Nutrition: A Study from Slum Areas of Kolkata	Purbita Sanyal
IASP-273	Governance to Strengthen Public Health: Mapping Urban Poverty and Its Impact on Child Health Indicators in India	Rayhan Sk
IASP-397	Eradication of Period Poverty: A Case Study in Urban Slums	Joyita Khan
IASP-402	Beyond Calories: Addressing Micronutrient Deficiencies in India	Prarthana Das
IASP-410	Enhancing Health and Nutrition Through Local Governance Engagement	Chitra Chandra

Technical Session 2C

Theme: Urbanisation & Infrastructure

3:00 PM TO 4:30 PM

Chairperson	Dr Brijesh P Singh
Discussant	Dr. Emily Das
Session Coordinator	Dr Archana Muthye
Rapporteur	Deepak Kumar
Room	

Abstract ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-471	Demographic and Environmental Interlinkages of Plastic Pollution: GIS-based Insights from the Kolkata Metropolitan Development Authority	Dr. Sudipa Halder
IASP-079	Addressing Urban Challenges and Enhancing Sustainability: The Aspirational Cities Program	Dr Imtiyaz Ali
IASP-039	Census Towns and the Shifting Landscape of Indian Urbanisation	Arindam Gupta
IASP-131	Marginal Lives, Marginal Care: Border Securitization and Healthcare Access	Dr. Sumana Das
IASP-171	Is Household Air Pollution a risk factor for age at menopause in India? an examination from National Family Health Survey Data	Kavitha. N
IASP-339	Is the remittance driver of intra and inter household quarrels?	Sutapa Sarkar

Technical Session 2D

Theme: Ageing & Elderly Wellbeing

3:00 PM TO 4:30 PM

Chairperson	Prof. Audinarayana
Discussant	Prof Abhay Kumar Tiwari
Session Coordinator	Dr AG Khan
Rapporteur	Dr.Kiran Sharma
Room	

Abstract ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-026	Socio-Demographic Determinants among Elderly Housing Arrangement in Uttar Pradesh	Anil Kumar Pal
IASP-271	Association of Self-reported Depressed Mood and Tobacco Use among Older Adults	Ravina Ranjan
IASP-400	Fintech and Older adults: A Global Synthesis	Dr. Angan Sengupta
IASP-298	Association between Self-Rated Health and Anemia in Later Life: Insights from the Longitudinal Ageing Study in India, 2017-18	Saroj Kumar
IASP-329	A Bibliometric analysis and visualization on Ageing in Place (AIP) in the gerontological research	Subham Sharma
IASP-019	Prevalence of Non-Communicable Diseases Among the Elderly	Ambady Sivan

Technical Session 2E

Theme: Morbidity, Anaemia and Tribal Health

3:00 PM TO 4:30 PM

Chairperson	Dr. Ajay Kumar Singh
Discussant	Dr Jeetendra Yadav
Session Coordinator	Dr Gudakesh
Rapporteur	Ravena Ranjan
Room	

IASP-474	Nutrition and TB: Addressing Malnutrition as a Hidden Barrier in TB Dr. Archana	
	Elimination in Madhya Pradesh Muthye	
IASP-498	Prevalence and influencing factors of Anaemia among currently married women in the	SVSRK
	districts of Bihar: Evidence from large scale survey data	Bharadwaj
IASP-217	Expansion or Compression of Morbidity Among India's Working-Age	Nand Lal Mishra
	Population	
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IASP-103	State level Inequalities and Gender Disparities in Death Registration System in	Dr. Jayanta Kumar
	India	Basu
IASP-448	Impact of Digital Exposure on Comprehensive Knowledge of HIV/AIDS among Lahu Vitthal	
	Unmarried Indian Youth: Estimation Using Propensity Score Matching	Rathod
IASP-475	Empowering Tribal Adolescents through Life Skills Education: Evidence from	Ajay Kumar Singh
	the Alluri Sitaramaraju District, Andhra Pradesh	

