The Medical Anthropology Forum presents

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**Re-imagining Reproductive Health and Rights in India**

Drawing from her recent book “Fertility, Health and Reproductive Politics: Re-imagining Rights in India” (2019), Maya Unnithan will discuss ways in which indigenous ideas of the body and reproductive entitlement challenge biomedical understandings of reproductive health. Focusing on local aetiologies of infertility and illness causation within faith healing in Northwest India, enables a broader understanding of how sexual and reproductive well-being and reproductive rights are conceptualised in the region. Maya will explain how women’s experience of healing in the context of infertility presents an ontological challenge to the concept of reproductive health as we know it.

All are cordially invited!

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16:15–17:45

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