

**: Programme :**

**Registration & Breakfast**

8.00 to 9.00 am

**Inauguration session**

9.00 to 10.30 am

**Technical session**

10.30 to 2.00 pm

**Lunch**

2.00 pm onwards

You are cordially invited to Seminar on "One Health", organized jointly by Gujarat Veterinary Association, Department of Animal Husbandry, Gujarat State & Gujarat Veterinary Council on 18<sup>th</sup> Jan. 2015.

**Medical College Auditorium,  
Civil Hospital, Gandhinagar**

**Smt. Anandiben Patel,  
Hon'ble Chief Minister,  
Gujarat State**

will preside over and inaugurate  
the function

**: Chief Guest :**

**Shri Babubhai B. Bokhariya**  
Hon'ble Minister-Water Resources  
(excluding Kalpasar),  
Agriculture, Co-operation,  
Animal Husbandry, Fisheries, Cow Breeding  
Govt. of Gujarat

**Shri Mohanbhai Kundariya**  
Hon'ble Minister of State for Agriculture,  
Govt. of India

**Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Balyan**  
Hon'ble Minister of State for Agriculture,  
Govt. of India

**Shri Parshottambhai O. Solanki**  
Hon'ble Minister of State for  
Animal Husbandry, Govt. of Gujarat

**: Guest of honour :**

**Dr. Umesh Chandra Sharma**  
President, Veterinary Council of India



**One Health**  
i n i t i a t i v e



**“Nowhere is remote and no one is disconnected”**



The **One Health** concept is a worldwide strategy for expanding interdisciplinary collaborations and communications in all aspects of health care for humans, animals and the environment. The synergism achieved will advance health care for the 21<sup>st</sup> century and beyond by accelerating biomedical research discoveries, enhancing public health efficacy, expeditiously expanding the scientific knowledge base, and improving medical education and clinical care. When properly implemented, it will help protect and save untold millions of lives in our present and future generations.



**Vision Statement:**

One Health (formerly called One Medicine) is dedicated to improving the lives of all species—human and animal—through the integration of human medicine, veterinary medicine and environmental science.

**One Health shall be achieved through:**

1. Joint educational efforts between human medical, veterinary medical schools, and schools of public health and the environment;
2. Joint communication efforts in journals, at conferences, and via allied health networks;
3. Joint efforts in clinical care through the assessment, treatment and prevention of cross-species disease transmission;
4. Joint cross-species disease surveillance and control efforts in public health;
5. Joint efforts in better understanding of cross-species disease transmission through comparative medicine and environmental research;
6. Joint efforts in the development and evaluation of new diagnostic methods, medicines and vaccines for the prevention and control of diseases across species and;
7. Joint efforts to inform and educate political leaders and the public sector through accurate media publications.



Veterinarian Joann Lindenmayer,  
DVM, MPH.,  
American Veterinary Medical Association,  
Biography, One Health Commission  
Board of Directors Chair.

*"Future generations will judge us by how well we – physicians, public health professionals, veterinarians, other health professionals and social science experts – took a One Health approach to solving critical global issues such as climate change and the increase in antimicrobial resistance. Only by doing so now can we hope to protect and ensure the interdependent health of ecosystems and the people, animals and plants that live in them."*



Physician Albert J. Osbahr, III, MD,  
American Medical Association,  
Biography One Health Commission  
Board of Directors Past Chair

*"After witnessing the successive waves of different infections facing our country and our world, a common theme emerges from the MERS Co-V, Salmonella, Enterovirus, Flu, MRSA to, of course, Ebola; we as humans are not alone. What we do with our environment and handling of our animals across the world does somehow affect 'me'. We are clearly seeing, with outbreaks and epidemics, the overall effects of man's interaction with the world from our management of resources to cultural activities in our communities to our general infection control responses."*

# Invitation



Technical Seminar  
on

**18.01.2015**

at

Medical College Auditorium,  
Civil Hospital, Gandhinagar

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Dept. of Animal Husbandry, Gujarat State



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