AWARDS PRESENTATION SESSIONS – TWO PARALLEL SESSIONS

Venue: TBD

PROF. CHANDRASEKHARAN AWARD PRESENTATION

05:00 - 06:30 PM

Session Coordinator	Dr Jeetendra Yadav
Rapporteur	Deepak Kumar
Room	

S. No.	Title of the Paper	Name of the
		Presenter
	PROF. CHANDRASEKHARAN AWARD	
1	Is migration associated with Household Food Security among tribes? A study in Eastern India	Mriganka Dolui
2	Pattern and Determinants of Adequate Quality of ANC in India: A Spatial Regional Model Approach	Shubham Pathak
3	Health Behavioural aspects of Occupational Health in Small-scale Fishery – A case Study from a Ramsar Wetland, Loktak Lake, India	Ms. Oinam Ashabala Devi
4	Wetland Ecology Deterioration, Livelihood Issues and Diversification as a Coping Strategy: A Study from Ramsar Wetland, Loktak, India	Ongtham Kipjen Singh
5	Understanding the Causes and Consequences of Inadequate Birth Interval	Hricha Rai
6	Impact of Inadequate Infrastructure and Remoteness on Migration Patterns and Accessibility: A Case Study of Taksing Circle of Upper Subansiri District of Arunachal Pradesh	Dr. Likhan Chandra Doley

PROF PP TALWAR AWARD PRESENTATION

05:00 - 06:30 PM

Session Coordinator	Dr Emily Das
Rapporteur	Ravena Ranjan
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S. No.	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
1	The Paradox of Growth: Rural Transformation and Persistent Disparities in Arunachal Pradesh	Kanchan Devi
2	Health Behavioural aspects of Occupational Health in Small-scale Fishery – A case Study from a Ramsar Wetland, Loktak Lake, India	Oinam Ashabala Devi
3	Meta-Analysis to understand Quality of Care in Maternal Health Programs in Uttar Pradesh	Yogita Kharkwal
4	Correlates of Fertility Mismatch among Indian Women: Patterns, Predictors, and the Role of Decision-Making Autonomy	Paramita Majumdar
5	Outlier Detection in Fréchet Distribution: A Novel Test Statistic with Application to Catastrophic Health Expenditure	Pratyasha Tripathi

Poster Session Day 2, 28-09-2025

Time 12:30 PM to 02:00 PM

Venue: TBD

Coordinators: Dr. Archana Muthye and Dr. Emily Das

S. No.	Abstract ID	Name of the Paper	Presenting Author
1.	IASP-006	Association between climatic factors and child underweight in India: a geo-spatial analysis using NFHS-5 (2019-21)	Abhishek Rajak
2.	IASP-009	Addressing Nutritional and Health Disparities Among Tribal Communities in India Abinash Jena	
3.	IASP-010	Hypertension and Diabetes Across Later Life in India: A Life- Course Perspective	Aditi Chakraborty
4.	IASP-016	Loneliness and Its Health Correlates among Older Adults in India: Evidence from LASI	Akriti Singh Rajpoot
5.	IASP-024	Age at Menarche and its Association with Obesity Risk among Indian Women: Evidence from NFHS-5	Anaswara B G
6.	IASP-028	Temporal Changes in Socio-Economic Inequality in Distress Financing for Caesarean Deliveries in India, 2015-21	Ankita Roy
7.	IASP-031	Assessing Women's Physical Health in India: Classical Regression and Machine Learning Approaches	Anshul Pandey
8.	IASP-032	Sex Preferences and Contraceptive Use among Tribal Women in India: A Regional Analysis	
9.	IASP-034	Navigating the Digital Finance Transition: A Phenomenological Study of Older Adults' Motivations, Barriers, and Social Sengupta Influences in India	
10.	IASP-035	Environmental Risk Factors for Type 2 Diabetes in Urban India: Arabindo Tanti Insights on Artificial Light at Night and Greenness Exposure	
11.	IASP-048	Monitoring Spatial Pattern of Birth Weight in India Using Statistical Process Control Techniques Ayushi Chourasiya	
12.	IASP-054	Guarding the Future: Tackling Substance Use and Mental Health Challenges in Adolescence	Bibaswan Majumdar
13.	IASP-057	Impact of Gender-Based Violence on Reproductive Health Outcomes Among Indian Women: Evidence from NFHS-5 Bipul Kumar Roy	
14.	IASP-064	Obstetric Violence and Its Association with Postnatal Depression Among Women in Rural India	
15.	IASP-066	Heat Stress and Unequal Nights: Analysing the Impact of Heatwaves on Sleep Disorders Among Slum Dwellers of Delhi (NCT)	Deepak Verma

