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The Principal  
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Subject: 2<sup>nd</sup> Short course on Public Health Informatics, from 29<sup>th</sup> October, 2018 – 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2018  
at School of Public Health, Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education & Research  
(PGIMER), Chandigarh.

Sir/Madam

The landscape of public health and public health informatics in India and in many other developing countries is rapidly changing. Contributing to these changes are at least two key reasons. One, changes in disease profiles and various health reform efforts targeting these new profiles. For example, the rise in non-communicable diseases and reform efforts like the Universal Health Coverage (UHC) are explicitly trying to address them. Two, there is an institutional acceptance of the fact that Information Communication Technology will play a key role in reaching the objectives of these new reform efforts. One of the major challenges in achieving the objective is lack of proper understanding and communication between healthcare professionals and IT personnel's.

Thus, the School of Public Health, PGIMER, Chandigarh is organizing '2<sup>nd</sup> Short Course on Public Health Informatics' from 29<sup>th</sup> October, 2018 to 2<sup>nd</sup> November, 2018 in collaboration with University of Oslo, Norway. This will help workshop participants to understand the emerging landscape of public health informatics, and helps to build expertise for better management of these issues. This workshop is targeted mainly for early and mid-career faculty from medical colleges/institutes/medical research organization.

We request you to kindly nominate suitable candidates from your organization to make this workshop successful. We would appreciate if the workshop brochure is displayed on the notice board for information.

I am enclosing the brochure for display.  
Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

  
(P.V.M. Lakshmi)

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