

# IITGn to hold counselling sessions

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To explore the role of counselling services at educational institutes, Indian Institute of Technology, Gandhinagar (IITGn) has organised a workshop, 'Pahel – Ek Sharuat' bringing counsellors of various institutes across the country on one platform on Saturday and Sunday.

Counselling services at various institutes play a key role in helping students cope with emotionally demanding situations. The workshop has been organised with a view to systematically develop the role of counselling services at educational institutes and explore ways of reaching out to students more effectively.

The workshop will have several thought provoking sessions and discussions to develop practices for reaching out to students more effectively, helping first generation students, enabling a more positive campus culture while keeping pace with the changing times.

Professor Kabeer Jasuja, head – counselling services, IITGn said, "The workshop would provide a platform to the counsellors to share the practices they follow at their institutes, learn from each other, and brainstorm on challenges so as to find better ways to address them."

IIT-BHU, IIM Indore, FLAME University, Pune, PDPU among others will participate in the event.