

## CSIR-NIScPR

### DG, ICMR and Director CSIR-NIScPR released Health Special issues of *Vigyan Pragati* & *Science Reporter* magazines

On 10 April 2023, Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) organized a special programme focused on the release function of the Health Special issues (April 2023) of CSIR popular science magazines 'VigyanPragati' & 'Science Reporter'. Dr. Rajiv Bahl, Secretary, Department of Health Research (DHR) and Director General, ICMR; Prof. Ranjana Aggarwal, Director, CSIR-National Institute of Science Communication & policy Research (NIScPR); Shri Rajeev Roy, Senior Financial Advisor, ICMR and other dignitaries released the health special issues of VigyanPragati and Science Reporter at ICMR Headquarters, New Delhi. Dr. Rajni Kant, Director, Regional Medical Research Centre, Gorakhpur, ICMR; Shri Hasan Jawaid Khan, Chief Scientist & Editor, Science Reporter and Dr. Manish Mohan Gore, Scientist & Editor, VigyanPragati were also present during the event.

The special issues comprise of several health-related articles such as mental health, epidemiology, lifestyle diseases, maternal & oral health, health consequences of child marriage. The authors of the issues are the working scientists of ICMR labs who came together in a workshop at CSIR-NIScPR on 16 Nov. 2022 and this is a tangible outcome of that workshop.









