



5th National workshop

GCP 2026

GOOD CLINICAL PRACTICE

Every Thursday 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th March 2026, 3-4 PM (Online mode)

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Department of Pharmacology
All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Nagpur

Note: This GCP training is exclusively designed for medical doctors with MBBS degree irrespective of specialty

This workshop is highly beneficial even for those who have already been trained in GCP, as it provides an excellent opportunity to refresh their skills and knowledge. Furthermore, retraining in GCP is recommended by regulatory bodies every five years to ensure continued compliance with evolving standards and practices.

About National GCP workshop

ABOUT GCP WORKSHOP 2025

Good Clinical Practice (GCP) is a globally acknowledged framework of ethical and scientific standards that govern the design, conduct, and reporting of clinical trials involving human participants. These standards prioritize the protection of participants' rights, safety, and well-being while ensuring that the data generated is both credible and reliable. GCP outlines detailed guidelines for researchers, sponsors, and ethics committees, fostering integrity and excellence in clinical research.

The National Association of Pharmacology and Therapeutics organizes an annual workshop on Good Clinical Practice, bringing together hundreds of medical professionals for an enriching learning experience. This flagship event is designed to empower participants with the knowledge and tools necessary to excel in clinical research, making it a cornerstone event within the medical community.

This workshop is not only valuable for first-time attendees but also for those who have previously undergone GCP training. It serves as an excellent opportunity to refresh existing knowledge and skills. Moreover, regulatory authorities recommend retraining in GCP every five years to ensure continued adherence to evolving standards and practices.



Key Highlights

Expert Faculty: Learn from distinguished experts in medical and clinical research, as well as clinical trials. Our faculty members bring a wealth of experience to provide the most up-to-date insights and practical knowledge essential for advancing your expertise in clinical research.

Comprehensive Curriculum: Explore a curriculum that covers all facets of Good Clinical Practice. Exclusively designed for medical doctors, this course incorporates the latest national and international guidelines and recommendations, ensuring you are aligned with current best practices in clinical research.

Interactive Sessions: Engage in dynamic discussions, case studies, and group activities that encourage collaborative learning. Receive answers to your specific questions and gain valuable insights from real-world scenarios presented by our experts.

Online Convenience: Attend the workshop remotely, eliminating the need for travel. Our user-friendly online platform provides a seamless and accessible learning experience, allowing you to participate from the comfort of your home or workplace.

Certification: Upon successful completion of the workshop, earn a recognized certificate that validates your commitment to ethical and high-quality clinical research practices.

Message



Dear Participants,

It gives me immense pleasure to warmly welcome you as the Organizing Chairman of the Good Clinical Practice (GCP) Workshop 2026, being conducted under the aegis of the National Association of Pharmacology and Therapeutics (NPT). This national-level academic workshop will be organized in online mode every Thursday during March 2026, scheduled on 5th, 12th, 19th, and 26th March, from 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM.

The GCP Workshop 2026 has been thoughtfully structured to cater to MBBS-qualified doctors across all specialties, irrespective of their prior exposure to clinical research. The program will provide a comprehensive overview of GCP principles, real-world applications, regulatory expectations, and recent updates in clinical research practices. An eminent panel of experienced faculty and national experts will guide participants through these essential domains with clarity and practical insight.

I strongly encourage all participants to actively engage in the sessions, participate in discussions, raise queries, and share their experiences. Such academic interaction and exchange of perspectives significantly enhance learning outcomes and foster a deeper understanding of ethical and compliant research conduct. This workshop will also serve as an excellent refresher program for professionals who have previously undergone GCP training. As recommended by regulatory authorities, periodic retraining in GCP—ideally every five years—is essential to remain aligned with evolving guidelines, regulatory frameworks, and best practices in clinical research.

I look forward to your enthusiastic participation and assure you of a meaningful, enriching, and professionally rewarding learning experience.

