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## From Principal Desk..

I welcome you all in this next edition of PHARMACOE, an annual e-bulletin of KDCA's Institute of Pharmacy, Ujalaiwadi, Kolhapur. During academic year 2024-25 we organized various activities in our institute. In this year too, we had organized Employability enhancement, personality development and expert lectures for our students which imparts various skills in them. We also celebrated various days, arranged sports activities and annual day function too. You will get all the information in this edition. I hope you will enjoy reading it. I am happy to say that all the management is supporting us and all the staff of our institute is working as a team and definitely we will find our institute on a new height. Thank you.

Prof. (Dr.) R. D. Hiremath

## From Editor's Desk..

I am very much happy to publish next edition of PHARMACOE. In this edition you will find all the activities conducted in our institute. In the month of December final year student organized welcome function for first year students. Training and placement cell our institute organized two Personality Development lectures. On 25th September we had celebrated World Pharmacist Day in our institute. We organized three entrepreneurship development lectures and three expert lectures in this year. Students of first and final year enjoyed and learned through various field visits. I appeal all the alumni to send their articles, artifacts, posters, pictures, poems etc. to publish in alumni section of Pharmacoe. Hope you will enjoy this edition. Please give feedback. Thanking you.

Prof. A. M. Belekar



# World Pharmacist Day was celebrated with plantation and Poster Presentation Competition in our Institute.

**Ujalaiwadi:** World Pharmacist Day was celebrated grandly on 25/09/2024 at the Institute of Pharmacy in presence of Dr. Neela Bhatia Madam, Professor & HOD, Bharati Vidyapeeth College of Pharmacy, Kolhapur. The program started with Dhanvantari puja. After this all the Staff members and students took pharmacist oath. Ms. Dhanashree Kamble gave oath to all. On this occasion tree plantation was also done by the auspicious hands of Dr. Neela Bhatia madam. Tree plantation activity was conducted through Panacea Green Club of the institute.

Poster presentation competition was also organized for the students as a part of celebration of World Pharmacist Day. Students prepared very innovative and informative posters on "Pharmacist: Meeting Global Health Needs". Dr. Neela Bhatia and Prof. Amit Belekar evaluated the posters thoroughly and interacted with students. Students explained their poster nicely and also defended the questions asked by the evaluators. Tejaswini Patil and Farhan Mulla got first prize, Samruddhi Todkar, Rutuja Patil and Anuja Patil got second prize; and Krushna Rakde, Vyankatesh Giri and Pratik Rajmane secured third place. Prof. Prashant Salian announced the results after the expert lecture of Dr. Neela Bhatia Madam.



Tree plantation by auspicious hands of Dr. Neela Bhatia Madam



Ms. Dhanashree Kamble giving Pharmacist Oath



Dr. Neela Bhatia guiding students



Dr. Neela Bhatia and Mr. Amit Belekar evaluating Posters



Dr. R. D. Hiremath felicitating Dr. Neela Bhatia Madam

## Book Reading Activity on Marathi Bhasha Din



## Pharmacist is needed in every aspect of drug for improving Global Health: Dr. Neela Bhatia

**Ujalaiwadi:** KDCA Institute of Pharmacy celebrated World Pharmacist Day on 25<sup>th</sup> Sep. 2024. As a part of this celebration, institute organized Industry Expert Lecture for the students at 11.30 am. Principal Dr. R. D. Hiremath welcomed Dr. Neela Bhatia, Professor and HOD, Bharati Vidyapeeth College of Pharmacy, Kolhapur and expressed that the program is organized to make aware students about role and need of pharmacist in global scenario of health. He briefed about the huge work done by Dr. Neela Bhatia madam in the profession of pharmacy. Dr. Neela Bhatia explained various roles of pharmacist as various stages like community, clinical, hospital and industry. She made students aware about need of pharmacist in every aspect of global health with some live examples. She told how knowledge of pharmacist will help to alleviate the suffering of people and to save life of patients. Prof. Prashant Salian, Prof. Pradip Rajmane, Prof. Roshni Kumbhar, Prof. Neha Kure nad students of final year were present. Prof. Shruti Kundale was the master of ceremony. Vote of Thanks was given by Training and placement officer Prof. A. M. Belekar.



