Dr. Soumya Swaminathan, Director General (DG), Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR), New Delhi, was at the National Institute of Mental Health and Neuro Sciences (NIMHANS) on 9th July 2016 to visit the Virtual Knowledge Network (VKN NIMHANS ECHO). This was her first visit to NIMHANS as DG. She was accompanied by Dr. Prasant Mathur, Director, National Centre for Diseases Informatics and Research (NCRP) and Dr. A. Nandakumar, Scientist from ICMR, Bengaluru. The Director / Vice Chancellor Prof. B.N. Gangadhar welcomed the DG, ICMR Dr. Soumya Swaminathan and also other delegates. Prof. S. K. Chaturvedi, Dean Behavioral Sciences, Prof. V. Ravi, Dean, Basic Sciences, Prof. Prabha Chandra, HOD, Psychiatry, Prof. Pratima Murthy and Prof. Vivek Benegal were present. Dr. PT Shivakumar, Dr Sivakumar T, Dr. Deepak J, Dr Suresh BM, Dr Naveen CK, Dr Manjunath and other colleagues also joined the live session and discussion.[**Click to see a brief report**](https://164.100.60.236/gallery/nimhans/DG%20ICMR%20NIMHANS%20visit%20FINAL%20REPORT.pdf) .