

‘Evidence-based implementation of COVID-19 public health measures’

New Delhi, Dec 22: DBT- Institute for Stem Cell Science & Regenerative Medicine (DBT-inStem) is one of the founding partners of COVID-Gyan, a pan-institutional website that has been proactive in COVID-19 outreach efforts.



This month’s WebGyan session titled ‘Evidence-based implementation of COVID-19 public health measures’ featured Prof. Giridhara R Babu, who heads the Lifecourse Epidemiology at Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI).

Prof. Babu highlighted evidence-based implementation policies based on his association with BBMP Taskforce on COVID-19 Public Health Response, the Karnataka Technical Analysis Committee for COVID-19, and ICMR ESGW on surveillance and research.

Emphasizing on surveillance, he stated that the collating of data at a state/national level and using that data to implement strategies at a local level to mitigate the spread of infectious disease is crucial in managing disease spread. The talk also covered the Karnataka State-wide Seroprevalence study. This session was live streamed on BLiSC YouTube Channel.

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