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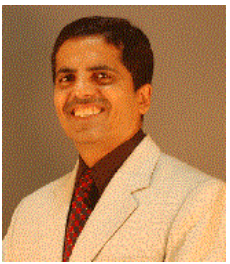
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PARTICIPANTS

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| Dr. Namperumalsamy, Chairman- Emeritus, Aravind Eye Care System | |
|  | Dr. P. Namperumalsamy, one of the founding members of the Aravind Eye Care System is currently its Chairman Emeritus. He pushed for IT to reach community and a good service delivery model for Diabetic retinopathy in India. |

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| Dr. GN Rao Founder-Chair, L.V. Prasad Eye Institute | |
|  | Dr. G.N Rao founded the L V Prasad Eye Institute in 1987, after a successful career in the United States as an academic ophthalmologist. He was the brain behind Vision center model for eye care delivery which is helping eye care delivery to remote areas today. |

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| Dr. Dhanajay Kelkar, Medical Director, Deenanath Mangeshkar Hospital, Pune | |
|  | Dr. Dhananjay Kelkar is a cancer surgeon, but also specialises in treating administratively ill hospitals. His dissatisfaction with the healthcare service delivery and administration made him start an NGO under 'Jnan Prabhodhini Medical Trust' which is now taking care of administratively ill hospitals in Pune. |



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Dr. B. Soma Raju,
Chairman & Managing Director, Care Hospitals



Dr. Soma Raju, was integral to the development of India's first indigenous coronary stent — named the Kalam Raju Stent after former President of India Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam and Dr. Soma Raju. This led to a dramatic reduction in the cost of stents, bringing them within the reach of the people. He was also key in the development of India's first coronary balloon catheter and continues working on medical devices for use in interventional cardiology to offer more affordable Indian alternatives for the common man. He was conferred the Padma Shri in 2001.

Dr. S. Ramalingam,
Dean, PSG Medical College, Coimbatore



Dr. Ramalingam is currently Dean of Coimbatore based PSG Medical college.

Dr. D. Bachani,
MOHFW, Govt. of India, Delhi



Dr. Bachani has nearly 37 years of professional experience in health sector in teaching and health program management at the national level. With a background in Community Medicine, he has nearly 22 years of experience since 1992 in the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Government of India in various National Health Programs. Played a major role in implementing World Bank supported cataract programme in the country.



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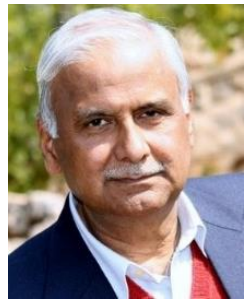
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Prof. Jagdeep Chhokar,
Association for Democratic Reforms



Prof. Jagdeep S. Chhokar was a professor (teacher, trainer, researcher, and advisor) of Management and Organisational Behaviour at the Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad, from 1985 till November 2006, when he retired after reaching the mandatory age of superannuation. He is also a citizen-activist for improving democracy and governance in the country. He is one of the founding members of Association for Democratic Reforms

Prof. D V R Seshadri,
IIM and ISB



Prof. DVR Seshadri has 16 years vast of experience as adjunct or visiting faculty at India's premier B-schools including IIM Bangalore, IIM Udaipur and IIM Indore. He is now working with Indian School of Business, Hyderabad. Offers extensive pro-bono consulting to the NGOs, providing varied services.

Dr. Amarjit Singh, PhD, IAS,
Ministry of Water Resources, [River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation](#)



Dr. Amarjit Singh IAS (GJ 1982) presently Special Secretary, Ministry of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation has been given additional charge of the post of Chief Executive Officer, Polavaram Project Authority. It is during his early days he worked in Ministry of Health and Family Welfare Gujarat and now he is on deputation to Govt. of India.



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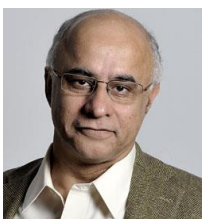
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Dr. Koteswara Rao, United Hospitals, Hyderabad



Dr. Koteswara Rao is the founder of United Hospitals. He is an alumnus of Guntur Medical College and is an Interventional Cardiologist having trained in the UK and the US. He worked as a Consultant Cardiologist in Kings Mill Hospital, Sutton-in-Ashfield, Nottinghamshire, UK.

Mr. Subrato Bagchi, Mindtree



Mr. Subrato Bagchi is an Indian entrepreneur and business leader. He is the co-founder of Mindtree and a business author. Currently he is heading the Orissa Skill Development Authority.

Dr. Devadasan N, Institute of Public Health, Bengaluru



Dr Devadasan has worked at all levels from grassroot NGO (10 years) to international agencies e.g. WHO (5 years). He is keen on strengthening health systems so that the poor can access affordable and quality care. His interest areas include Health system management, tribal health, health financing and disease surveillance and health systems research.

Prof. Sarang Deo, Professor of Operations at ISB



Sarang Deo is Associate Professor of Operations Management at the Indian School of Business. His primary area of interest is health care operations with special emphasis on investigating the impact of operations decisions on population level health outcomes. He frequently collaborates with international agencies such as the Clinton Health Access Initiative and the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation and his research has been funded by the US National Science Foundation and Grand Challenges Canada.