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16.	IASP-073	Epidemiology of Malaria in India	Divyanshi Verma
17.	IASP-086	Interplay of Nomophobia, Smart Phone Addiction and Mental Health Among Undergraduate Students Dr Ranjeeta Kako	
18.	IASP-094	Role of Dietary Diversity in Addressing Undernutrition	Dr Anuj Singh
19.	IASP-096	Advancing Transgender and LGBTQ+ Inclusion in Global Medical Practice	Dr Birendra Kumar Jaiswal
20.	IASP-097	Knowledge and Determinants of Sexual and Reproductive Health Among Urban Youth of Kolkata	Dr Chandramallika Biswas
21.	IASP-118	Out-of-Pocket Expenditure of Slum Dwellers	Dr Rashmi Shukla
22.	IASP-122	Sankalp Themes for Rural Population: A Study in Some Gram Panchayats in West Bengal	Dr Sabari Bandyopadhyay
23.	IASP-127	Cultural, Traditional and Ritual Barriers to Access Healthcare Among Tribal Communities in Mandla District of Madhya Pradesh	Dr Shatrughan Prasad
24.	IASP-128	Social Media Addiction and Its Association with Sleep Quality Among Medical Students in Tamil Nadu, India	Dr Srigowtham Subramaniam
25.	IASP-133	Decomposing the Socio-Economic Inequality in Infant Mortality in Odisha: NFHS-5	Dr Suvashri Suvadarsini
26.	IASP-141	Rural Male Out-Migration and Remittances: An Insight from Nadia District of West Bengal Faruk Bisw	
27.	IASP-173	Does Health Insurance Reduce Out-of-Pocket Spending for Lifestyle Diseases? Evidence and ML Risk Stratification from LASI-Kerala	
28.	IASP-181	Access to Menstrual Hygiene Resources and Women's Health and Participation: A Mixed-Method Study	Mahashweta Chakrabarty
29.	IASP-186	Impact of Population Growth on Health and Educational Infrastructure in Selected Blocks of Rarh and Barendri Regions, West Bengal	Manab Ghosh
30.	IASP-224	Patterns of Commuting Among Dual-Worker Couples in India: A Mixed-Method Study	Nivedita Paul
31.	IASP-225	Healthcare Access, Inequality, and Under-Five Mortality: A Regional Analysis	Nur Alam
32.	IASP-229	Wetland Ecology Deterioration, Livelihood Issues and Diversification as a Coping Strategy: A Study from Loktak Wetland (India)	Ongtham Kipjen Singh

TECHNICAL SESSION DAY 3 DETAILS

Venue: TBD

Technical Session 3A

Theme: Climate Change & Health

10:00 - 11:30 AM

Chairperson	Dr. A G Khan
Discussant	Dr D P Singh
Session Coordinator	Dr. Jeetendra Yadav
Rapporteur	Dr.Kiran Sharma
Room	

Abstract ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-047	Livelihood Diversification and Migration under Climate Change Risk	Avijit Mistri & Md Syed Salimuddin
IASP-110	Assessing Climate Change Impact on Human Health	Dr. Nasrin Banu
IASP-124	Burden of Mortality due to Acute Climate Change Related Factors in India	Dr. Sanjay Jayawant Rode
IASP-288	Gendered Vulnerabilities to Climate-Sensitive NCDs: A Global Health Perspective	Saleha Khatun
IASP-150	Epidemiological Analysis of Muscular Strength and its Bio-social Determinants	Gurkawal Kaur
IASP-112	Gender Affirmative Healthcare for Transgender Communities	Dr. Papia Raj

Technical Session 3B

Theme: Data, AI, and Analytics in Demography

10:00 - 11:30 AM

Chairperson	Dr. Dipender Nath Das
Discussant	Dr. Jayanta Kumar Basu
Session Coordinator	Dr Emily Das
Rapporteur	Prerna Rai
Room	

Abstract ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-152	Development and Validation of a Multi-Component Community Health Worker Empowerment Tool and Index	Hanimi Reddy Modugu

