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KANYAKUMARI

Indian Psychiatric Society - South Zonal Branch



59th Annual Conference of
INDIAN PSYCHIATRIC SOCIETY SOUTH ZONAL BRANCH

Theme : Emerging Trends in Psychiatry

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**16th – 18th
OCTOBER 2026**



**Venue: Rohini College of
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Welcome Message

**Dear Members,
Warm Greetings.**

It gives us immense pleasure to invite you to the **59th Annual Conference of the Indian Psychiatric Society – South Zonal Branch (IPSOCON 2026)**, to be held at **Kanyakumari on October 16th, 17th, and 18th, 2026.**

We warmly welcome you to this beautiful coastal town located at the southern most tip of India. Jutting into the Laccadive Sea, the town – historically known as Cape Comorin – is renowned for the breathtaking sight of both sunrise and sunset over the ocean.

The theme of the conference is ***"Emerging Trends in Psychiatry"***.

We are confident that this conference will offer academic enrichment, professional networking, and personal rejuvenation in this inspiring coastal setting. We are equally certain that your mind, body, and soul will be rejuvenated in this enchanting "City of Three Seas".

Kindly block your dates, and we eagerly look forward to welcoming you with our warm hospitality.



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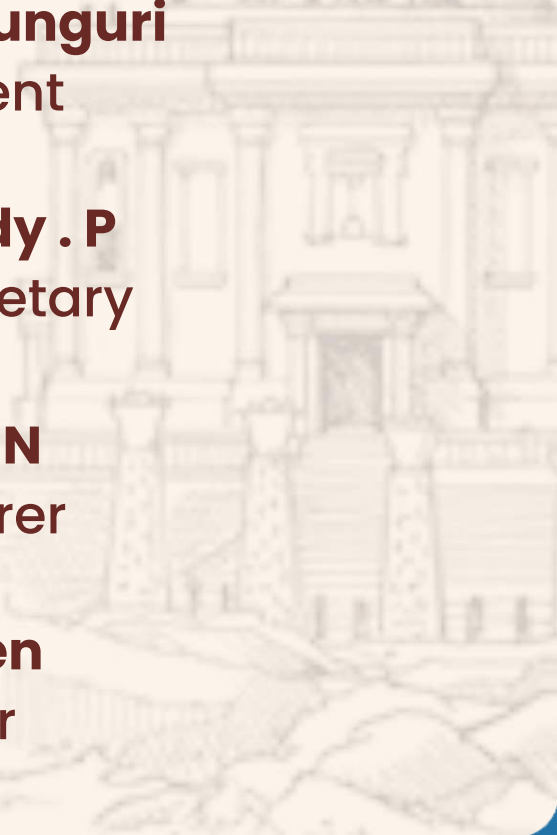
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- Account Number:- 50200120786364
- Bank Name:- HDFC BANK
- Branch name:- Tuticorin Branch, T.N
- IFSC Code:- HDFC0001104

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REGISTRATION TARIFF

Category	Early Bird Upto July 31st	Standard Upto Aug 31st	Regular Upto Oct 10th	On Spot
IPS SZ Members ☐	₹ 8,000 ☐	₹ 9,000 ☐	₹ 10,000 ☐	₹ 11,000 ☐
IPS Members ☐	₹ 8,500 ☐	₹ 9,500 ☐	₹ 10,500 ☐	₹ 11,500 ☐
IPS Senior Fellow (> 65) ☐	Complimentary ☐	₹ 4,500 ☐	₹ 5,500 ☐	₹ 7,500 ☐
Non IPS Members ☐	₹ 9,000 ☐	₹ 10,000 ☐	₹ 11,000 ☐	₹ 12,000 ☐
PG Students ☐	₹ 4000 ☐	₹ 4,500 ☐	₹ 4,800 ☐	₹ 5,000 ☐
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Corporates ☐	₹ 27000 ☐	₹ 27000 ☐	₹ 27000 ☐	₹ 27000 ☐

*The above mentioned registration fees are In INR & inclusive of 18% GST.

