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Warm greetings to you, my Dear Colleague. It gives us great pleasure in inviting you to the mid-term CME of IPS- Western Zonal branch which will be held at Pune, Maharashtra on June 16th and 17th.

Pune, originally Poonawadi, has seen several historical developments, from the childhood of the founder of the Maratha Empire, Chattrapati Shivaji, to becoming the political centre of India during Peshwa rule, and Gandhiji's place of imprisonment, the Aga Khan palace. A visit to the city would be incomplete without seeing Vishram Baug wada, Shaniwarwada, Parvati, Sarasbag, Osho ashram and in these modern times, the German bakery. Over the decades, Pune has been crowned as 'Queen of the Deccan', 'Oxford of the East'. Today it is known for its historical landmarks and educational facilities.

Sinhgad Technical Education Society, with over 100 educational institutions in Pune and neighbouring cities is among the premier institutes offering quality education in various disciplines and Smt Kashibai Navale Medical College is one of them.

Department of Psychiatry at STES' Smt. Kashibai Navale Medical college and General hospital is proud to host this CME on the topic "Difficult to treat Psychiatric Patients". This conference will focus on clinical strategies to be used on failure of standard treatment options and in individuals with dual diagnosis or comorbid medical illness. The topics will be expounded upon by speakers, based on their clinical wisdom and years of experience in the field

We appeal to you to participate in large numbers and make the CME a grand success

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