



**NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR EMPOWERMENT OF PERSONS WITH  
MULTIPLE DISABILITIES (DIVYANGJAN)**

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**NIEPMD/DAIL – NSP/2018-19**

**Date: 11-05-2018**

**To,**  
The Model Employers  
Parents Associations / Foundations / Organizations,  
PAN INDIA.

**Sub: NIEPMD-DAIL Organizing Two Days National Summit on “Employment Opportunities for Adults with Multiple Disabilities and their family members”- reg.,**

**Respected Sir / Madam,**

*Greetings from NIEPMD!*

National Institute for Empowerment of Persons with Multiple Disabilities (NIEPMD) Chennai was established as a National Resource center for Persons with Multiple Disabilities in the year 2005. In pursuance of this objectives, Dept. of Adult Independent Living organizing a **Two days “National Summit”** at Chennai. The programme details are as follows:

<b>Topic</b>	National Summit on “Employment Opportunities for Adult with Multiple Disabilities and their family members”
<b>Theme</b>	Skill Development & Employment ( <i>Ref: RPwD Act-2016</i> )
<b>Date &amp; Time</b>	26 <sup>th</sup> & 27 <sup>th</sup> July 2018 (9.00 AM to 5.00 PM)
<b>Registration Fee</b>	Rs.500/-
<b>Payment Made By</b>	Through DD (The Director, NIEPMD, Payable at Chennai) or NEFT Transfer (Name : NIEPMD Internal Accrual, A/C No: 6332687300, IFSC: IDIB000K122, Indian Bank, Kovalam Branch)
<b>Venue</b>	NIEPMD, Chennai.
<b>Target group</b>	50 Role Model Employments Opportunities running by Parents Associations/ Foundation / Association / Organization from across the country.
<b>NIEPMD Contribution</b>	1.3AC Concession fare by Train      2. Lodging & Boarding      3. Delegate Kits
<b>Co-ordinator</b>	Dr. K. Balabaskar (09382934157) / Team Members: Mr. D. Gunasekar-09585321706 / Mr. M. Nagendra Prabu-9444812938/ Mr. D.Leo Petish-9786431909

**The objectives of the programme are.**

- ❖ Knowledge sharing on sustainable employment models for IwMDs
- ❖ To enhance skill development measures and protocol for vocational training of Individuals with Multiple Disabilities (IwMDs)
- ❖ Importance of skill development & employment as per RPwD-2016 & Skill India Mission for PwDs
- ❖ Govt schemes, polices, social security measures and initiatives for sustainable development of IwMDs.

Hence a request is made to identify few role model employment having adults (Age 18and above) with multiple disabilities. Since the total no. of Role models is **50 Nos (01 PwD & 01 Family Member)**, an early registration is required. Please forward the abstract of the model along with the registration form.

Soliciting your kind cooperation and confirmation in this regard.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

*Sd/-*

Dr. Himangshu Das  
Director

**Enclosure:** 1. Registration Form & Abstract



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### **ABSTRACT**

#### **Introduction:**

National Institute for Empowerment of Persons with Multiple Disabilities (NIEPMD) was established in the year 2005, under the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India at Chennai. The main objective of this institute is to serve as a national resource centre for the Empowerment of persons with Multiple Disabilities and their families. One such activities initiated by NIEPMD's Department of Adult Independent Living (DAIL) is enhancing "Quality of Life" for Persons with Multiple Disabilities and their family members.

#### **Services of DAIL:**

- Various projects as academic and vocational training, life skills, socialization, self dependent daily living activities, information and communication technology and pre-employment skills training are provided
- Opportunities for self-employment and wage-employment are being created working with other stakeholders and industries.
- Parents are encouraged and supported for employment opportunities where the adult is also involved after proper training in case of severe disabilities
- Awareness programmes and provision of latest assistive devices after assessment, other Government schemes for skill development, maintenance grant, and legal support services for parents are offered

#### **Preamble for Meet:**

In the process of rehabilitation not only the professional plays a vital role but all the stakeholders such as beneficiaries, parents & community were equally important and most essential. In this connection, NIEPMD conduct a "**Zonal Level Working committee Expert Members Meeting on Vocational Training Process and Placement Strategy for Persons with Multiple Disabilities, Intellectual Disabilities & Autism Spectrum Disorder**". Based on the meeting outcome of the **Zonal Level committee** to organizing a **National Summit On "Employment Opportunities For Adult With Multiple Disabilities and Their Family Members"** in order to draw a road map for Vocational Empowerment and Placement Process for Persons with Multiple Disabilities.