# Pharmacovigilance awareness lectures were organized at KDCA's Institute of Pharmacy, Kolhapur

**Reporting of ADRs is important for safety of drugs: Mr. Atul Ahire**

**Pharmacist is the key link for reporting ADRs: Prof. A. M. Belek**

**Ujalaiwadi:** As a part of celebration of National Pharmacovigilance Week, KDCA Institute of Pharmacy in collaboration with Maharashtra State Pharmacy Council (MSPC), Drug Information Center (DIC) and Sarojini College of Pharmacy, Kolhapur organized Pharmacovigilance Awareness (Expert) Lectures for the students of both institutes on 21<sup>st</sup> September 2024 at Vasantaoji Mohite Seminar Hall of KDCA's Institute of Pharmacy. Principal Dr. R. D. Hiremath welcomed chief guest Mr. Vishal Nalawade (MSPC coordinator) and expressed that the program is organized to make students aware about the pharmacovigilance and its need in safety and efficacy of drugs. Principal Dr. Rajkumar Bagali welcomed guest of honor Mr. Sunil Alavekar (Director, KDCA) and Mr. Amit Tahasildar (President, Kolhapur City Chemists Association) and expressed that as a part of celebration of national pharmacovigilance week KDCA's Institute of Pharmacy and Sarojini College of Pharmacy jointly organized this event. He added that such joint ventures will also be organized in future too. Chief guest Mr. Vishal Nalawade enlightened upon the need of ADR reporting. He added that to make the pharmacist and budding pharmacist aware about ADR reporting for safe and efficacious use of drugs is the main aim of this program. In his online video MSPC president Mr. Atul Ahire explained about Pharmacovigilance program of India and about procedure of ADR reporting in details. He also added about the efforts taken by MSPC to train the pharmacists in this regard.



Inauguration of the program with lighting the lamp.



Mr. Atul Ahire guiding students online.



Dignitaries present on the dias.

Prof. A. M. Belek explained about ADRs, the importance of giving emphasis on ADRs and types of ADRs. He emphasized the severity of ADRs by providing information that yearly about 135 billion USD is the cost needed on treatment of ADRs. He explained various methods of ADR reporting and said that Pharmacist is the key link for ADR reporting as he is easily reachable to the customers or patients. Mr. Atul Patil, Mr. Satyajit Shinde, Prof. Neha Kure, Prof. Pratiksha Patil, Prof. Shelke madam, Prof. Mahadik madam, Prof. Mane madam was also present for the program. All the students of KDCA Institute of Pharmacy and Sarojini College of Pharmacy were enjoyed the program and cleared their doubts about ADR and Pharmacovigilance. Prof. Roshani Kumbhar was the master of ceremony. Vote of Thanks was given by Prof. P. D. Rajmane.



Glimpses from Blood Donation World Record on 75<sup>th</sup> Birthday of **Hon. Jagannathraoji Shinde (Appa).** Students participated in Blood donation Drive





**Ujalaiwadi:** KDCA Institute of Pharmacy celebrated Sanvidhan Gourav Mahostav on 24<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2025. As a part of this celebration, institute organized Expert Lecture for the students at 12.00 pm. Principal Dr. R. D. Hiremath welcomed Dr. Ashok Chousalkar who is a renowned personality in Rajyashastra and learned person of Constitution of India. He talked on Constitution of India. He expressed that Justice, Liberty, Equality, and Fraternity are the four pillars of Constitution of India. He explained each one with simple examples. He also mentioned that as we have rights there comes responsibilities automatically. Indian constitution mentions various fundamental and other duties or responsibilities to follow as an Indian. He reclaimed that everyone is talking about their rights but at the same time everyone is ignoring the responsibilities. As important as our rights are, so are our responsibilities. So he advised to the students to perform our duties in relation with our nation or constitution and constitution will protect your rights. Prof. Pradip Rajmane, Prof. Shruti Kundale, Prof. Neha Kure and students were present for the program. Prof. Roshni Kumbhar was the master of ceremony. Vote of Thanks was given by Training and placement officer Prof. A. M. Belekar.



Dr. R. D. Hiremath Felicitating Dr. Ashok Chousalkar.



Dr. Ashok Chousalkar guiding students online.