IASP-117	From Missing Data to Predictive Modelling: Machine Learning Insights into	Dr. Rakesh Kumar
	Fertility Determinants	Saroj
IASP-243	Outlier Detection in Fréchet Distribution: A Novel Test Statistic with	Prof. Pratyasha
	Application to Catastrophic Health Expenditure	Tripathi
IASP-284	A Comparative Study on Machine Learning Approaches for Diabetes	S R Sakthi
	Prediction	Malaviga
IASP-391	Linkage the Digital Divide: Impact of Digital Health Initiatives on	Anjum Khatoon
	Reproductive Healthcare among Rural Women in Bihar	

Technical Session 3C

Theme: Migration & Labour Economics

10:00 - 11:30 AM

Chairperson	Dr. Rajesh Chauhan
Discussant	Dr. Archana Muthye
Session Coordinator	Dr. Gudakesh
Rapporteur	Dr. Bindya Kumari
Room	

Abstract ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-450	Non-migration choices: Exploring household migration decision in Eastern Uttar Pradesh	Vikesh Kumar
IASP-452	Migrant Stay Dynamics: A Duration-Based Analysis of Keralite Origin to the Gulf	Rahul Kumar Jha
IASP-199	Low-Skilled Labour Migration to the Gulf States	Md Selim Reja
IASP-367	A Study on Women Migrant Workers of Kendrapara District of Odisha to Kerala	Dr. Liza Swain
IASP-085	More Lonely Abroad? Loneliness Among Mid-life and Older Indian Migrants	Dr Mengxing Joshi
IASP-485	A Spatio-temporal Analysis of Migration in Sikkim (1991-2011): Shifts in Demographic Profile	Bikram Nasipuri

Technical Session 3D

Theme: Community-Based Health, Migration, and Intervention Studies

10:00 - 11:30 AM

Chairperson	Dr Hanimi Reddy
Discussant	Dr Ajay Kumar Singh
Session Coordinator	Dr. Priyanka Yadav
Rapporteur	Deepak Kumar
Room	

Abstract ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-1	Recent Trends in Out Migration of Labour Force from Madhya Banga: A Political Economic Perspective	A K M Anwaruzzaman
IASP-399	Assessing the Impact of Community-Based Interventions on Maternal Nutrition: A Study from Slum Areas of Kolkata	Sreeparna Ghosh Mukherjee
IASP-411	Enhancing Health and Nutrition Through Local Governance Engagement	Pintu Kabiraj
IASP-452	Migrant Stay Dynamics: A Duration-Based Analysis of Keralite Origin to the Gulf	Rahul Kumar Jha
IASP-459	Effectiveness of Integrated Treatment in Rehabilitation Centres for Substance Use Disorder in Sikkim	Diya Tikhatri
IASP-470	Men's Understanding of Natal Health Issues and Their Role in Maternal Care	Saravanan R

Technical Session 3E

Theme: Economic Development & Inequality

10:00 - 11:30 AM

Chairperson	Dr. KVR Subramaniam
Discussant	Dr AG Khan
Session Coordinator	Dr Priyanka Yadav
Rapporteur	Krati Singh
Room	

Abstract ID	Title of the Paper	Name of the Presenter
IASP-154	Contribution of Income, Education and Health Dimensions in HDI, 1990-2023	Heer Joshi
IASP-046	Demographic Dividend in Rajasthan, India: Delayed or in Time	Asharaf Abdul Salam
IASP-221	Socio-Economic Drivers of Consumption Inequality in India	Nilesh J Yadav
IASP-075	Digital Literacy in India: New emerging facts	Dr D P Singh
IASP-185	The push towards education: New business opportunities in a Delhi village	Mallika Chaudhuri
IASP-259	Traditional Healers: A Les Familiar Image of the Nomadic Snake-Charmers in India	Rahul

