Zorgniotti Fund 2023 – Summary proposed project SASSM

SASSM School for General Practitioners: 03 months fellowship course.

Background:

SASSM School Bangladesh is operated by the founder members of SASSM and has started three days state of art teaching initiative since 2017 each year with generous help from ISSSM. Except for 2020, every year it has successfully trained 45-60 specialists each year and till now more than 300 specialists and postgraduate residents in urology, psychiatry, OB-GYN, endocrine and dermatology discipline, who are practicing sexual medicine and have a good review of the course. It has created an enthusiasm among the participants. Now the need has been created for a more comprehensive teaching initiative for General Physicians (GP)/Primary Care Physicians (PCP) who are practicing but has depth of knowledge in sexual function and dysfunction.

Aim of the course:

- 1. To establish a state of art teaching initiative for GP/PCP who are practicing independently at least for 5 years.
- 2. This fellowship will enhance the knowledge, skills and attitude of the participants so that they are more confident dealing with patients with sexual medicine.
- 3. Increase the membership of ISSM

Duration of the course: The course will be offered for three months on weekends (every Friday and Saturday) for three hours each day for the GPs/PCPs. The course will be designed by the experts who are already part of the SASSM School faculties from home and abroad. The topics will cover the bio-psycho-social aspects of sexuality. The selected topics will be

- 4. Sexual Anatomy and Physiology
- 5. Basic human sexual response cycle
- 6. Classification of sexual disorders
- 7. Male and female sexual disorders and treatment overview
- 8. Gender dysphoria and sexual offense, paraphilia
- 9. Psychiatric disorders and sexual disorder
- 10. Emergency in sexual medicine
- 11. Sex and heart
- 12. Medical and surgical management of sexual disorders
- 13. Psychological management of sexual disorders and Sex therapy
- 14. Other various topics related to sexuality
- 15. Recent advances in sexual medicine
- 16. Discussion in case vignette
- 17. Other issues related to sexuality

At the end of the course the participants will have a significant improvement in their knowledge and time to time the course materials will be reviewed based on pre-test and post-test and feedback form from the participants.