## Digital footprints remain for lifetime, use gadgets sensibly: Mr. Atish Mhetre



Dr. R. D. Hiremath felicitating Mr. Atish Mhetre



Mr. Atish Mhetre guiding students

**Ujalaiwadi:** The program on Cyber security for business safety was organised by Entrepreneurship Development Cell for the students of both institutes on 21<sup>st</sup> January 2025 at KDCA's Institute of Pharmacy. Principal Dr. R. D. Hiremath welcomed chief guest Mr. Atish Mhetre (PSI, Cyber cell, Kolhapur) and Mr. Sachin Bendkhele (Head Constable) and expressed that the program is organized to make students aware about the cautious use of digital platforms and to avoid loss by digital frauds. In the speech Mr. Mhetre, put focus on various types of cyber-crimes, target group, also shown various cyber fraud video clips to make it easier to understand. He also mentioned about latest Digital Arrest crimes happening with demo clips. He urged students to make use of gadgets very sensibly & carefully. He guided the students about various types of Cyber frauds. Prof. A. M. Belekar also expressed his views on cyber frauds and delivered votes of thanks. Prof. P. D. Rajmane, Prof. S. S. Kundale, Prof. R. P. Kumbhar, Prof. N. G. Kure and students from first and second year were present for the program.

## Positive attitude makes everything possible: Dr. Sachin Parab

**Ujalaiwadi:** On 14<sup>th</sup> Jan 2025 KDCA Institute of Pharmacy, Ujalaiwadi, organized a personality development lecture of the famous Counsellor, Hypnotherapist and Corporate trainer Dr. Sachin Parab. The lecture was organized on the topic of Positive Mental Attitude. Dr. Sachin Parab guided the students about difference between successful and unsuccessful peoples. He added that various successful personalities manifest what they want and every day they were imagine about their dreams. If you manifest anything you can achieve it but for that you should have positive mental mindset and positive attitude, he insisted. He elaborated various techniques of manifestation. He also stated that to make your mind positive, meditation is one of the important tools. He invoked students to start meditation and remain positive. Principal Dr. Ravindra Hiremath introduces and welcomed Dr. Sachin Parab and enlisted the objectives of the program. On this occasion, Prof. Amit Belekar, Prof. Pradip Rajmane, Prof. Shruti Kundle, Prof. Roshni Kumbhar, Prof. Neha Kure and all the students were present. Prof. Shruti Kundle was master of ceremony and Prof. Amit Belekar gave vote of thanks.



Dr. R. D. Hiremath felicitatin Dr. Sachin Parab



Dr. Sachin Parab guiding students



## Annual Day and Gathering Celebrated in Institute of Pharmacy

On the occasion of Annual Day celebration and Prize distribution ceremony Mr. Madan Patil, Chairman, KDCA and Institute of Pharmacy was the chief guest and Mr. Pralhad Khavare, Secretary, KDCA and Institute of Pharmacy was the president for the ceremony.

**United us will tackle the future challenges: Mr. Madan Patil**



Mr. Madan Patil guiding the students

Mr. Madan Patil congratulated all the winner students and praise them for the sporting spirit. On this occasion he narrated the current situation of pharmacy business especially about retail pharmacy shops. He explained that there is tremendous competition in the business. He added that LLP shops in retail are necessary in which friends can come together to start a business venture. It will reduce the initial individual investments and also divide the workload. By unity we can tackle the challenges and chemists' association is continuously working for the benefit of pharmacist and chemists.

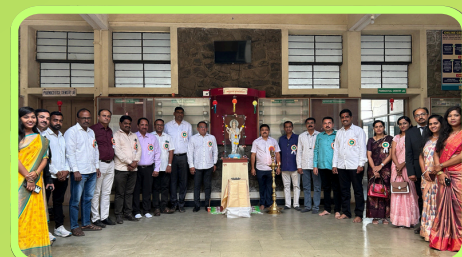
**Patience and hard work are the key elements to the success: Mr. Pralhad Khavare**



Mr. Pralhad Khavare guiding the students

In his presidential speech Mr. Pralhad Khavare congratulated all the winners and participants for their participation in various sports and cultural events. He mentioned that management is continuously supporting the institute to organized various activities. He also spoke about the current situation of pharma business. He guided students that patience and hard work are the keys to the success. To stand in the pharmacy for the whole day is not an easy task and this generation cannot stand for a whole day in pharmacy. He motivated students to become physically strong too to start a pharma business.

