National Pharmacovigilance Week

(September 17th - 23rdSeptember, 2021)

National Pharmacovigilance Week was celebrated for the first time at AIIMS Bathinda by the department of Pharmacology in between September 17th - 23rdSeptember, 2021, since it has been approved as a recognized AMC centre by NCC-PvPI, Government of India.

The essence of this programme was to impart awareness about the Pharmacovigilance Programme of India and around the world.

The main topics covered were:

- 1. What is Pharmacovigilance program of India
- 2. Role of Pharmacovigilance in health care and its importance
- 3. Department of Pharmacology, AIIMS Bathinda working as AMC centre.
- 4. Writing and reporting of ADRs
- 5. Who can report.
- 6. Role of Health care workers in ADR Reporting.

The purpose of this event was impart the important of pharmacovigilance and reporting of adverse drug reactions to the students, nursing officers, other hospital staff of AIIMS Bathinda.

At the same time, nursing officers understood what is the role of reporting in saving someone life and students learned their role as a health care workers and their responsibility in making medical system better and in the favour of the country and patients.