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Dr. Jayaprakash Narayan (IAS) Founder, Loksatta Party



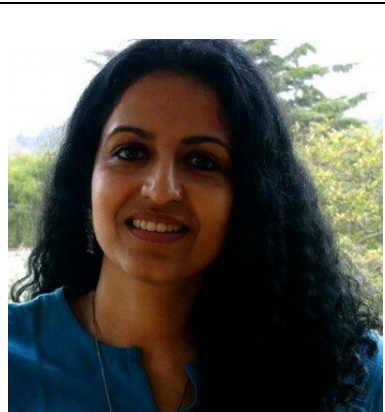
Dr. Jayaprakash Narayan is a physician by training who went into the Indian Administrative Service in the aftermath of the Emergency and failure of the Janata Experiment. He was a topper in the IAS exam. During the 16 years of distinguished public service in various capacities, he acquired a formidable reputation in the erstwhile State of Andhra Pradesh.

Dr. Sabahat Azim IAS, CEO, Glocal



Dr. Sabahat, Former Indian Administrative Services officer launched Glocal Healthcare Systems with an aim to make healthcare services affordable and at the same time profitable. A trained Medical Doctor and IAS Officer, he has earlier also dispensed his duties as Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tripura.

Rema Nagarajan, Assistant editor, *The Times of India*



Rema Nagarajan, an assistant editor at the *Times of India*, is currently a Nieman Global Health Reporting Fellow. Having completed the academic component of her fellowship at Harvard, she will now be doing her fieldwork in Brazil. The fieldwork is funded by the Pulitzer Center on Crisis Reporting. Rema writes mostly on development issues, and health-related topics dominate her reporting. Her work includes a series of stories on the practice of pharmaceutical companies bribing doctors in India and the rising cost of healthcare. Her reporting on these issues has played a role in making it illegal for doctors to accept gifts from pharmaceutical companies in India. She continues to work on topics such as health financing, drug pricing and service delivery systems.



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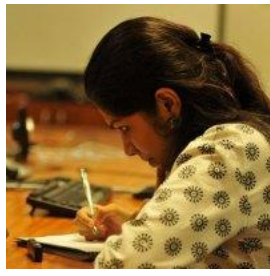


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Ms. Vidhya Sivaramakrishnan

Journalist, How India Lives



Ms. Vidhya Sivaramakrishnan has seven years of experience in business journalism, with Business Standard, Mint, Outlook Business and The Economic Times. She has reported on business developments in Tamil Nadu and has recently taken an interest in data journalism. She reported and wrote on Start-ups, Social Entrepreneurship, Healthcare, Microfinance and Politics out of Tamil Nadu while she was working with The Economic Times.

Mr. Vijay Poddar, Sri Aurobindo Society



Vijay Bhai as he is fondly called is Member Executive and Finance of Sri Aurobindo society. Through this society he has done a vast amount of work in bringing purpose to primary and Medical education.

Prof. T. Sundararaman, Dean, School of Health Systems Studies, TISS



Before joining TISS as Dean, School Health Systems Studies in 2015, Prof. T. Sundararaman was the Executive Director of National Health Systems Resource Centre in New Delhi. From 2002-07, he was Director of State Health Resource Center in Chhattisgarh where he provided technical guidance to launch a major community health worker program and strengthened its public health system. He has written over fifty books, mainly on health issues, in both popular communication and public health texts.



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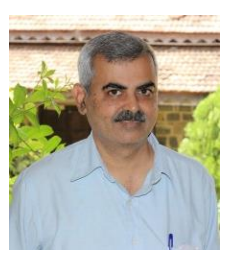


Dr. Abhay Shukla Coordinator, Sathi-Cehat



Dr. Abhay Shukla is a medical doctor, graduated from AIIMS. He is an integral part of Sathi, an NGO who work towards goal of righto health for everyone. He has also Co-authored a book - 'Dissenting Diagnosis' which brought out the malaise in the Indian healthcare industry.

Dr. Raman Kataria, Founding Member, Jan Swasthya Sahyog



Dr. Raman, a graduate from AIIMS, is one of the 10 doctors who left metropolitan life to do something meaningful and started Jan Swasthya Sahyog, a public healthcare network at Ganiyari village, Bilaspur, Chattisgarh in 2000. Apart from being a surgeon he also dispenses his duties as a Treasurer of the organization.

Dr. Nirmala Murthy Foundation for Research in Health Systems



Dr. Nirmala Murthy is currently the President for the Foundation for Research in Health Systems. She holds a Doctorate from the Harvard school of Public Health. She has over three decades of rich experience in public health, involving monitoring and evaluation, research, and health information systems. She has been a consultant for various national and international health-related programmes of the Government of India and the World Bank.

Dr. H. Sudarshan

Vivekananda Girijana Kalyana Kendra (VGKK)



Dr. Hanumappa Sudarshan is an social worker and tribal rights activist. He is well known for his contributions to the upliftment of the forest dwelling tribes (mainly Soligas) in the Chamarajanagar district of Karnataka. He is also a recipient of the Right Livelihood Award and the Padma Shree award.

Mr. Gopi Gopalakrishnan

President, World Health Partners



Mr. Gopalakrishnan is the President of World Health Partners. He has over 20 years of experience in implementing large-scale service-delivery programs in low-resource settings. He founded Janani, a non-profit entity devoted to providing child and reproductive health services, in one of the poorest regions of India.