On this occasion Principal Dr. R. D. Hiremath welcomed Mr. Madan Patil and Mr. Pralhad Khavare. He also introduced about the program and chief guests. All office bearers and directors were present and welcomed by Teaching staff. Prizes were distributed by the auspicious hands of all office bearers and directors. Krushna Rakade and Tejaswini Patil were awarded as General Champion Male and Female respectively for their brilliance performance in annual sports. Pratik Rajmane and Minakshi Parit were awarded as Cultural Champion Male and Female respectively for their brilliance performance in cultural events. Krushna Rakade and Mahadev Dashrath were honoured by giving "Nisarg Mitra" Puraskar for efforts taken by them in plantation and nourishment of the plants at our campus. Farhan Mulla and Tejaswini Patil were honoured by Best Outgoing Student Male and Female respectively by considering their academic excellence and brilliance in co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. Prof. Amit Belekar was master of ceremony. Prof. Pradip Rajmane gave vote of thanks.





# Adolescents are facing various mental and psychiatric issues, need improvement in mental health: Dr. Kalindi Ranbhare



Felicitation of Dr. Kalindi Ranbhare



Dr. Kalindi Ranbhare guiding the students

**Ujalaiwadi:** On 08<sup>th</sup> March 2025 on the occasion of International Women Day, KDCA Institute of Pharmacy, Ujalaiwadi, organized a personality development lecture of the well-known Medical and Psychiatric Social Worker Dr. Kalindi Ranbhare. The lecture was organized on the topic of Mental Health. Dr. Kalindi madam informed that the adolescents in this z-generation are facing various problems related to their mental health and psychology. Proper guidance and counselling are needed to them. She added that technologies like mobile, TV etc. along with generation gap, communication gap are the reasons behind these problems. She guided the students that you have to give similar consideration to their mental health as that of their physical health. Reduction in the screen time, communication with friends and parents will also help to improve mental health. She added that if you are mentally fit, you will automatically become physically and socially fit. So don't ignore about mental health. Meditation helps to improve the mental health, she added. Principal Dr. Ravindra Hiremath introduces and welcomed Dr. Kalindi Ranbhare and enlisted the objectives of the program. On this occasion, Prof. Amit Belekar, Prof. Pradip Rajmane, Prof. Shruti Kundle, Prof. Roshni Kumbhar, Prof. Neha Kure and all the students were present. Prof. Roshni Kumbhar was master of ceremony and Prof. Amit Belekar gave vote of thanks.



**Indoor Sports**  
Inauguration with  
auspicious hands of  
**Mr. Dajiba Patil**  
Treasurer,  
KDCA Institute of  
Pharmacy



**Outdoor Sports**  
Inauguration with  
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**Dr. R. D. Hiremath**  
Principal,  
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## Various Field Visits were arranged for the students of Institute of Pharmacy

As a part of curriculum, field visits for various subjects are introduced in ER-2020 syllabus. These field visits are introduced to provide real-world experience to the students. It helps them to realize that what they learned in the classroom can be implemented to solve the problems in the world. Institute organized following field visits to the students.

### Pharmaceutical Industry



As a part of the curriculum Industrial visit was organized for first year students at S. G. Phytopharma Pvt. Ltd., B-53/D-21, MIDC Gokul Shirgaon, Kolhapur 416237, Maharashtra, India. on 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2025 at 10.30 am. After visiting to primary health center at Ujalaiwadi, we approached to the S. G. Phytopharma Pvt. Ltd unit no 1 sharply at 10.30 am. After reaching, students were divided into two groups and the groups were allocated to two staffs. Both showed students the different sections of the industry. Students were explained about manufacturing of ayurvedic churn, khalvarasayan, purification of mercury, treatment of various ayurvedic medicines from raw material to powdering and storage. Students understood the process of manufacturing intermediate products along with equipment required for each step of manufacturing process like double cone blender, mixers, khalva, capsule filling machine, blister packing machine etc. Students also understood warehouse management, drying process of various Bhasma, labeling of ingredients etc. In unit no. 2, quality control, capsule and liquid dosage form manufacturing facilities are available. In quality control department students understood various quality control equipment like UV spectrophotometer, friability tester, hardness tester, dissolution test apparatus, disintegration taste apparatus, HPLC etc. The water treatment plant and Air Handling Unit (AHU) were also shown and explained to the students. Students understood that treatment of water and purification and conditioning of air is the important aspect of a pharmaceutical industry. After the visit we approached for further visit to the Water treatment plant at Kaneriwadi.

