

**THE TAMIL NADU DR.M.G.R.MEDICAL UNIVERSITY**  
**DEPARTMENT OF EPIDEMIOLOGY**  
**PUBLIC AWARENESS PROGRAM ON DIABETES FOR ‘WORLD DIABETES DAY’**  
**Date: 13.11.2018 , Time: 2.30pm to 4.30 pm**  
**Venue: SENATE ALL, The TN. Dr. M.G.R. Medical University**  
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‘ The World Diabetes Day (WDD) is celebrated annually on November 14.This Diabetes Day was created in 1991 became an official United Nations Day in 2006.Over 425 million people are currently living with diabetes. 1 in 2 people currently living with diabetes is undiagnosed. Most cases are type 2 diabetes. Early diagnosis and treatment are key to prevent the complications of diabetes and achieve healthy outcomes. All families are potentially affected by diabetes and so awareness of the signs, symptoms and risk factors for all types of diabetes are vital to help detect it early.

The theme for World Diabetes Day 2018 and 2019 is ‘**The Family and Diabetes.**’

As part of commitment towards a healthy community, Dept of Epidemiology, The TN Dr MGR Medical University is conducting a public awareness program /Continuing Medical Education program on account of this day at its campus. Program as follows.

<b>Time</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Speaker</b>
01.30 PM	Registration	
02.15 – 02.30 PM	World Diabetes Day	<b>Prof. Dr. S. Geethalakshmi, MD., PhD</b> Vice-Chancellor, TNMGRMU, Chennai
02.30 – 03.15 PM	Eye complications in Diabetes	<b>Dr.Mohan Rajan MS., DO.,DNB(Ophthol)</b> Rajan Eye Hospital, Chennai
03.15 – 04.00 PM	How to lead a desired life despite diabetes?	<b>Dr. A. Shanmugham MD., Dip Diab</b> Professor of Diabetology Stanley Medical College and Hospital, Chennai
04.00 – 04.45 PM	Nutrition in Diabetes	<b>Dr. G. Sivaraman BSMS., Ph.D</b> The Managing Director & Chief Siddha Physician of the Arogya Healthcare, Chennai
04.45 – 05.00 PM	Discussion	
	Vote of Thanks	<b>Dr.G. Srinivas MD.,</b> Professor, Dept of Epidemiology, TNMGRMU

The program is open for all. [Registration is free.](#)

Prior free registration is to be done by contacting Dept. of Epidemiology @ 7904364568 / 9445936151.