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## Pre-conference Workshop Biomedical Waste and Infection Control (13<sup>th</sup> Feb 2019)

The Occupational health is a vital component for overall health and development of any nation. Although India has witnessed a surge in curiosity and awareness about the concerns for occupational health and safety, but still there is a huge gap in demand and supply of occupational health services, especially when health care providers are concerned who are exposed to all kind of infections.

Infection prevention and control is a scientific approach and a practical solution designed to prevent harm caused by infection to patients and health care providers.

As per World Health Organization, 1 in 10 patients get an infection while receiving care. More than 50% of surgical site infections can be antibiotic resistant. And effective infection prevention and control reduces health care associated infections by at least 30%. Review of literature shows that prevalence of health care associated infections in India range from 7 to 18 per 100 patients.

Preventing Health Care associated infections avoids unnecessary harm & saves money, reduces antimicrobial resistance, supports high quality, integrated people-centred health services. Practicing good infection control measures can significantly reduce morbidity and mortality of patients and has proven to be cost effective as well.

Health care providers including doctors, interns, nursing staff due to the virtue of their job responsibilities are exposed to all kinds of infections including resistant bacterial infections, other infections like HIV, HBV, HCV etc. Not only there is an occupational health risk of acquiring such infections, but these health care providers can also transmit infections to the patients if infection control practices are not duly followed.

Scientific Session	Speakers
Overview of BMW Management & hospital Infection Control	Dr. Ravinder Kaur
BMW Management Rules- Occupational Hazards	Dr. Manoj Jais
Prevention of occupational Hazards (Standard precaution & PPE)	Dr Sanjiv Gogoi
Post Exposure Prophylaxis of HIV/HBV/HCV	Dr. Anil Gurtoo
Disinfection & cleaning of hospital environment & OTs	Dr. Geetali
Role of Antibiotic Stewardship in environmental safety	Dr. Sonal Saxena

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