

World Suicide Prevention Day, Kozhikode



IMA Kozhikode had hosted the observation of 'World Suicide prevention day' by the Committee for Mental Health of IMA KSB on 9th September 2018. This was co organised by IQRAA hospital, WIMA Kozhikode, Thanal Suicide prevention centre, QPMPA and Chethana centre for Neuro Psychiatry



rehabilitation.

A public awareness seminar was organised at IMA hall Kozhikode from 9.30 am to 1 pm. The program was inaugurated by Sri. Babu Parassery, President Kozhikode District Panchayath. Dr. A K Abdul Khader; Chairman of End TB program IMA KSB and Secretary of Thanal foundation presided over the inaugural function. Sri. Amrui Kumar, Director, Thanal welcomed the gathering. Felicitations were given by Dr. Aneen N Kutty, Secretary IMA Kozhikode and Dr. Sheela Sivan; Past Chairperson WIMA Kozhikode. This was followed public seminar. First talk was on Women and suicide by Dr. P N Sureshkumar, Chairman Thanal. This was followed by talks by

Dr. Varsha Vidhadharan; Asst. Professor of Psychiatry; Kozhikode Medical College on 'Psychiatric diseases and suicide', Dr. R Chandni R; Prof. of Medicine, Govt. Medical College Kozhikode on 'Physical ailments and suicide' and Sri. Ashraf Kamil; Secretary; Legal Service Authority on 'Women and domestic violence'. Smt. Sunitha; Sub Judge Wayanad and Secretary Legal Services authority also shared her views. Vote of thanks was proposed by Mrs. Sreemathy; program convenor of Thanal.

