

Texila American University

5th International Conference:

"The Obesity Pandemic – Consequences and Possible Solutions."

November 28 and 29, 2024

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

DAY – 1 (28 th November 2024)		
S. NO.	TIME (GYT)	EVENT
PLENARY SESSION		
1	09:00 – 10:00 AM	Registration
2	10:00 – 10:30 AM	Welcome Address: Dr. Dheeraj Bansal, MD, MPH CAO/Dean, <i>Texila American University College of Medicine, Guyana.</i>
3	10:30 – 11:00 AM	Plenary Session: Inaugural Address and Opening the conference: Hon. Dr. Frank C.S. Anthony, MD, MPH <i>Minister of Health, Guyana</i>
4	11:00 AM – 12:00 NN	POSTER PRESENTATIONS
BREAK		
OBESITY ASSOCIATED DISEASES		
1	01:00 – 01:30 PM	Keynote Speaker 1: Dr. Shanti Singh Anthony, MD., MPH <i>Member of Governing council of the International AIDS Society, Member of Global Fund Technical Review Panel. Senior Lecturer, School of Medicine, University of Guyana.</i>
2	01:30 – 02:00 PM	Keynote Speaker 2: Dr. Kumar Sukhraj, BSc., MBBS., MSc., <i>Head of the Department, Diabetic Foot Centre, GPHC</i>
3	02:00 – 02:30 PM	Keynote Speaker 3: Dr. William Adu-Krow, MBChB, MPH, DrPH <i>Project Director, Guyana Well-Being Projects, Georgetown, Guyana.</i>
4	02:30 – 03:00 PM	Panel Discussion: a. Dr. Shanti Singh Anthony b. Dr. Kumar Sukhraj c. Dr. Dheeraj Bansal

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DAY – 2 (29 th November 2024)		
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OBESITY & MENTAL HEALTH		
1	09:30 – 10:00 AM	Keynote Speaker 1: Dr. Davendranand Sharma, MBBS, FAME, DM <i>Psychiatrist, SGU University Health Services</i>
2	10:00 – 10:30 AM	Keynote Speaker 2: Dr Albert Persaud, <i>Institute of Psychiatry, Psychology & Neuroscience Kings College London, London, UK.</i> <i>Chair World Psychiatric Association Geopsychiatry Special Interest group</i>
3	10:30 – 11:00 AM	Keynote Speaker 3: Dr. Svetlana Famina, MD <i>Psychiatrist,</i> <i>Mercy Health System in Paducah, Kentucky, USA</i>
4	11:00 AM – 11:30 PM	Panel Discussion: a. Dr. Davendranand Sharma b. Dr Albert Persaud c. Dr. Svetlana Famina d. Dr Andria Veeren
5	11:30 AM – 12:30 PM	POSTER PRESENTATIONS
BREAK		
RECENT ADVANCES IN OBESITY MANAGEMENT		
1	01:00 - 01:30 PM	Keynote Speaker 1: Dr. Rajesh Kapoor MBBS., MS, MCh (Surgical Gastroenterology) <i>Director of Surgical Gastroenterology, Jaypee Hospital, Noida, India.</i>
2	01:30 – 02:00 PM	Keynote Speaker 2: Dr. Rahul Bansal, MBBS., MD <i>Professor & Head, Community Medicine, Subharti Medical College, Meerut</i>

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3	02:00 – 02:30 PM	Keynote Speaker 3: Dr. Vedika Latchmi Panday, MBBS. MMed., <i>Internal Medicine Department, GPHC</i>
4	02:30 – 3:00 PM	Panel Discussion: a. Dr. Rajesh Kapoor b. Dr. Rahul Bansal c. Dr. Pandey-Singh Madhu d. Dr. Dheeraj Bansal
5	03:00 – 03:30 PM	Closing Session