

## **Hindi Diwas Celebrated**

Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy observed Hindi Diwas on 14<sup>th</sup> September 2017 at AYUSH Auditorium in CCRH Headquarters. Like every year, Hindi Diwas was celebrated with all the staff members of the Council to commemorate the historic significance of declaring Hindi as the official language of India on 14<sup>th</sup> September 1949.

At the outset, Dr. Bindu Sharma, Hindi Sampark Adhikari addressed the gathering and deliberated about the importance of Hindi language as a source of integrity in the professional as well as in personal lives. On the occasion, she shared the message received from 'Vaidya' Rajesh Kotecha, Special Secretary, Ministry of AYUSH emphasizing on propagating AYUSH systems by enhancing the use of Hindi language. Sh. Rajesh Kotecha has anticipated all the Councils under Ministry of AYUSH to work towards making Hindi not just an official but a practical language. She also apprised about the competitions to be held under Hindi Pakhwada which would be organized till 28<sup>th</sup> September 2017 following Hindi Diwas. She encouraged the audience to showcase their maximum participation.

Emphasizing the importance of our mother language, Assistant Director (Admin.), CCRH, Sh. Hari Om Kaushik, briefed about how Hindi has attained the status of official language in our constitution. He added that thinking in Hindi is the only way to comprehend in Hindi. Dr. Gautam Rakshit, Assistant Director (Homoeo), CCRH shared his encounter with Hindi and urged everyone to take inspiration from the people who have learnt Hindi inspite of poor exposure of Hindi in their native places.

Dr. Anil Khurana, Deputy Director General, CCRH hailed everyone to make maximum use of Hindi so that this celebration may not just become a tradition. He opined that more of reading in Hindi will nourish more of Hindi vocabulary of an individual.

The celebration ended with a vote of thanks by Dr. Bindu Sharma.





