

## **Association with Professional and Expert Bodies** **(Dr. B. M. Gandhi)**

Member	Scientific Advisory Committee, SHARE-India, MediCiti Institute of Medical Sciences and MediCiti Hospitals, Hyderabad
Consultant (Biotech)	Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industries, New Delhi
Adviser	PSG Centre of Excellence for Drug Discovery Sciences, PSG Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Coimbatore
Consultant	Department of Biotechnology, National Institute of Immunology for establishment of Centre for Translational Research and UNESCO Centre for Education and Training in India
Director	Board of Directors of the Biotech Consortium India Limited, New Delhi
Director	EmProCell Clinical Research Private Limited, Mumbai
Adviser	Lok-Beta Pharmaceuticals (I) PVT. LTD., Mumbai
Technical	Market Study and Demand Assessment of Biotech SEZs in Goa by TATA Consultancy Services.
Member	Patent Screening Committee, Department of Biotechnology
Member	Indo-US Collaboration on Vaccine Action Programme
Member	Indo-US Collaboration on Contraceptive and Reproductive Health Research
Member	Indo-US Collaboration in Agricultural Biotechnology
Member	Indo-US Collaboration on Maternal and Child Health and Human Development Research, coordinated by Indian Council of Medical Research (D.O.No.6317/SBT/2003)
Member	Expert Recombinant Drug Advisory Panel Constituted for evaluation of r-DNA derived therapeutical product (Drugs and Pharmaceuticals) by Directorate General of Health Services (No.4-27/2001-DC)
Member	Committee of ICMR to prepare knowledge network for biological disasters for use High Powered Committee for Disaster Management Plans constituted by the Ministry of Agriculture

- Member: National Committee on Research in Human Reproduction under the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Department of Family Welfare, Government of India.
- Member International Scientific Programme Committee of the International Conference on Adolescent Reproductive Health: Evidence and Programme Implications for South Asia, November 1-4, 2000, Mumbai
- Member Small Group on Strategic Export Controls of the Ministry of External Affairs, Disarmament and International Security Affairs Division to implement decisions of the Committee of Secretaries - Core Group on Security
- Member Inter-Ministerial Working Group for export of Special Chemicals, Organisms, Materials, Equipment and Technologies (SCOMAT), Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Department of Commerce, Directorate General of Foreign Trade
- Member Alternate Member for the Crisis Management Group on Biological Disasters of the Directorate General of Health Services, Nirman Bhavan
- Member Research Council of the National Environmental and Engineering Research Institute, Nagpur.
- Member Research Council of the Central Drugs Research Institute, Lucknow
- Member Selection Committee for DBT Travel Support/Financial Support for Attending International Conferences/ Seminars/ Symposium/ Workshops/ Training Course/ Short Term Course
- Member Working Group of the Planning Commission on "Health Systems Research and Biomedical Research and Development" for the 9<sup>th</sup> Plan Coordinated by Indian Council of Medical Research, New Delhi
- Member Institute Biosafety Committee of AIIMS, New Delhi
- Member Institute Biosafety Committee of ICGEB, New Delhi
- Member Institute Biosafety Committee of KMC, Mangalore
- Member National Screening Committee of USIF-DST
- Member Committee of Ministry of Environment & Forests on Controlling and Supervising Experiments on Animals.

Member	Indo-Israel Joint Committee on Science & Technology
Member	National Committee for S&T for collaboration with Israel
Member	National Coordination Committee of ILTPOC in S&T between India and Russia
Member	Indo-Bangladesh National Committee on Science and technology
Member	Indo-Malaysia Joint Committee on Science and Technology
Member	Indo-Indonesia joint Committee on science and Technology
Member	Indo-Vietnam joint Committee on Science and Technology
Member	SAARC Technical Committee on Science and Technology
Member	Planning Committee for the Science and Engineering Research Council (SERC) School in Immunology of the Department of Science and Technology (1991)
Member	Alternate Member of the Research Council of the Indian Institute of Chemical Biology (IICB) Calcutta
Member	Joint Working Group of the Indo-FRG Cooperation in Science and Technology
Member	India-Japan Joint Committee on Science and Technology Cooperation held at New Delhi from December 2-3, 1999
Member	Indo-Polish Sub-committee on Science and Technology
Member	Inter-Agency Committee on Management of R&D funding
Member	Expert Committee at CDRI, Lucknow to evolve standard norms/guidelines for the use of animals in scientific research.
Member	National Committee on Research in Human Reproduction, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.
Member	Core Group on Kala Azar Control Programme in Bihar
Coordinator	Joint Indo-US Programme on Contraceptive and Reproductive Health Research Initiatives
Coordinator	Standing Advisory Committee (Overseas) of the Department of

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- Coordinator International Projects Approval Committee of the Department of Biotechnology
- Coordinator Interactions of the International Centre of Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, New Delhi Component with Government of India. Liaison Officer for India
- Chairman Committee to reorganize the structure of research activities in biotechnology of Haryana Agricultural University, Hissar and to set up a separate Centre for Biotechnology
- Member DBT-ICMR Committee for development of National Guidelines for Stem Cell Research and Therapy in India
- Consultant (BT) Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industries, New Delhi
- Adviser Centre for Drug Development Sciences, PSG Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Coimbatore
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- Adviser J. Duncan Healthcare Pvt. Ltd., Mumbai
- Member Minimum Standards of Water: National Disaster Management Guidelines, National Disaster Management Authority, Government of India

Consultant Lonza India Private Limited, Bangalore

Adviser Romat Pharmaceuticals Pvt. Ltd., Kazakhstan

Adviser Saiseva Biotechnology (SSBT), Satara, Maharashtra; Company involved with processing and storage of Cord Blood Stem Cells.

Consultant SHARE-India , MediCiti Institute of Medical Sciences MediCiti Hospitals, Hyderabad

Member IDSA working group on Biological and Toxic Weapons Convention (BTWC)

Consultant JSS University, Mysore

Consultant International Stem Cell Services, Bangalore

Member Committee for formulating Technical Specifications for Multigas Detector (Chemical Agents Monitor) and Biological Agents Monitor), National Disaster Response Force (NDRF)

Expert Member Peer Review Committee for the DRDO on Biothreat Mitigation Technologies

Consultant Vels University, Chennai  
Advisory Board Advanced Genomics Institute and Laboratory Medicine (AGILE), New Delhi

Advisory Board LSW LifeScienceWorld, online magazine on Pharma & Biotech Industry World [www.lifescienceworld.in](http://www.lifescienceworld.in)

Collaborator, Organizing Committee Member: 6<sup>th</sup> World Congress on Biotechnology to be held at Hyderabad November, 30 to December 2, 2015, Biotechnology-2015