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Elderly Care

Viksit Bharat @ 2047

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Lakshmibai College, University of Delhi

Named after the brave warrior leader and patriot Rani Lakshmibai of Jhansi, Lakshmibai College was founded in 1965. It is situated in Ashok Vihar Phase-III. An acclaimed constituent college of the University of Delhi, it upholds the vision of 'Satyam Gyanam Anantam' — "True knowledge is endless and can be gained perpetually" (Taittiriya Upanishad, II.1).

Lakshmibai College is striving to inculcate the spirit of integrity, compassion, and knowledge among the youth. The institution is dedicated to fostering an environment where modern education blends with traditional learning, leading to the holistic development of all its female students.

The red brick buildings of the college provide students with an inclusive space to enrich creativity, empathy, and passion. The college takes pride in its active placement cell, well-equipped library, and computer labs with SAFA technology for disabilities, leaving no stone unturned when it comes to learning.

The college houses over 4000 students studying undergraduate courses in Humanities, Commerce, and Social Sciences including Sociology, Economics, Home Science, English, Hindi, Political Science, Philosophy, Computer Science, History, and Psychology. Through their relentless efforts, the faculty members impart knowledge to help students reach their full potential.

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National Institute of Social Defence

The National Institute of Social Defence was set up originally as the Central Bureau of Correctional Services in 1961, under the Ministry of Home Affairs, in pursuance of the recommendations emerging at various National Forums. In 1964, the Bureau was transferred to the then Department of Social Security.

Since 1975, the Institute was a subordinate office under the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment. The National Institute of Social Defence has become an Autonomous Body vide Government of India Notification No. 10-3/2000-SD. Vol. II, dated July 15, 2002, and is registered under the Societies Act XXI of 1860 with the Government of NCT, Delhi.

The National Institute of Social Defence is the nodal training and research institute in the field of social defence. Though social defence covers the entire gamut of activities and programmes for the protection of society, it is currently focusing on human resource development in the areas of drug abuse prevention, welfare of senior citizens and transgenders, beggary prevention, and other social defence issues.

IN ASSOCIATION WITH

Purvanchal Sociological Society

The Purvanchal Sociological Society established in 2022, is dedicated to the promotion and upliftment of sociology as a discipline in the Purvanchal region. The society aims to create a vibrant intellectual platform for students, researchers, and academicians to engage in critical discussions, research, and collaborative activities that highlight the social realities of the region. By fostering academic exchange, organizing seminars, workshops, and publications, it seeks to strengthen sociological inquiry and encourage innovative approaches to understanding social change, development, and challenges in Purvanchal.



Divi Welfare Society

Divi Welfare Society is a non-profit organization committed to uplifting underprivileged children and empowering marginalized communities across India. Driven by a deep sense of social justice and inclusive development, Divi works at the grassroots level to address the fundamental needs of children, women, and underserved populations. Established in 2018 by Beera Bhadra Singh and a group of passionate friends, Divi began its journey with a single, free coaching center. From this modest beginning, the organization has evolved into a vibrant force for change, positively impacting hundreds of lives across Varanasi and nearby districts. Today, Divi collaborates with local NGOs, educators, community leaders, and policymakers to extend its reach and deepen its impact.



Swasti Dass Seva Sansthan

Swasti Dass Sewa Sansthan is a registered non-governmental organization (NGO) located in Wazirpur Village, Ashok Vihar, North West Delhi. Its registered address is WP 234, Wazirpur Village, Ashok Vihar, North West, Delhi. The organization is also listed on the NGO Darpan portal. The Sansthan primarily works in the fields of Education, Forest, Women Empowerment, Development, Vocational Training & Skill Development for the last 10 years.



Concept Note

As India moves towards the vision of Viksit Bharat 2047, one of the biggest social responsibilities will be to take care of our rapidly growing elderly population. By 2050, nearly one in every five Indians will be a senior citizen. Living longer is a positive sign of progress, but it also brings challenges—such as health care needs, financial security, loneliness, and ensuring that our elders live with dignity.

The government has already taken steps through policies like the National Policy on Older Persons (1999), the Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act (2007), and the National Programme for Health Care of the Elderly. However, with transforming family structures with new social and economic realities, for the academicians. We now need fresh ideas and better strategies to support our elderly population.

This national seminar will bring together policymakers, academicians, social workers, NGOs, students, and senior citizens themselves to discuss new models, innovative solutions, and policy frameworks that can help ensure our elders live secure, healthy, and meaningful lives in the journey towards Viksit Bharat 2047.



IMPORTANT DATES

Abstract Submission

September 10, 2025

Full Length Paper Submission

September 18, 2025

GUIDELINES FOR ABSTRACT & PAPER SUBMISSION

- The abstract of the paper should be up to 350 words & sent on mail id elderlycare.lakshmibai2047@gmail.com
- Title of the paper and keywords must be mentioned in the abstract. The theme under which the abstract is to be considered should also be mentioned.
- After acceptance of the abstract, the contributors are required to send their full paper not exceeding 5000 words (including tables and figures, if required). The text should be typed in Times New Roman, 12-point font, with 1.5 inch margins on all sides, 1.15 line spacing, and must be double-spaced. The deadline for full paper submission is 18th September 2025. The paper should be sent to the Seminar Email ID: elderlycare.lakshmibai2047@gmail.com.
- Important Note (For Hindi Abstracts): Abstract written in Hindi must be typed only in Mangal (Unicode Font). Fonts such as Kruti Dev 010, Chanakya, or any other non-Unicode fonts will not be accepted.
- The cover page should contain the title of the paper, author's name and brief details including the designation, e-mail and contact numbers.
- References should be cited at the end of the paper. This list should mention only those sources cited in the text of the paper.
- All the tables and figures must be serially numbered.
- Authors would have to certify that the material is unpublished, as well as original. It is the
 responsibility of the authors to obtain permission to reprint previously published matter
 with copyright restrictions.
- Only submissions in English and Hindi will be considered. Correspondence and proofs for correction will be sent to first-named author.

BOOK PUBLICATION

We are planning to publish high-quality papers in an edited book published by National and International Publishers.

CONFERENCE THEMES

1. Demographic Changes and Aging in India

- Population Trends and Projections
- Impact of Social Media, Urbanization and Migration
- Changing Family Structures

2. Elderly Care in Indian Knowledge Systems and Traditional Knowledge Systems

- Elderly care in Mythology
- Religion Elderly care in our Ancient
- Texts -Elderly care in Different Tribes

3. Social Security and Welfare for the Elderly

- Pension Schemes and Social Security
- Financial Inclusion and Support
- Systems Housing and Living Conditions

4. Role of Family and Community in Elderly Care

- Traditional Support Systems
- Changing Dynamics of Family Care
- Community Initiatives and NGOs

5. Policy and Program Interventions for the Elderly

- Existing Policies and their Effectiveness
- Innovative Approaches and Best Practices
- Future Directions in Policy Development

6. Health and Well-being of the Elderly

- Common Health Issues and Disabilities
- Access to Healthcare and Geriatric Services
- Psychological Behaviour and Barriers



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