## CME CUM SENSITIZATIONPROGRAM ON "PHARMACOVIGILANCE ANDRATIONAL THERAPEUTICS"

A CME cum Sensitization Program on "Pharmacovigilance and Rational Therapeutics" was conducted on 15 November 2019, with the aim to bring in safe and rationaluse of Drugs for the benefit of patients. It was organised by the Department of Pharmacology in collaboration with NCC, PvPI, IPC, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt of India.

Onthis occasion "PHARMACOALERT", a monthly news letter to be published by the Department of Pharmacology, giving information about drug safety alert, New Drug marketed, Drug-drug interactions and list of banned drugs, was unveiled by the Chief guest, Director, Dr. RMLIMS, Dr. AK Tripathi in presence of the dignitaries and delegates.

The guest speaker Dr. RK Dixit, Professor, Department of Pharmacology, KGMU, Lucknow, delivered a guest lecture entitled on "Role of Pharmacovigilance in Rational Pharmaco therapeutics - A Key for Best Therapeutic Outcomes."

Dr. Atul Jain, Coordinator (PvPI) and Head of the Department of Pharmacology, Dr.RMLIMS informed that ourinstitute is a designated "Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring Centre (AMC)" and is actively reporting ADRs under the Pharmacovigilance Programme of India, to the National Coordination centre, IPC Ghaziabad.

A poster competition for the MBBS and nursing students was also organized for the event on: "Pharmacovigilance and Importance of Reporting ADRs". Total 35 teams were selected for the final round.

Winners of the Poster Competition for MBBS students:

1 <sup>st</sup> prize:	2nd Prize:	3rd Prize:	Consolation
Shalya Chauhan	Ariya Tripathi	Deepshikha Gautam	prize:
Shikha Rani	Shashwat Mishra	Devanshi Gupta	Vatsal Tiwari
Shruti Gupta	Kritika Singh	Anupriya Shakyawal	Shristhi Mall
Krantiveer Nagar	Swadha Singh	Maneesha Bharti	Anupama Verma
Neelesh Mishra	Vyom Garg	Mantasha Laurel	

Winners of the Poster Competition for nursing students:

1st Shahnila Bano 2nd Meenakshi Bajpai 3rd Supriya Maurya

Faculty, residents, students of Dr. RMLIMS and delegates from various Medical colleges and Nursing institutes attended the program.