With warm regards and best wishes

Dr. Balakrishnan S.
Organizing Chairperson
Professor and Head
Department of Pharmacology
All India Institute of Medical Sciences. Bhopal



Dear Friends, Colleagues, and Researchers,

Good Clinical Practice (GCP) stands as the global gold standard for ensuring ethical integrity, scientific rigor, and regulatory compliance in clinical research. It provides a comprehensive framework governing every stage of clinical trials—from protocol design and conduct to monitoring, auditing, documentation, analysis, and reporting of data.

In alignment with the guidelines of the Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) and the recommendations of the National Medical Commission (NMC), foundational training in GCP has become mandatory for all professionals involved in clinical trials and new drug development research. Importantly, completion of GCP training is now a compulsory prerequisite for postgraduate medical students before appearing in their final examinations, making structured GCP education an essential academic and professional requirement.

In this context, it gives me great pleasure to announce the 5th National Workshop on Good Clinical Practice (GCP) – 2026, a signature national academic initiative of the National Association of Pharmacology and Therapeutics (NPT). This workshop will be conducted primarily in online mode in March 2026, ensuring nationwide accessibility and convenience for participants across institutions and regions. Selected institutions with adequate infrastructure may also organize offline or hybrid sessions to facilitate enhanced interaction and hands-on learning.

The workshop will feature renowned national experts and experienced clinical researchers, who will deliver in-depth, practical, and regulatory-oriented sessions covering all critical aspects of GCP, clinical trials, ethics, and compliance. This program is designed to benefit postgraduate students, faculty members, investigators, ethics committee members, and professionals engaged in clinical research.

I cordially invite you to be a part of this prestigious national workshop and take advantage of this valuable learning opportunity.

With warm regards and best wishes,

Dr. Ganesh Dakhale
Organizing Secretary
Professor and Head
Department of Pharmacology
All India Institute of Medical Sciences. Nagpur



Event Schedule

GOOD CLINICAL PRACTICE (GCP) NATIONAL WORKSHOP

**Every Thursday
March 2026**

Thursday 5th March 2026

Topic	Time
Overview of GCP, Clinical trial protocol, IB and ED (Indian GCP and ICH GCP)	3:00-3:30 PM
Responsibilities of Investigators, Sponsors and monitors	3:30-4:00 PM

Thursday 12th March 2026

Topic	Time
Informed consent process	3:00-3:30 PM
Ethics Committee-Composition & Individual responsibilities of members	3:30-4:00 PM

Thursday 19th March 2026

Topic	Time
National Ethical guideline for biomedical & health research involving human participants ICMR 2017	3:00-3:30 PM
Salient features of NDCT 2019	3:30-4:00 PM

Thursday 26th March 2026

Topic	Time
Guidelines for ICH GCP E6R3	3:00-3:30 PM
Handling protocol deviations and violations	3:30-4:00 PM

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Thursday, 5th March, 2026

Topic

Overview of GCP, Clinical trial protocol,
IB and ED (Indian GCP and ICH GCP)

Time

3:00 PM-3:30 PM



Speaker

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Topic

Responsibilities of Investigators, Sponsors and monitors

Time

3:30 PM-4:00 PM



Speaker

Dr. Arshiya Sehgal

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Thursday, 12th March, 2026

Topic

Informed consent process

Time

3:00 PM-3:30 PM



Speaker

Dr. Rajesh Kumawat

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Dr. Debashish Ray

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Topic

Ethics Committee-Composition & Individual responsibilities of members

Time

3:30 PM-4:00 PM



Speaker

Dr. Ganesh Dakhale

Dean (Exam) & Professor and Head (Pharmacology)
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Moderator

Dr. Kiran Rajendra Giri

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Thursday, 19th March, 2026

Topic

National Ethical guideline for biomedical & health research involving human participants-ICMR 2017

Time

3:00 PM-3:30 PM



Speaker

Dr. M. Jayanthi

Professor

Department of Pharmacology
JIPMER, Puducherry



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Dr. Dinesh Badyal

Professor & Head

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Ludhiana, Punjab

Topic

Salient features of NDCT 2019

Time

3:30 PM-4:00 PM



Speaker

Dr. Mrunalini Kalikar

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Sevagram, Wardha, Maharashtra

