

## **World Breastfeeding Week (1<sup>st</sup> -7<sup>th</sup> August 2017)**

**Theme: Sustaining Breastfeeding –Building Alliances Without Conflicts of Interest.**

Symbiosis School of Biological Sciences, Symbiosis Community Outreach programme execution & Tata Power Company Ltd. in coordination with Government (ICDS and Health Dept.), Mulshi.

World Breastfeeding Week is celebrated from 1<sup>st</sup> -7<sup>th</sup> August 2017 to encourage breastfeeding and improve the health of babies around the world. The aim of the seminar was to educate and create awareness among Anganwadi workers, ASHA workers and students of Nursing degree in the catchment areas of Mulshi, Pune. A total of 75-80 key stakeholders attended this event at the Tata Power Community Development Trust Community hall, Male (Mulshi). The event included video films on UNICEF breast crawl method and importance of breastfeeding. Lectures comprised of techniques of breastfeeding, importance of breastfeeding to the society at large and Nutrition for lactating mothers as well as an introduction to complementary foods.



**Ms. Devaki Gokhale, Assistant Professor, Symbiosis School of Biological Sciences- Nutrition Lecture**



**Nursing Students and ASHA workers with Speakers**



**Anganwadi workers with Block Development officer, medical officer of Mulshi, Pune**