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Lecture by

Dr. Richard A. Cash

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Dealing with Epidemics: Interventions that are Attainable, Sustainable, and Acceptable

Date: 12th October 2022

Time: 5:30 PM to 6:30 PM

Venue: ONLINE

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Short Biography

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Program Schedule

Introduction to the speaker

**Dr. Richard A. Cash by Dr Mala Ramanathan,
AMCHSS**

5:30 PM – 5:35 PM

Lecture by Dr Richard A Cash

5:35 PM – 6:10 PM

**Comments from the Panelists and QA session
Dean, Prof. Ajit Kumar VK & Prof. Easwer H.V.**

6:10 PM – 6:25 PM

Vote of Thanks

6:25 PM – 6:30 PM

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