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Subject: Inviting applications for 2 day workshop on “Efficient Data Capture using mobile phone (EpiCollect)” at GMERS Medical College, Gotri, Vadodara on 22nd-23rd February 2018

Research is one of the important pillars of our subject. Data collection is the most important component of any research study. We all know that traditionally, data capture involves two steps. In the first step, data is collected in paper-based data collection forms - either directly from the study participants (primary data) or extracted from registers or treatment cards (secondary data). Second step involves entry of this paper-based data into an electronic format. In the first step, there could be data collection errors and in the second step, there could be data entry errors.

Electronic data capture using mobile hand held devices (tablets or smartphones) combines both data collection and data entry into a single step. So, **Community Medicine Dept, GMERS Medical College, Gotri Vadodara** is taking an initiative to conduct a two day workshop on “Efficient Data Capture using Mobile Phone (Epicollect)” in collaboration with IAPSM-GC on **22nd - 23rd February 2018**.

We are also sharing the workshop flyer which contains all relevant details of the workshop. We request you to share the brochure with potential participants in your department/organization who can benefit from this workshop.

Thanking you in anticipation,

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