**Mr. A. M. Belekar**

As a part of the curriculum Public Healthcare center, Ujalaiwadi, Kolhapur visit was organized for first year students at on 25<sup>th</sup> February 2025. We approached to the Public Healthcare center, Ujalaiwadi sharply at 09.30 am. After reaching, students were divided groups and are subjected to get information about the healthcare center. Soniya Koli ma'am at PHC Ujalaiwadi gave the information about the Healthcare center. Students were explained about healthcare services, Immunization schedules for the infants and health Parameters of mother and child during pregnancy and post-partum period. Students got to know and understand about determinants of health and interrelated aspects of physical and social health and wellbeing. Also, they understood about Services delivered by primary healthcare centers.

**Ms. Shruti. S. Kundale**

### Primary Healthcare Center



### Water Treatment Plant



As a part of the curriculum water treatment plant, kaneriwadi visit was organized for first year students at on 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2025. We approached to the water treatment plant, kaneriwadi sharply at 02.00 pm. After reaching, students were subjected to get information about the water treatment plant. Sandeep Gargote sir at Water Treatment Plant Kaneriwadi provided all the information about the water treatment plant. Students were explained about working of large-scale water treatment plant, equipment and chemicals used in water purification and Quality control parameters of water purification. After the visit we approached further to the Elderly Care Home visit at Shahu naka, Kolhapur.

**Ms. Shruti. S. Kundale**

As a part of the curriculum Elderly care home, Shahu naka Kolhapur visit was organized for first year students at on 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2025. We approached to the Elderly care home, sharply at 04.00 pm. After reaching, students were subjected to get information about the Elderly care home. Akshay Patil sir at Elderly care home, provided all the information about the Elderly care home such as their Care Assistant who provides direct personal care to residents with daily living activities, Meal preparation and assistance, Medication management, Monitoring health status. Students were explained about care settings for older adults, physical changes that occur during older adulthood and understood the specific healthcare needs of elderly residents

**Ms. Shruti. S. Kundale**

### Elderly Care Home



### Pharmacognosy Garden



As a part of curriculum Pharmacognosy Field Visit was organized for first year students at Dajipur Wildlife Sanctuary, Western Ghat, Radhanagari on 21st February, 2025. We reached Dajipur at 10:00 am. After reaching, students were divided two groups. Each group was allocated to one staff. Mr. Shahaji Kurane (MSC Botany, MD alternative medicine, Medicinal plant expert) and Mr. Raju Patil (Journalist) explained various medicinal plants common names, botanical names, uses and therapeutic activities. They gave information about more than 30 plants. It mainly includes cluster fig, Parthenium hysterophorus, Shankpushpi, Oesophagus, Morvel, Meshshrungi, Ziziphus rogoza etc. Student were explained about plant species. Student understand the proper method of managing plant species, cultivation techniques, maintenance of medicinal plant, collect the medicinal plants and their pharmacognostic importance etc.

**Ms. R. P. Kumbhar**



## Hospital Visit



As a part of the curriculum of Hospital and Clinical Pharmacy, Athayu Multispecialty Hospital, Ujalaiwadi, Kolhapur visit was organized for final year students on 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb. 2025. We reached the Hospital, Ujalaiwadi at 10.00 am. Afterwards students were subjected to get information about all departments of Hospital. Mrs. Revati Mane madam provided the information about working of each department. Students were explained about the procedures of hospital working and layout of each department. After Athayu Multispecialty hospital visit we approached to the Sunny LLP, Kolhapur.

**Ms. N. G. Kure**

## LLP Visit

As a part of the curriculum of Community Pharmacy and Management, Sunny LLP and Balaji LLP, Kolhapur visits were organized for final year students on 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb. We reached Sunny LLP, Kolhapur at 2.00 pm. Mr. Raj Shete sir informed students about the organization and management of Sunny LLP. Then we reached Balaji LLP, Kolhapur at 3.00 pm. Mr. Rajendra Kore sir explained the students about working of Balaji LLP. After the visit to both LLP's students understand the working of LLP, business related activities, transportation of drugs, storage area, purchase department and expiry department.

**Ms. N. G. Kure**



## Glimpses from the Gathering and Days Activities



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