



# Seminar on Impact of FFC and Restructuring of Centrally Sponsored Schemes of Centre and States on Health Expenditure

NIPFP, New Delhi  
Conference Room, Ground Floor, R & T Building

October 18, 2016

- 10.15 – 10.45 Welcome Tea and Registration
- 10:45 – 11:00 Opening Session: *Ila Patnaik*, NIPFP
- 11:00 – 11:40 **The impact of recent developments in inter-governmental fiscal relations on public spending in India**  
*Ananya Kotia & Sahana Roy Choudhury*, NIPFP  
Discussant: *Yamini Aiyar*, Accountability Initiative
- 11:40 – 12:20 **Impact of the Recommendations of the Fourteenth Finance Commission: Transfers and Social Sector Expenditures**  
*Mita Choudhury*, NIPFP  
Discussant: *Alok Kumar*, NITI Aayog
- 12:20 – 13:00 **Power to States: New pathways to Inter-governmental fiscal transfers for health**  
*Yamini Aiyar*, Accountability Initiative  
Discussant: *Manish Gupta*, NIPFP
- 13:00 – 14:00 Lunch  
Dining Hall, Ground Floor
- 14:00 – 14:40 **Impact of the 14th Finance Commission and CSS Sharing Pattern on Health Expenditures**  
*Frederico Gil Sander & Saurabh Shome*, World Bank  
Discussant: *Shruti Tripathi*, NIPFP
- 14:40 – 15.20 **How much do the Governments spend on healthcare? Infirmities in public expenditure data**  
*M Govinda Rao*, Member-Fourteenth Finance Commission  
Discussant: *Ajay Shah*, NIPFP
- 15:20 – 16:30 PANEL DISCUSSION: ROLE OF CENTRE AND STATES IN HEALTH EXPENDITURE  
Chairman: *Rathin Roy*, NIPFP
- Panel**  
*M. Govinda Rao*, Member-Fourteenth Finance Commission  
*Alok Kumar*, NITI Aayog  
*Pinaki Chakroborty*, NIPFP  
*Ajay Shah*, NIPFP
- 16:30 – 16:45 **Summing up**  
*K P Krishnan*, Department of Land Resources