

# Indian Pharmaceutical Association

## WORLD PHARMACIST DAY (WPD) – 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2015

### Theme: “Pharmacist: Your Partner in Health”

## Results of WPD Competition 2015 for Practicing Pharmacists

IPA had organized a “Case Study Competition” on occasion of the WPD and it got an excellent response from community and hospital/clinical pharmacists.

Each case showed the proactive and caring approach of the pharmacist and the intervention made the positive difference in the life of a patient indicating how true the WPD theme “Pharmacist: Your Partner in Health” is. Congratulations to each and every pharmacist for the participation and it was a tough job for the Judges to select few entries as winners. The cases were judged based on the type of intervention, its impact on patient’s life, skill and proactiveness of pharmacist, correctness of intervention and presentation of the case. We received more than 45 cases from Community, Hospital and Clinical Pharmacists.

### Following are the winners of the Competition

1. Mr Khojendra Makade, Community Pharmacist, Makade Medical, Nagpur
2. Dr Dhanya Dharman, Clinical Pharmacist, DM Aster Med City, Cheranalloor, Cochin
3. Mr Mahadev Patel, Community Pharmacist, Patel Medical, Mulund
4. Mr Karthik Rakam, Intern Clinical Pharmacist, Apollo Hospital, Hyderabad
5. Dr Vinay Pawar, Clinical Pharmacist, Dr L H Hiranandani Hospital, Mumbai

**All participants will soon receive a participation e-certificate and winners will receive an e-certificate and cash award. One winner entry will be published each time in eTimes starting with this issue.**

We thank the judges Dr. Seeba Zachariah, Assoc. Professor, Raghavendra Institute of Pharmaceutical Education & Research, Anantapuram, AP; Mr Santosh Ghodinde, Community Pharmacist, Dhanwantari Medical, Panvel, Maharashtra and Mr Raj Vaidya, Community Pharmacist, Hindu Pharmacy, Panaji, Goa for their valuable help in judging this competition.