



Organizes

6th National Pharmacovigilance Week

"Promoting Rational Use of Medicines through Pharmacovigilance: A Step Towards Safer Healthcare"

September 17-23, 2026

Organized by
Department of Pharmacology
Under aegis of IQAC

Day 1: September 21, 2026

TIME: 11:30 AM - 12:00 NOON: INAUGURATION



Dr. Chandrashekhar Upasani

Professor & Principal

TIME: 12:05 PM - 12:45 PM: LECTURE 1

Mr. Meher Tundulwar



Director & Founder, RACE Institute, Mumbai, Maharashtra

Topic: Pharma Careers 2026: High-Demand Opportunities in
Pharmacovigilance, Medical Coding, RCM & Healthcare IT



TIME: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM: LECTURE 2

Mr. Nitin Khot

Corporate Trainer in PV, CR & CDM

Topic: Career Opportunities in Pharmacovigilance, Drug
Safety & Allied Healthcare IT domains

Day 2: September 22, 2026

Day 3: September 23, 2026

PV REEL MAKING COMPETITION

MEDICATION SAFETY CASE CHALLENGE

"PV REELS 2026 - Reel for Safer Medicines"

"MED-SAFE CHALLENGE 2026: Detect · Decide · Prevent"

&

ON-CAMPUS ADR AWARENESS CAMPAIGN

Lectures will be conducted online via  **zoom** Meeting ID: 5712151913

Passcode: ssdj@1928

All students and faculty members are cordially invited to participate.

COORDINATORS

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Day 2: Reel–Making Competition: 22nd September 2026

“PV REELS 2026 – Reel for Safer Medicines”

Guidelines for Participants:

Suggested topics: Students may select any one of the following topics

- Think Before You Take – Stop Irrational Self-Medication
- Suspect an ADR? Report It!
- Antibiotics Aren't Always the Answer
- Medication Errors: Small Mistakes, Serious Consequences
- Know Your Medicines – Be Medicine Smart
- Polypharmacy: When More Medicines Mean More Risk
- Pharmacists – Partners in Medication Safety
- OTC Medicines Are Medicines Too
- Don't Ignore Drug–Drug Interactions
- Pharmacovigilance: From ADR Reporting to Safer Healthcare

Rules for Reel-Making Competition

1. Participation: Individual or a team of up to 3 students.
2. Duration: 60–90 seconds.
3. Language: English, Hindi, or Marathi, or a suitable combination.
4. The reel must be based on the NPW theme or one of the approved subthemes.
5. Content must be original, scientifically accurate, and suitable for public awareness.
6. The reel may include acting, narration, animation, graphics, demonstration, or a combination.
7. Students should avoid promoting or criticizing specific commercial brands.
8. Any medicine-related statement should be scientifically appropriate; misleading health claims will result in a deduction of marks.
9. Offensive, discriminatory, or inappropriate content will not be accepted.
10. Background music/images/video clips should be copyright-safe or appropriately sourced.
11. Each team may submit only one reel.
12. The reel should end with a short medicine-safety/pharmacovigilance take-home message.
13. The submission deadline is 21 September, 5:00 PM, allowing screening before the competition on 22 September.
14. Shortlisted reels will be screened by the judges.
15. The judges' decision will be final.

Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/FtEGm6R4QHqV9gL6>



Exciting prizes for winners



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Day 3: Medication Safety Case Challenge

“MED–SAFE CHALLENGE 2026: Detect · Decide · Prevent”

Guidelines for Participants:

This is stronger than calling it simply a Case Study Competition.

Objectives:

To assess students' ability to apply pharmacology and pharmacovigilance knowledge to identify ADRs, medication errors, drug interactions, irrational medicine use, and preventable medication-related harm.

Format:

Participation: Team of 2 students., each team receives one clinical medication-safety case.

Time Allowed:

10 minutes – Read and analyse the case; 5 minutes – Prepare response; 5 minutes for Presentation & 2–3 minutes – Questions from judges

Students should address five questions:

1. What is the medication-related problem? 2. Which drug(s) are involved? 3. What harm has occurred or could occur? 4. Why did it happen? 5. What action would make medicine safer? and if there is any ADR, then 6. Suspected ADR that should be reported

Rules – Med-Safe Challenge:

- Team of 2 students.
- Case will be allotted by draw.
- No mobile phones, textbooks or internet access during case analysis.
- All necessary clinical information will be provided in the case.
- Students must restrict their conclusions to the information provided and present the case for 5 min orally without PPT.
- Each team must identify the medication-related problem and provide scientifically justified recommendations.
- If the case contains a suspected ADR, students should explain its reporting relevance.
- Judges may ask questions after the presentation.
- Judges' decision will be final.



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