IPA ACTIVITIES REPORT 2017-18

I am profoundly happy to submit the report on various professional activities of Indian Pharmaceutical Association (IPA), Nilgiris Local Branch during the year 2017-2018.

World Pharmacist Day 2017

The World Pharmacist Day was celebrated by IPA, Nilgiris Local Branch on 25" September 2017 on theme: "From Research to Health Care: Your pharmacist is at your service" to create awareness about the pharmacy profession among general public. In this context, a human chain was observed by more than 700 student pharmacists, faculty pharmacists and practicing pharmacists from both community and hospital set-up in the district of Nilgiris. The office bearers and members of Chemists and Druggists Association of Nilgiris were also invited to support this professional task.

On the same day about 45 student pharmacists in 15 groups worked in identified community pharmacies both in urban and rural areas and provided various pharmaceutical care services like patient counseling, health screening, etc.

As a unique activity to attract the attention of general public, about 500 student pharmacists made a formation of Tablet and capsule in a ground situated at the heart of the Ooty town which was well received, recognized and published by media.

Financial Support to Student Members and Life Members

IPA, Nilgiris Local Branch is extending the financial support to all the student members and life members to disseminate their scientific presentations in various national and international conferences, seminars, workshops etc.

Support for the conduct of Seminars, Workshops, etc.

Every scientific program being organized by various departments of JSS College of Pharmacy, Ooty is supported by IPA, Nilgiris Local Branch in the form of sponsoring writing note books and pens for the participants and refreshments to the participants. The following

programs were supported and sponsored with materials mentioned in this year.

S. No.	Title of the Programme	Date
1.	One day training Programme on	27 th March 2017
2.	World Health Day	7 th April, 2017
3.	World Laboratory Animals day	18 th April, 2017
4.	Out reach Program	15 th July, 2017
	Education and Basic Health Needs at	
	Nedugalcombai & Veeracombai Tribal	
5.	Outreach Program	Septemeber,1-
	(National Nutrition Week)	7,2017)
6.	CPE Program for Practicing Pharmacists	25 th September,
7.	National Seminar (4Rs AAT,2017)	September 15-
		16 2017
8.	National Symposium (BIOSYM 17)	September 15-
9.	Summer School of Ooty on Applied	September 18-
	Pharmacokinetics	22 2017
10.	World Animal Day	4 th October 2017
11.	International Seminar and Exhibition on	December 11-
	Phytopharmaceuticals: Emerging	13,2017
	challenges and opportunities	
12.	All India Pharmacy Quiz Competition,	21 st January,
13.	PPAEE-2018,Module-II	31 st January,