Thursday, 26th March, 2026

Topic

Guidelines for ICH GCP E6R3

Time

3:00 PM-3:30 PM



Speaker

Dr. Nusrat Shafiq

Professor

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Topic

Handling protocol deviations and violations

Time

3:30 PM-4:00 PM



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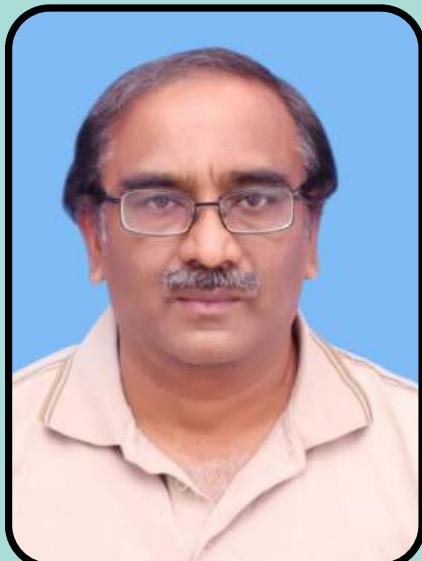
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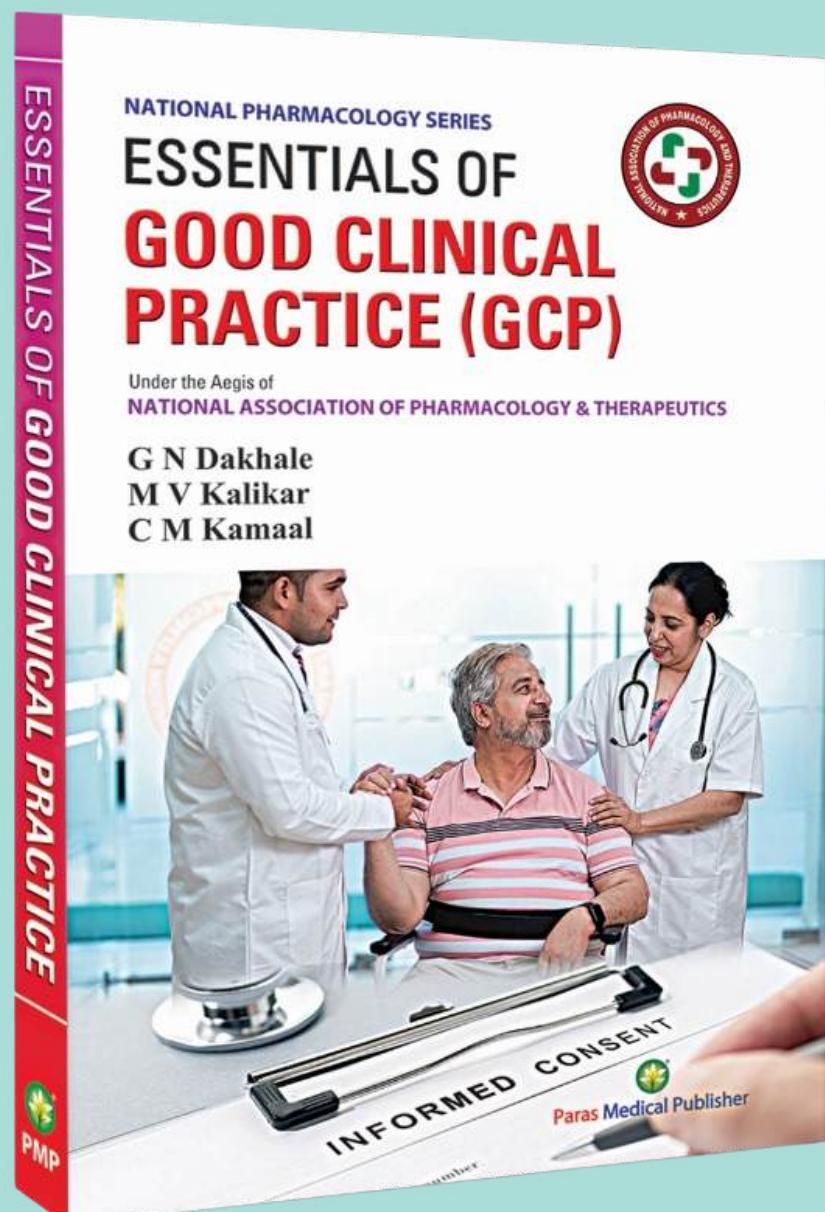
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**Recommended Learning Resource)
(Optional)**



