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# KARNATAKA ASSOCIATION OF COMMUNITY HEALTH®

# Call for KACH AWARDS

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The Association to recognise, nurture and encourage talent and scientific work in community health has instituted awards and is hereby calling for nominations / application. All nomination / applications should be proposed by a life member and seconded by another life member along with the bio data and consent of the nominee.

Last date for nomination: SATURDAY, 5<sup>st</sup> OCTOBER 2024

### 1. Best Community Health Professional Award

Instituted in 1997 by Dr. N Shantharam, the nominee should have achieved distinction in academic or service in Public Health/PSM/Community Medicine and practicing the profession for at least ten years.

# 2. KACH Silver jubilee award for a Community Health practitioner

This award has been initiated wef 2013, is instituted by Drs C Shivaram, D Gopinath, S Pruthvish, N Girish and Hemanth T. The nominee shall be an individual who has actively contributed to advancing the discipline of Public Health / Community Health including those from NGO/ CBO background. The nominee need not be a member of KACH.

# 3. KACH Prolific Community Health Literature Award

This award has been initiated wef 2013, by Drs B G Parasuramalu, S Pruthvish, H R Raveendra Reddy and Renuka P. The nominee shall be an individual who has contributed to and / or popularised public health literature and actively involved in health promotion initiatives / activities.

# 4. Sri. B. M. Patil Memorial Oration Award in Community Health

Instituted in 1998 by Sri B M Patil Medical College, the nominee shall be an eminent person usually a resident of Karnataka who has made significant contribution to the progress of community health. The person should have achieved distinction in his/her field of activity and having a standing of repute in the profession.

#### 5. Young Scientist Award in Community Health

The award was instituted in 1998 jointly by Drs. Y Chandrashekar, K Suresh and Vijay Ganjoo. The nominee shall be a health professional aged less than 45 years, who is actively pursuing the profession / teaching in Public Health/PSM/Community Medicine. The nominee should be life member of KACH for at least 1 year.

KACH Millennium Awards for the best paper / poster presentations in UG / Intern and PG categories would be announced during the valedictory of the conference.

The decision of the Awards Committee and Executive Committee – KACH is final and binding.

# NOMINATIONS TO REACH

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