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**5th NATIONAL BIOETHICS CONFERENCE - 2014**

**Dates:**

**December 11, 12 & 13, 2014**

###### Venue:

**St. John’s National Academy of Health Sciences,** **Bangalore**

**Theme:**

###### Integrity in health care practices and research

**Sub-themes:**

Integrity and upholding trust of patients in medical care

Ethical imperatives of integrity in public health practices and health system

Integrity in health care research (including misconducts-plagiarism, data fabrication/falsification, etc)

Conflict of Interest in health care practices and measures needed

**And on December 13, the international symposium on**

Corruption in health care and medicine

**Conference Hosts and Collaborators**

**St. John’s National Academy of Health Sciences**

**SOCHARA–Society for Community Health Awareness, Research and Action**

**Forum for Medical Ethics Society (FMES)**

**(International Symposium in collaboration with MEZIS – “No Free Lunch”, Germany)**

(More information on the conference will be made available in March 2014. Any query regarding the conference may be sent by email to: ijme.mumbai@gmail.com)