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Recommended Learning Resource for GCP Workshop Participants

To further enhance your understanding of Good Clinical Practice (GCP) beyond the online sessions, we strongly recommend the book *Essentials of Good Clinical Practice (GCP)*, published under the National Pharmacology Series and brought out under the aegis of the National Association of Pharmacology and Therapeutics.

This book has been authored by nationally renowned and eminent experts in Good Clinical Practice, drawing upon rich academic experience, regulatory insight, and real-world clinical research exposure. It systematically covers the core principles of GCP, ethical foundations, regulatory expectations, informed consent, investigator responsibilities, documentation, monitoring, and compliance, making it an ideal companion to the GCP training being delivered during this workshop.

Participants who wish to gain deeper conceptual clarity, reinforce learning, and retain GCP principles for long-term professional application are encouraged to refer to this book. It serves not only as a learning aid for postgraduate students and young researchers but also as a valuable refresher resource for faculty members, investigators, and clinical research professionals.

Combining structured online training with authoritative reading resources will significantly enrich GCP learning experience and strengthen the competence in ethical and quality-driven clinical research.

The book is readily available on Amazon, and interested participants may purchase it through the provided Amazon link for convenient access.



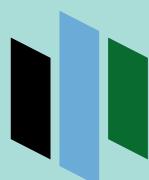
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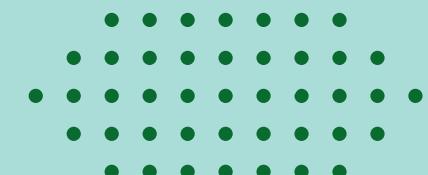


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Registration fee details



Note:

- Only medical doctors with at least MBBS Degree are eligible to register

CATEGORY	Up to 31 st Jan 2026	1 st Feb - 10 th Feb 2026	11 th Feb - 20 th Feb 2026
Post graduate students MD Pharmacology	850	1450	2050
Post graduate students other medical specialties	850	1450	2050
Faculty members/Post Graduate MD/MS doctors (any medical specialty)	950	1550	2150
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- This GCP workshop is being organized exclusively for medical doctors with MBBS/MD/DNB/DM degree (all specialties can apply)
- It is the responsibility of the applicant to check eligibility for workshop before applying as the fee is non refundable
- Resource material will be provided within 48hs. of each session through dashboard
- The Dashboard created through registration process shall be one stop solutions for all activities of GCP 2026 i.e Link for session, resource material after each session and e-certificate after the completion of workshop.
- 75% Online attendance is mandatory for eligibility for e-certificate

HOW TO REGISTER

- Visit the official website: www.nationalpharmacology.org
- Click on "GCP 2026".
- Read all information provided in the brochure/website carefully.
- Select your appropriate registration category and fill out the form.
- Review the payable amount and click on "Pay".
- Complete the transaction through the secure online payment gateway. (Cash, cheque, or demand drafts will not be accepted.)
- Save an image of payment receipt available on your dashboard for future reference.
- Applicants will receive an SMS on their registered mobile and an e-mail within 24 hr after registration process is completed.
- All applicant shall get a link to join a WhatsApp group GCP 2026 on their e-mail 24 hrs prior to workshop

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- Profile and Account Management
- Help and Support
- Access to 'GCP 2026' WhatsApp Group

CERTIFICATES

- All e-certificates can be downloaded within 90 days of completion of workshop.
- No duplicate certificate issued by organization if certificate is lost/failure to download.



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