**For Senior Citizens the Registration is free till the 31st July 2026.

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- Up to 31st August 2026: 18.5% + GST amount will be deducted
- 1st Sep to 20th Sep 2026: 50% + GST amount will be deducted
- After 21st Sep 2026: No refund
- Please note that GST is non-refundable.
- Refund will be solely at the discretion of the organiser and will be made after the Conference.
- Duly filled forms along with the payment details/cheque/DD should be sent to Conference Secretariat address.

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- For detailed guidelines visit : <http://ipsszb.org/awards/>
- Should be submitted to Award Committee Chairman:
- Dr. Umashankar Molanguri : molanguriumashankar@gmail.com CC: ipsocon2026@gmail.com
- Last Date for Abstract Submission : 30th August 2026

Awards Details

- **DR. S. M. CHANNABASAVANNA SPANDANA PG QUIZ AWARD**

Sponsors : Dr.M. Srinivasa, Spandana Nursing Home – initiated the Oration in October 2014.

- **VISAKHA PSYCHIATRIC SOCIETY ORATION AWARD**

Sponsors: Visakha Psychiatric Society Initiated the Oration in July 2000.

- **S.S.JAYARAM AWARD FOR BEST PAPER**

Sponsor : Family of Dr. S.S. Jayaram, Bengaluru, Sponsored the Award with a corpus fund.

- **DR. D.S. RAJU MEMORIAL PG AWARD**

The award is presented each year to the best paper presented by the Post Graduate trainee from any of the States / Union territory of the IPS SOUTH ZONAL Branch.

- **SHATAVAHANA BEST PG POSTER AWARD**

Sponsor : Karimnagar Psychiatric Society 3 Prizes for best PG posters will be awarded at the valedictory function of the IPSOCON.

- **DR. P. RAGHURAMI REDDY BEST RESEARCH AWARD**

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Part II: Financial Aid for Best Research Proposal.

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Sponsor: Athma Hospitals & Research Pvt. Ltd, Trichy, Tamilnadu. The aim is to recognize the academic & social activities of women Psychiatrists

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- Conference Registration is mandatory for **Submission of Abstracts**.
- One of the Authors should be a member of **IPS South Zonal Branch**
- For Detailed Guidelines Click here:
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- Last date for abstract submission: 30th September, 2026
- Each author can send only one presentation. It may be paper/poster
- Do not send paper/ poster already presented/ published in a conference.
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Places to Visit in Kanyakumari



Vivekananda Rock Memorial

Vivekananda Rock Memorial is a monument and popular tourist attraction in Kanyakumari, India's southernmost tip. The memorial stands on one of the two rocks located about 500 meters off mainland of Vavathurai, Tamil Nadu. It was built in 1970 in honour of Swami Vivekananda, who is said to have attained enlightenment on the rock.

Thirparappu Waterfalls

located on the Kodayar River in Tamil Nadu's Kanyakumari district, roughly 55 kilometers from Kanyakumari town. Famous for its rocky 300-foot riverbed, it serves as a popular, family-friendly destination for swimming, boating, and visiting the historic 9th-century Mahadevar Temple.



Thiruvalluvar Statue

The Thiruvalluvar Statue, or the Valluvar Statue, is a 41-metre-tall (133 ft) stone sculpture of the Tamil poet and philosopher Valluvar, known as Thiruvalluvar, the author of the Thirukkural, an ancient Tamil work on Dharma and morality.

Suchindram Thanumalayan Temple

Suchindram Shree Thanumalayan Swamy Temple is one of the most famous and unique temples in the Kanyakumari region of Tamil Nadu.

Located about 13 km from Kanyakumari, the temple is dedicated to the Hindu Trinity—Lord Shiva, Lord Vishnu, and Lord Brahma—worshipped together in a single form known as Thanumalayan (Sthanu—Shiva, Mal—Vishnu, Ayan—Brahma).



Padmanabhapuram Palace

17th-century wooden palace located near Kanyakumari in Tamil Nadu. Once the capital of the former Travancore Kingdom, it is considered one of the finest examples of traditional Kerala architecture and is renowned as India's largest wooden palace. The palace was originally built in 1601 and later expanded by King Marthanda Varma.

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