

# 8TH NATIONAL BIOETHICS CONFERENCE

Forum for Medical Ethics Society



## Crisis within a Crisis

Scientific, Ethical & Humanitarian  
Challenges of COVID-19

Saturday

December 5, 2020

2:30 pm to 7:15 pm [IST]

### DAY 2: CLINICAL ETHICS AND HEALTHCARE IN THE PANDEMIC

PANEL DISCUSSION | 5:45 PM TO 7:15 PM

#### EAR TO THE GROUND

Centerstaging voices from the margins in the pandemic



**Existential crisis faced by sex workers: Navigating through COVID-19 times**

Dr Tejaswi Sevekari

Founder and Director, Saheli Sangh, Pune

**Rising up to the challenges of the pandemic: Perspectives from Transgender community**



Dr Aqsa Shaikh

Assistant Professor, Dept of Community Medicine, Hamdard Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Jamia Hamdard, Delhi



**Adivasi communities in pandemic times: Further marginalization of those at margins**

Gangaram Paikra

National Convener Right To Food Campaign, Surguja, Chhattisgarh

**Increased domestic violence during COVID-19 pandemic: Interplay of adversities of the pandemics and caste, class, and religion**



Arundhati Dhuru

Convener, National Alliance of People's Movement, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh



Chaired by

Dr Sulakshana Nandi

National Co-convener,  
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