

One-day Workshop on “**Good Pharmacy Practice (GPP) Training for Community/Retail Pharmacists**”

National Institute of Pharmaceutical Education and Research (NIPER), Guwahati conducted One-day Workshop on “**Good Pharmacy Practice (GPP) Training for Community/Retail Pharmacists**” at Sri Sankaradeva Nethralaya, Beltola Tiniali, Guwahati, Assam on 28th September 2019.



The workshop was supported by Department of Pharmaceuticals, Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers, Government of India, under **Pharmaceutical Promotion & Development Scheme (PPDS)** with an aim to providing information related various aspects of the Good Pharmacy Practice to all practicing pharmacists are obliged to ensure that the service they provide to every patient is of appropriate quality.



The workshop was inaugurated by lighting of the lamp. Dr.RK Talukdar, Principal, Gauhati Medical College was the Chief Guest for the function and Guest of Honour Dr.PJ Gogoi, Director, RDTL, & Regional Director (Northeast) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India. Other dignitaries present at the function include Dr.USN Murty, Director, NIPER-Guwahati, Prof. Pramil Tiwari, HOD, Department of Pharmacy Practice, NIPER-Mohali, Dr Vinay Kumar Gupta, Assistant Drug Controller(Varanasi), CDSCO, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India. Dr. HM Mohanto, Senior Drug Inspector (Jorhat). State drugs control administration, Department of health & family welfare, Govt. of Assam.



Dr.USN Murty, Director, NIPER-Guwahati addressing audience



Dr. RK Talukdar, Principal, Gauhati Medical College addressing the audience

The faculty from NIPER-Guwahati Dr.Ramu Adela is a convenor and Dr.Ratan J Lihite is a co convenor for this program. The lectures focused on different aspects of Good Pharmacy practice including Over view of Good Pharmacy Practice regulations, Pharmacist role in management of Drug-Drug interactions, Good sale practices. There was a panel discussion on application of Good Pharmacy Practice standards in pharmacy profession.



Professor. Pramil Tiwari, HOD, Department of Pharmacy Practice, NIPER-Mohali delivering a talk



Dr Vinay Kumar Gupta, Assistant Drug Controller (Varanasi), CDSCO, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India delivering a talk.



Dr. HM Mohanto, Senior Drug Inspector(Jorhat), State drugs control administration, Department of health & family welfare, Govt. of Assam. Delivering a talk.



Panel Discussion



Participants interacting with Panellists.

The workshop received immense response and about 105 participants consisting of registered pharmacists, community pharmacists and pharmacy practice students and faculty from nearby pharmacy colleges and NIPER-Guwahati.