

World Asthma Day

Department of Biochemistry
Panjab University, Chandigarh

Celebrating
‘World Asthma Day’
Swachh Bharat, Swasth Bharat

EVENTS

DAY 1 : 1st May 2018
Street Play at G.S.S.S.
Khuda Lahora

DAY 2 : 2nd May 2018
Talk by Prof. D. Behera
(PGIMER) in
Deptt. of Bio-Chemistry,
(PU)

DAY 3 : 3rd May 2018
Street Play in
PU Campus

Better to puff than to snuff

GENETIC, ALCOHOL, POLLUTION, DUST, PERFUME AND COSMETICS, INFECTION, CIGARETTE

UNIQUE OVERSEAS
TRAVELING ALL TYPES OF TOURS SERVICES

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HEALTH CLUB

DAY 1: 1st May, 2018

Students (Research scholars, UG and PG students) of the department prepared a street play to depict important issues related to Asthma. The team went to Government Senior secondary School, Khuda Lahora to enact this street play for sensitizing children about the causes of Asthma (as part of the initiative “STEP UP and LEAD”). The students and teachers were told about disease causes, triggers, management and how they can help fellow students, who are suffering from the disease.

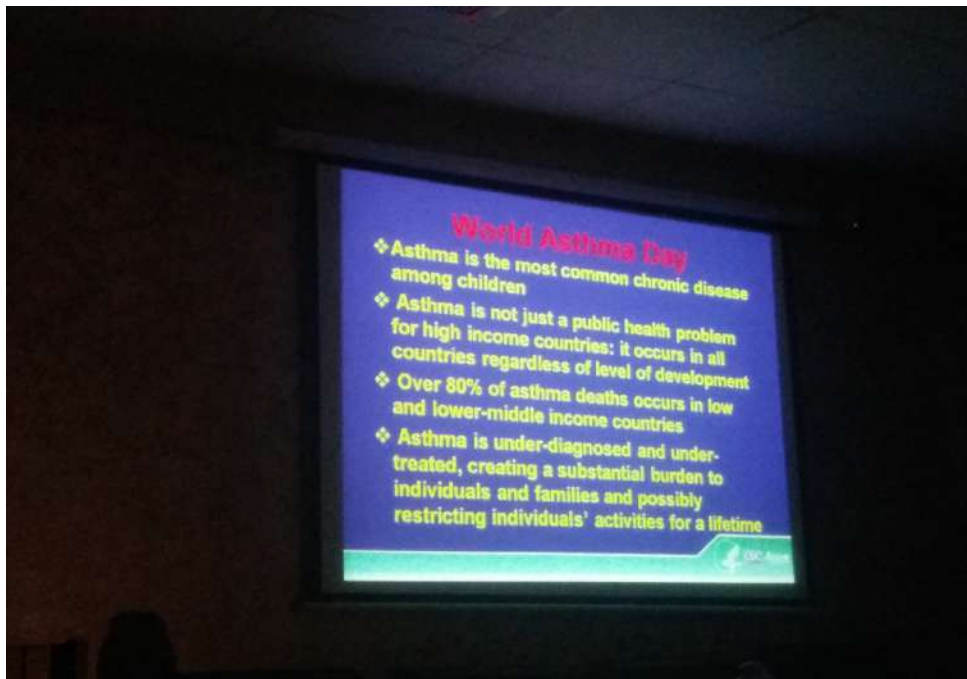


The play was followed by a quiz. The students participated enthusiastically and were able to answer all the questions asked to them.



DAY 2: 2nd May, 2018

On the second day, the department was privileged to have Prof. D. Behera, a renowned pulmonologist to be a part of Asthma awareness program (An activity of Swachh Bharat Abhiyan). He spoke about the increasing prevalence of the disease and its burden on different countries especially with respect to India. The genetic, environmental and occupational risk factors of the disease were discussed. He also described the pathology of asthma and how it can be managed. He lauded the efforts of the department in terms of bringing about awareness of a prevalent disease. He stated that such activities help in bringing about awareness, removing the stigma and encouraging the patients to seek appropriate medical advice.





DAY 3: 3rd May, 2018

The 3rd day was marked by performance of the street play at the Student Centre of Panjab University. The play was performed with great zeal and enlightened the students about the cause and management of asthma.



