



Dr. Antony Parkinson ; Dr. Cheryl Williams and other members of staff at Opening Ceremony of Gerontology Week 2019



Patrons at Gerontology Week participating in the physical activity .



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- ◆ NWRHA Research Day 2019-29th November 2019
- ◆ NWRHA –World Aids Day 5k Run and Walk –01st December 2019

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Pharmacy Week 2019

Pharmacists in Trinidad and Tobago under the auspices of the Pharmaceutical Society of Trinidad and Tobago (TPSTT), celebrated Pharmacy Week from 13th to 19th October 2019. With the theme, "Let's Get Better Together By Transforming Knowledge into Practice."

The NWRHA's Pharmacist hosted a week of events held at Port of Spain General Hospital, St. Anns Hospital and ST. James Medical Complex, included lectures on health issues, demonstrations and quizzes with participants being rewarded with a token for partaking.

The weeks activities climaxed on Thursday 17th October, 2019 when three outstanding NWRHA pharmacists were presented with Caribbean Association of Pharmacists (CAP) 2019 awards.

Ms. Patricia Townsend, Executive Director of the Caribbean Association of Pharmacists expressed her delight in having the opportunity to present persons with their respective awards.

The NWRHA wishes to take this opportunity to extend hearty congratulations to these remarkable pharmacists and encourage them to continue to strive to excellence.

Pharmacy Week 2019



Ms. Nirvana Singh, our Caribbean Pharmacy Youth Leaders Award Recipient .



Award Recipients from Caribbean Association of Pharmacy (C.A.P) 2019 Awards.

From left to right, Mrs. Aruna Muthukuru, Ms. Nirvana Singh, Ms. Patricia Townsend, Mrs. Sharon Jobity and Mr. Elson Robinson. Sitting at center was specially invited guest to the awards presentation is National Awardee 2019, recipient of the Humming Gold Award 2019 - Public Service is Mrs. Norma E. Bizzard-Inniss

Int'l Day of Older Persons 2019

On October 1, 2019 The Gerontology department of the St. James Medical Complex hosted a health fair in commemoration of International Day of Older Persons with the theme "The Journey to Age of Equality." Dr. Cheryl Williams (Head of Gerontology,) in her remarks, highlighted the importance as a population to recognize the benefits and challenges facing our society, as more persons are growing past the age of sixty years. She went on to state that This health fair along with the week of events planned, sought to celebrate the contributions of our elders as leaders, volunteers, mentors, caregivers, parents, grandparents, employers, friends and colleagues .

The health fair offered services such as blood sugar and blood pressure testing, bone density, vision screening and dietary support and information to the public. It was not all business as entertainment was provided by Azaria who rendered several renditions, much to the delight of the participants . It was supported by Ministry of Social Development, Trinidad and Tobago Association of Retired Persons, Diabetes Association of Trinidad and Tobago and Alzheimer's Association of Trinidad and Tobago.