## **Asthma Day celebrated at PU**

As part of the World Asthma Day, the department of Biochemistry, Panjab University had invited Prof. D. Behera, PGIMER, Chandigarh to deliver a talk. Prof. Behera highlighted the prevalence and causes of this disease which one has to live with. He emphasised that awareness in form of such activities as being carried out by Prof. Archana Bhatnagar, Department of Biochemistry, are very much needed. Prof. Bhatnagar informed that the research scholars of the department have performed a street play for school children and which will be enacted on May 3rd at Student Center of Panjab university at 1 pm. Prof. Behera also gave an important message that young people should not hide the fact that they are suffering from Asthma. This stigma should be removed as it is an allergy which can be managed with various methods as prescribed by the physician.

