# MONOGRAPH On Public Health Education for Undergraduate Medical students

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discoverybookpalace@gmail.com WWW.DISCOVERYBOOKPALACE.COM - Establish a mechanism for continuous quality improvement of public health teaching and establish/strengthen accreditation system for medical schools. Involve teachers from related disciplines, stakeholders and other sectors in teaching of public health in undergraduate medical institutions.

### **Recommendations for Medical Associations in the Country:**

- To keep in place a strategic framework for strengthening teaching of public health in undergraduate medical institutions to adopt/adapt and utilize it.
- To continue advocating to the Government and other stakeholders the importance of teaching of public health in medical schools in view of the global health scenario, climate change and economic downturn.
- To support medical institutions in adaptation/application of guidelines for social and preventive medicine/community medicine/community health curriculum in undergraduate medical education and disseminate to medical schools.
- To establish an expert group in public health and medical education to improve teaching of public health in undergraduate medical schools.
- To support medical institutions to establish/strengthen accreditation system for assessment of public health teaching.
- To identify and establish zonal CoE Centres of Excellence to support other medical institutions on Public Health Teaching