

CME-WORKSHOP AT AIIMS RAIPUR

AIIMS Raipur and Chhattisgarh State AIDS Control Society hosted a CME and Workshop on Blood transfusion on Saturday 18th of March 2017 under the guidance of Prof (Dr) Nitin. M. Nagarkar honourable Director of AIIMS Raipur. The theme of the event was “Rational use of Blood Transfusion and Blood Conservation Strategies”. The conference had its delegates from the various Government and Private Blood Banks along with Specialist from various hospitals throughout the State of Chhattisgarh. The CME dealt with topics like evidence based recommendations of blood conservation, blood conservation strategies of the surgical patients. The guest faculty from Bhopal, Dr Manisha Shrivastava spoke on the blood component therapy especially in context to the antenatal patients as she felt that the blood conservation was a prominent issue facing the hospitals and blood banks especially in the peripheral regions. The surgical conservation strategies were spoken in detail by Dr Subrat Sinha, Additional Professor Department of Anaesthesia AIIMS Raipur. Therapeutic apheresis a specialised component of the blood banking was delved into by Dr Prashant Pandey guest faculty from Jaypee hospital Delhi. The workshop on the correct procedures in blood banking was conducted by BioRad laboratories with orientation and procedural demonstration to the delegates.

The principle secretary of The State of Chhattisgarh Mr Subrat Sahoo graced the inauguration ceremony and spoke on the relevance of awareness in the general public of the rational use of blood and its components. The organising secretary of the event Dr Sankalp Sharma thanked the delegates for making this event a success.