Poster Session Day 3, 29-09-2025

Time 09:00 AM to 11:00 AM

Venue: TBD

Coordinator: Dr. Archana Muthye and Dr. Emily Das

S. No	Abstract ID	Name of the Paper	Presenting Author
33.	IASP-236	Geographical Inequality and Associated Factors of Dropout from Continuum of Maternity Care Among Adolescent Mothers in India	Pooja Tripathi
34.	IASP-244	Exploring Infertility Treatment Trajectories and Stigma: Findings from Northeast India	Pratyashee Ojah
35.	IASP-249	Intra-Household Power Dynamics and Women's Autonomy Across Regional Contexts in India	Priyotosh Laha
36.	IASP-264	Habitation Transformation and Urban Heat Island Intensification: A Study of Burdwan Development Authority Area	Rakhibul Mondal
37.	IASP-265	International Border and Regional Disparities: A Spatial Analysis Through Sustainable Livelihood Perspective	Rakib Sarkar
38.	IASP-266	Role of Information and Social Support Mechanisms in Tuberculosis Care: Evidences from Nadia District, West Bengal	Rakib Shaikh
39.	IASP-268	Exploring Female Employment Pattern in India: A Study on Different Sectors, Earnings and Regional Variations	Ranjan Singha
40.	IASP-270	Health Vulnerability Among Older Adults in India: Socio- Economic, Gender, and Regional Perspectives	Ravi D. Prasad
41.	IASP-299	Polygamy Marriage and Child Health in India	Satish Kumar Chauhan
42.	IASP-305	Survival Analysis of Drug-Susceptible Tuberculosis in Pediatric Patients: Comparing Cox Regression and Parametric Models	Shalini Kumari
43.	IASP-310	Primary Health Care Delivery through Rural Health and Wellness Centres: A District-Level Study in Kanpur (U.P.)	Shraddha Bhatia
44.	IASP-314	Regional Variation in Intimate Partner Violence in India: Evidence from NFHS-5	Shubham Kumar
45.	IASP-315	Trends and Predictors of High-Risk Fertility Behaviour and Its Association with Child Nutrition in India	Shubham Pathak
46.	IASP-316	Role of Women's Decision-Making Autonomy on Maternal Healthcare Service Utilization in India using NFHS-5	Shweta Patel
47.	IASP-319	Work Participation and Gender Inequalities in North 24 Parganas: Insights from Census 2001 and 2011	Somnath Mukherjee
48.	IASP-320	Beyond Biology: The Role of Son Preference in Reversing Infant Survival Advantage Among Girls in India	Soumen Barik
49.	IASP-321	Prevalence and Determinants of Anaemia Among Reproductive- Aged Women in India: An Exploratory Study	Soumitra Mandal
50.	IASP-322	Reassessing the Nutrition Policy Landscape: Analysing Policy Mapping and Malnutrition in Selected South Asian Countries	Sourav Bhattacharjee

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51.	IASP-326	Exploring Factors Affecting Contraception Use of Eligible Couples in Ri Bhoi, Meghalaya	Sreya Bhattacharya
52.	IASP-327	Emerging Rural–Urban Continuums: Land Use Change and Livelihood Transformation in Rajarhat CD Block, West Bengal	Srijita Saha
53.	IASP-331	Mapping Anaemia Vulnerability: Determinants and Prevalence Shifts Among Adolescent Girls in Aspirational Districts	Subhojit Let
54.	IASP-334	Women Empowerment and Divorce in India: A Mixed-Method Study	Sunandita Das
55.	IASP-342	Female Literacy and Gender Gap in Puri District: A Block-Wise Analysis	Swoyam Prangya Jena
56.	IASP-343	Examining Ambient Air Pollution and Adverse Birth Outcomes in India: Findings from NFHS-5 (2019–21)	Tapas Bera
57.	IASP-350	Regional Variation in Multidimensional Well-Being Index of Older Persons in India	Vandita Ranjan
58.	IASP-354	Perception and Awareness of HIV/AIDS Among College and University Students: A Public Health Perspective	Vikash Kumar
59.	IASP-356	Wage Theft Among Indian Return Migrants from the Gulf: Survey Evidence from Bihar	Vikram
60.	IASP-359	Two-Way Flow: Factors Shaping Remittance Behaviour in Amritsar Households	Vinod Kumar
61.	IASP-365	Framing Migration in Indian Print Media: Comparative Study of English Dailies, 2024	Zahedur Rahaman
62.	IASP-368	Circular Data Analysis of Seasonal Variation in Conception	Abhishek Saraswat
63.	IASP-369	Developing a Flexible Discrete Probability Model for Child Mortality	Abhiraj Bhattacharya
64.	IASP-405	Bridging Inequalities in Antenatal Care: Contributions of ASHAs, ANMs, and Anganwadi Workers in India	Tamal Reja