

## **Report on World No Tobacco Day – 2016**

World No Tobacco Day is observed on 31st May all over the world every year to educate the public about the ill effects of Tobacco Use.

As a part of **World No Tobacco Day-2016** commemoration Rama university faculty of nursing organized an institutional level workshop on 31<sup>st</sup> may 2016 in the seminar hall, inside the college premises. The programme was organized by the Department of Community Health Nursing based on the theme “Get Ready for Plain Packaging”.

The programme started at 10:45 AM with invocation song by the B.Sc Nursing students followed by which Mrs. Jasmi, Asso.Prof, Rama College of Nursing delivered the welcome speech. Then the dignitaries lighted the inaugural lamp and Dr. Rushen Chahal, the Honorable vice chancellor of Rama University, delivered the chief guest address followed by which Dr. R.K.Srivastava, Director, Rama College of Nursing and Dr.P.C.Mahajan, HOD, Department of Preventive and Social Medicine addressed the gathering. Mrs.Sutha, Principal, Rama College of Nursing, delivered her special address and opened the theme for the day.

Around 200 students participated in the workshop and topics were presented by faculties from the department of Community Health Nursing including a special presentation from Dr. P.C.Mahajan, HOD, Department of preventive and social medicine, Rama medical college who presented a topic on Consequences and prevention of tobacco. It was followed by presentation from **Mr. Keshava Reddy**, HOD, Department of CHN, Rama College of Nursing on Incidence, Prevalence and Plain Packaging and the a topic was presented on Laws & legislations and tips to quit smoking by **Mr. Sriram. K**, Asst.Prof, Department of CHN, Rama College of Nursing and the final presentation was given by **Ms. Bhuvanambiga**, Asst.Prof, Department of CHN, Rama College of Nursing.

The workshop was successfully organized under the guidance of Mrs. Sutha, Principal, Rama College of Nursing and the faculties from the department of community health nursing. The programmed ended at 1 pm with Vote of thanks by Ms. Madhuri, Lecturer.