

1. Seminar on Palliative Care Sensitization: Bridging Compassion with Knowledge 8.03.2024

General

A seminar was organized by Banarsidas Chandiwala Institute of Physiotherapy in association with the DNipcare (Delhites' National Initiative in Palliative Care) on palliative care sensitization on 8 March 2024 in the BCIP auditorium.

Objective

The primary objective of organizing this seminar was to spread awareness among the students and healthcare professionals about palliative care and its crucial role both in the healthcare sector and the medical profession. To educate about the palliative care principles and how it works and dispel myths about it.

Date of event: 8th March 2024

Venue of event: BCIP AUDITORIUM

Total students who attended the seminar: All BPT and MPT Students

Total faculty members who attended the program: All Faculty members(BCIP)

Content of the seminar:

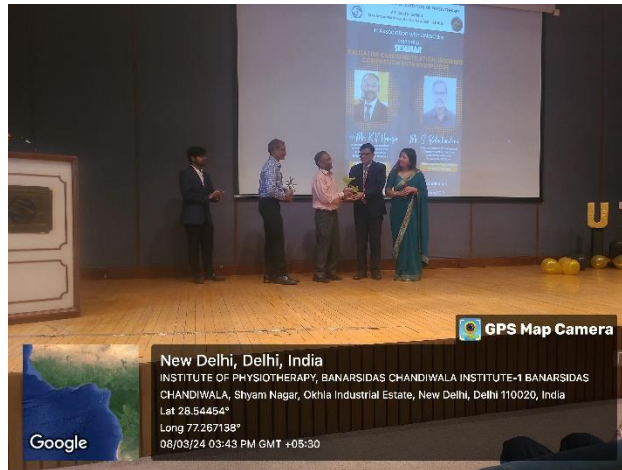
The primary objective was to educate the students and healthcare professionals about what palliative care is all about and all the aspects related to it. In this seminar, our two guest speakers Mr. K. V. Hamza who is a retired senior accounts officer at the Ministry of Finance, govt of India, and the general secretary and a volunteer at DNipcare interacted with our students and explained to them about palliative care and its need in the society and Mr. S Balachandran who is a former Indian air force personnel and currently working as a senior physiotherapist at VMMC and Safdarjung hospital and also a volunteer at DNipcare explained the physiotherapy students about the role of physiotherapy in palliative care. Both speakers explained how palliative care is not all about treating the patient's pain but about educating the people in the community to prevent them from serious diseases in the future and save a life. Further, they have also explained to the students that palliative care is not only for the patients but can also be given to the caregiver and the family members of the patients. Students found the seminar very helpful and were motivated to work as volunteers in the palliative care field. We look forward to organizing more such seminars in the future.



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