



PRASANNA SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

MANIPAL

(A constituent unit of MAHE, Manipal)

CERTIFICATE COURSE IN QUALITATIVE RESEARCH METHODS

September to November, 2020

Transdisciplinary Centre for Qualitative Methods(TCQM)

Department of Health Information

Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH)

Manipal Academy of Higher Education (MAHE), Manipal, Karnataka, India

About TCQM:

Transdisciplinary Centre for Qualitative Methods (TCQM) under, Prasanna School of Public Health (PSPH), Manipal Academy of Higher Education and the Utrecht University, The Netherlands, will aim to meet this need by serving as a regional hub for capacity building in qualitative methods in South Asia. The centre will educate, facilitate and promote trans-disciplinary qualitative research for a comprehensive understanding of the issues pertaining to public health. The Center is led by Prof. Ajay Bailey and highly qualified research staff.

Course Description:

This course provides a rich and in-depth understanding of qualitative research in scientific research. This course helps the researcher select the most appropriate methods to answer the particular research question. By end of the course you will be able to grasp the skills required to conduct in-depth interviews, facilitate focus groups, and undertake observation and/or ethnographic research. This course enables to analyze qualitative data through qualitative software(Atlas-ti) and develop explanation.

Who can attend?

Faculty, Researchers, Graduates, Postgraduates, PhD scholars & Post-Doctorates.

To Apply:

Please submit your resume and motivational letter to tcqm.mu@manipal.edu on or before 25th August, 2020.

Course Requirements:

- Laptop, High-speed internet and reserve time for practical's.

Registration details:

- MAHE PhD Scholars/Students & Faculty: **INR 10,000**
- Others: **INR 11,000**

Course Credit: 4

Intake : Max 20 participants.

In light of the current global situation due to COVID-19 pandemic, we have shifted the teaching method to a virtual interaction and will be organizing an online certificate course **from September 1st to November 30th, 2020**. When possible the lab sessions will be held in person. In addition to the online lectures we will also organize methods seminars provided by our extensive network of international speakers.

The following sessions will be conducted by virtual interaction:

- Introduction to Qualitative research and Qualitative Research Design.
- Participant Recruitment.
- Observation.
- In-depth Interviews and interview Guide.
- Application for Data Collection Method.
- Data Management & Coding
- Data analysis: categorizing and conceptualizing.
- Introducing Atlas ti Software.
- Application of the software Atlas-ti.
- Presenting and Writing Qualitative Results.
- Group discussion.

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