

PROF. (DR.) OM PRAKASH SINGH

Consultant - Psychiatry Specialist

Qualification

MBBS | MD (Psychiatry) | FRCP (Edinburgh) | International Distinguished Fellow (APA) | Fellowship of the Indian Psychiatric Society

Overview

Professor (Dr.) Om Prakash Singh is an expert psychiatrist with an excellent career spanning over 30 years in Kolkata, currently serving in the Department of Psychiatry at Manipal Hospitals, Mukundapur. His career started with an MBBS degree from Burdwan Medical College, West Bengal, followed by an MD in Psychiatry from Lady Harding Medical College, New Delhi. For his excellence in the field, he has been awarded the Fellowship of the Royal College of Physicians (FRCP), Edinburgh, and the title of International Distinguished Fellow by the American Psychiatric Association (APA), solidifying himself as an expert in psychiatric care. He is a leading Psychiatrist in Kolkata. Dr. Singh has garnered immense respect for his holistic approach to diagnosing and treating a diverse range of psychiatric disorders affecting patients of all ages. His areas of specialisation encompass Adult Psychiatry, Deaddiction Psychiatry, Geriatric Psychiatry, and Women's Mental Health, reflecting his broad-ranging proficiency and commitment to comprehensive mental healthcare. Numerous accomplishments also mark Dr. Singh's illustrious career. He has been in leadership roles at various prestigious associations, where he has significantly shaped the landscape of mental health research and advocacy in India. He has also actively promoted professional development and best practices in Psychiatry. Beyond his editorial and organisational roles, Dr. Singh is a prolific author with over 120 publications in national and international journals, as well as two authored books. He is also known for his contributions to several book chapters. His dedication to advancing psychiatric knowledge and improving patient outcomes is evident through his continuous participation in conferences and workshops globally. Dr. Singh's commitment to specialising in mental health has raised awareness and contributed to enhancements in mental health services within the community. Fluent in Bengali, Hindi, and English, he ensures effective communication and patient-centric care, embodying a steadfast belief in delivering the highest quality medical services. Prof (Dr.) Om Prakash Singh remains a trusted and compassionate healer, known for treating various complex cases with empathy and excellence.

Fellowship & Membership

- International Distinguished Fellow, American Psychiatric Association (APA)
- Fellowship of the Indian Psychiatric Society
- Fellow of the Royal College of Physicians (FRCP), Edinburgh
- Member of the Indian Psychiatric Society (IPS)
- Member of the Indian Association of Private Psychiatry (IAPP)
- Member of the Indian Association for Geriatric Mental Health (IAGMH)
- Member of the Indian Medical Association (IMA)
- Ex-President of the Psycho Dermatology Association of India

Field of Expertise

- Expertise in Adult Psychiatry, managing a wide range of psychiatric disorders with a personalised and multidisciplinary approach.
- Specialises in De-addiction Psychiatry, offering evidence-based treatment and rehabilitation for substance use and addiction disorders.
- Proficient in Geriatric Psychiatry, addressing complex mental health needs of the elderly, including dementia, depression, and age-related cognitive issues.
- Skilled in Women's Mental Health, focusing on gender-specific psychiatric concerns such as postpartum depression and menopausal mental health issues.
- Demonstrates leadership in Advocacy Psychiatry, promoting awareness, enhancing access to mental health care, and contributing to research and policy development.

Languages Spoken

- Bengali
- Hindi
- English

Awards & Achievements

- Immediate Past Editor-in-Chief, Indian Journal of Psychiatry (IJP)
- President, Indian Association of Private Psychiatry (IAPP), West Bengal Branch
- Past President, Indian Psychiatric Society (IPS), East Zone
- Recipient of Multiple Awards for Contributions to Psychiatry and Mental Health

Talks & Publications

- Authored over 120 publications in National and International Journals.
- Written 2 books and contributed to multiple book chapters.