### **National Meet:**

In this regard a **'National Summit on “Employment Opportunities for Adult with Multiple Disabilities Ant Their Family Members”** is being planned for being organized in Chennai from June, 2018. The meet would be the right opportunity scenario in the life of persons with multiple disabilities coinciding with the enactment of Rights for Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 and rules being defined. The meet is planned to get parents across the states of India to gather in one place along with their children, learn, share, discuss for enhancing the quality of life and sustainable development.

### **Objectives:**

- To provide opportunities for family members to analyse the needs of adults among individual with multiple disabilities
- To learn strategies for coping up and creating an environment for better quality of health and living
- To showcase for best practice follow-up across the country in Wage, Self, Supported employment by parents
- To address the support system & services available at Government and other stakeholders level for persons with multiple disabilities
- To create awareness on various technology advancement, networking facilities that would enable employment opportunities and enhance independent living skills
- To create awareness on provisions and entitlements of Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 for persons with disabilities and disseminate information
- To create a platform for parents to develop self-confidence and advocacy skills for their Individual with Multiple Disabilities.
- To facilitate mutual interaction with co-parents and share their knowledge and experiences on education, livelihood opportunities
- To stimulate & enhance potential of an individual with multiple disabilities
- To develop physiological & psychological well-being of youth with Disabilities

### **Event:**

- Date : 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> July 2018.
- Venue : NIEPMD, Chennai
- Target Group : 100 Participants (50 Parents & 50 IwMD's)

### Activities:

- Deliberation sessions on Parents empowerment Employment, Legal support, Women safety in the context of Persons with Multiple Disabilities by Resource Persons / parents
- Knowledge sharing sessions on success models in employment by Parents and Networking among the parents
- Assistive Technology demonstration for Education, Employment and Daily living
- Site visits to various employment models and places of importance in Chennai
- Cultural & Special Art Events for Adult with Multiple Disabilities

### Models of Employments:

1. Open Employment
2. Self-Employment
3. Sheltered Employment
4. Supported Employment



### Outcome of the Meet:

1. Knowledge acquisition by parents of persons with multiple disabilities with special reference to RPWD Act 2016.
2. Information sharing on capabilities, skill development opportunities, women safety measures of persons with multiple disabilities
3. Linkages to support systems and stakeholders working in employment, health and legal support services
4. Facilitation of parent mentoring and support groups in regions by collaborative networking for children
5. Strengthening the abilities of Individuals with Multiple Disabilities for skill development in employability skills, arts & daily living skills etc.
6. Documentation of the event for better practices and research in skill development, employment and health service models of the country with reference to persons with multiple disabilities
7. Develop a compendium of success stories for motivation, skill development among the rest of persons with multiple disabilities in the country
8. Further, research and analysis of needs of adults with multiple disabilities across various demographic and economic social conditions of the country.



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Date: 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Venue: NIEPMD, Chennai.

**PARTICIPANT**

(PARENT ASSOCIATION/ NGO / FOUNDATION)

I hereby certify that (Mr. / Ms.)....., S/o, D/o.....

is representating from Parents Association / Organization / Foundation name : .....

.....to showcase their employment trade: .....

in the said summit. Address: .....

State.....Contact No: .....E-mail Id: .....



Date & Time of Arrival: .....

Date & Time of Departure: .....



Name of the Bank: ....., Branch: .....

Date of Transaction: ....., Transaction No: .....



Registration No. Allotted: ....., Signature of the Co-ordinator: .....

(NOTE: LAST DATE FOR REGISTRATION 30<sup>th</sup> June 2018)



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**BRIEF REPORT OF THE INDIVIDUAL (Model Employer)**

**NAME OF THE INDIVIDUAL** :

**TITLE OF THE EMPLOYMENT** :

**TYPE OF EMPLOYMENT** :

(Open / Self / Sheltered / Supportive)

**REGISTRATION UNDER** :

(Trust / Society / Company Act)

**ARE YOU A** :

(Parent Association / Individual Parent / SHG / NGO)

**MONTHLY TURNOVER** :

**MARKETING STRATEGY** :

**LINKAGES** :

**COMMUNITY SUPPORT** :

**REASON OF THE SUCCESSFUL MODEL** :

**ACTIVITY PHOTO** :

**FUTURE PLAN** :