



#### World Physiotherapy Day Celebration with Theme of "Rehabilitation & COVID-19"

Ashok & Rita Patel Institute of Physiotherapy (ARIP) – a constituent of CHARUSAT has celebrated World Physiotherapy Day on 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 – Tuesday. The theme of this time was Rehabilitation & COVID-19. According to the Principal of the institute, various outreach centers of institute have participated in this event where more than 150 patients have been educated for COVID-19 with Role of Physiotherapy. The centers were Smt. Maltiben Chimanbhai Patel Charusat Medical Outreach Center (CMOC), Anand; Physiotherapy Center at Mahagujarat Hospital – Nadiad; Physiotherapy Center at J S Ayurvedic College; Charusat Medical Outreach Center (CMOC), Piplag; Demol Outreach Center, ARIP Out Patient Department; Physiotherapy department at Charusat Hospital. 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary of Smt. Maltiben Chimanbhai Patel CMOC Anand has also been celebrated where more than 9500 sessions of treatment were given to patients of in and around Anand. On World Physiotherapy Day, ARIP has organized Awareness campaign of COVID-19 & Role of Physiotherapists for patients at various OPDs. Students of ARIP have participated in meme making competition & advertisement making competition where more than 90 students have participated. Dr. Mitva Thakkar, Assistant Professor of ARIP and Dr. Rutva Shah, Alumni of ARIP have translated toolkit provided by World Confederation of Physiotherapy (WPT) in Gujarati language for this occasion.

























