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ON  
**HEALTH, MEDICINE AND  
INNOVATION:  
EVIDENCE FROM  
INTELLECTUAL  
PROPERTY RIGHTS**



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## HEALTH, MEDICINE AND INNOVATION: EVIDENCE FROM INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

Intellectual property rights have been relied to protect one's unique innovations against others. Drawing IPRs in health sector has been viewed very cautiously as the state has been striving through various policies including Goals to achieve universal healthcare to protect access, availability and affordability to healthcare.

Prior to TRIPS, the Indian commitments to International treaties and its convolutions in the local markets were insignificant or minimal in terms of IPR and health. Post TRIPS arena has brought new challenges and opportunities for both pharmaceutical and health sector in India. The

transition from process to product patents created stringent regulatory sphere in every sector including health. Till 2005, drugs produced for medicinal purposes were not patentable as the law provided only for process patents. Today, the patent Act excludes patenting of medical methods from its ambit. Improvements made through biotechnology, creation of new drugs from traditional knowledge were scientific developments made for securing access to healthcare.

The developments in biotechnology has attributed to the development of new drugs, obviating the need for describing life forms and for defining the economic value of it. Medicinal plants and related plant products are important targets of patent claims. All these have created dilemma in the innovation, research and development of healthcare sector. In the national and international fora in the context of public health, the challenge for the policy makers is to find a balance between the interest of innovators and the needs of the common man.



### Session 1:

Resource person:  
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### TOPIC

"Innovations and  
Access to healthcare:  
Analysing the Exclusion  
of Patentability of  
Medical Methods"



### Session 2:

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"IP in Life sciences  
and biomedical  
Innovations".

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