We find great pleasure and proud in reporting about the programme organised on the eve of World Physiotherapy Day on 7th Sep 2019 at Ayush/PMR building of AIIMS Patna as a very successful event of Physiotherapy in spreading awareness about Chronic pain and increasing role of Physiotherapy. The Theme of this year’s World Physiotherapy day was “CHRONIC PAIN” given by World Confederation Of Physiotherapy (WCPT). The programme witnessed the grand presence of AIIMS Patna Administration, Honourable Director Dr Prabhat Kumar Singh, respected Dean Dr. Neeraj Aggrawal, respected Deputy Director and Mr Parimal Sinha, respected Medical superintendent Dr. C.M. Singh sir, HOD and Faculty members of various department of AIIMS Patna. They have blessed the occasion with their presence, kind words of appreciation to Physiotherapy and informative speech on Chronic pain and treatment. The Awareness programme is successful in its purpose to disseminate knowledge about Chronic pain and Physiotherapy management to about 165 people.

Dr.Bindey kumar, Dr.Prem kumar, Dr.Veena Singh, Dr. Prashant Kumar, Dr Yogesh Kumar, Dr.U.K.Badhani, Dr.Pradeep Kumar, Dr.Manoj Kumar, Dr.Ajeet Kumar, Dr.Sudeep Kumar, Dr.Swetalina Pradhan, Dr.Abhuday kumar, Dr V.K. Singh and many has blessed the occasion with their presence.

Senior Physiotherapist Reena Srivastava welcome all the dignitaries & participants, with Introduction of chronic pain, aetiology and role of physiotherapy. All The Physiotherapist of Aiims Patna, Vivek kumar Sinha, Rajesh Kumar Thakur, Paritosh kumar etc. participated in the programme. The programme started at 10:00 am, with the welcome of guest, Lamp lighting and Cake cutting to mark the day. The Exercise Booklet has been been distributed among patient which contain therapeutic exercises for pain of low back, neck, knee, Heel and Ergonomics and posture care strategies. In his speech Honourable Director Sir, Dr P.K. Singh welcome the gathering with his kind words and spoke about the importance of the Physiotherapy day and aware the public about the increasing scope of this stream and the facilities available at Physiotherapy Department of AIIMS Patna.

Next to him Respected Dean sir appreciated the work of Physiotherapist at AIIMS Patna and accepted the role of Physiotherapy in the multidisciplinary approach of treatment & Rehabilitation of patient in his speech. Respected Deputy Director sir, Mr Parimal Sinha Sir, shared his treatment experience at our department, and appreciated the dedicated efforts of Physiotherapist at Aiims Patna. Respected medical superintendent (MS), Dr. CM Singh sir interacted with patient in his talk and applauded Physiotherapy services with his kind words. On this occasion Prof/HOD Department of Anaesthesia Dr U.K. Bhadani, shared his own experience/anecdotes of treatment at Physiotherapy department and appreciated our work in providing Quick pain relief and active engagement of Physiotherapy services in treatment of
patient. Prof/ HOD Department of Paediatrics Dr Bindey also appreciated the work done under Physiotherapy department and applauded the Quality care provided at AIIMS Patna.

The Vote of thanks was presented by Senior Physiotherapist Reena Srivastava,

She thanked the Dignitaries, all the Respected guest and AIIMS Patna administration for success of this program. She thanked the patient for coming in large number, and all media persons for wide coverage of this programme. She thanked the CHS Services for maintaining cleanliness and Hospital attendant Anuj, Neetu and Praveen for working efficiently to successfully conduct this program.

The Awareness Programme included interactive session and suggestions from Specialist of AIIMS Patna, Asso. Professor Department of Orthopaedics Dr. Sudeep Kumar, Asso.Prof. Dr Ajeet Kumar from Department of Anaesthesia. They answered the queries of patient and provided suggestion to patient with chronic pain on further management.

We are very thankful for the help and co-operation of AIIMS Patna administration at all level for the successful conduct of this programme. We are particularly thankful to Dean office for facilitation of the conduct of this programme by timely releasing related orders. The Physiotherapy services at Aiims Patna is continuously involved in improving its service delivery to patient. We hope for getting similar help and co-operation in all our future endeavours.

We have attached the photographs and media coverage on the following day of Programme i.e. On 08-09-2019(Sunday).

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Media coverage on 7th September patient awareness programme at AIIMS Patna