

## NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF AYURVEDA

## PREFACE

With due respects, I submit to present the Annual Report and the Audited Statement of Accounts of the National Institute of Ayurveda for the financial year 2018-2019 highlighting various activities of the Institute undertaken during the year. The Institute has achieved significant growth in teaching, training and patient care activities. Best efforts were made to propagate, strengthen, progress, develop and enrich the Institute for the welfare of mankind.

It gives me immense pleasure to inform that the Ministry of AYUSH, Government of India has decided and approved to establish a National Institute of Ayurveda at Panchkula, Haryana as an Extension Center of NIA. The Foundation Stone for the proposed Institute was laid by Shri Narendra Modi, Hon'ble Prime Minister on 12-2-2019. This is a milestone in the history of the Institute and recognition to its successful conduct of varied activities in the field of Ayurvedic Education, Training and Patient Care and as a national and international entity. A 20 acres Land has already been handed over to NIA by Shri Mata Mansa Devi Shrine Board of Panchkula on lease. M/s. WAPCOS Ltd., an Undertaking of Ministry of Water Resources, River Development & Ganga Rejuvenation, Govt. of India has been appointed Project Management Consultant for establishing the proposed Institute. The Construction for the proposed Institute will commence on receipt of NOC from Ministry of Defence.

The Institute has applied for Deemed-to-be-University Status under *de-novo* Category and the UGC has already constituted an Expert Committee for the purpose. The Institute has also applied for NAAC Accreditation. The 280 Bedded Campus Hospital has already been granted NABH Accreditation in 2016.

The Ministry of AYUSH entrusted the responsibility of organizing the national level 4th Ayurveda Day to the Institute. The major programs included Kavi Sammelan, Food Festival (Hitahar), Special medical Camps, Nukkad Natak, Marathon (Run for Ayurveda), Symposium on Ayurveda for Longevity and Felicitation of the Winners of National Dhanwantari Awards. Shri Om Birla, Hon'ble Speaker of Lok Sabha, Shri Ganejdra Singh, Hon'ble Union Minister for Jal Shakti, Shri Shripad Yesso Naik, Hon'ble Union Minister of State for AYUSH(I/C), Shri Ramcharan Bora, Hon'ble MP, Shri Raghu Sharma, Hon'ble Minster for Ayurveda, Rajasthan, Shri Mahesh Joshi, MLA, Shri Ashok Lahoti, MLA, Vaidya Shri Rajesh Kotecha, Secretary(AYUSH), Shri PK Pathak, Additional Secretary(AYUSH), Shri Roshan Jaggi, Joint Secretary(AYUSH), Dr. Manoj Nesari, Adviser(Ayurveda), Vaidya KS Dhiman, Director-General, CCRAS etc. were the Dignitaries on these Programs. Around 2000 people, including Ayurvedic Experts, Scholars, Researchers, Teachers, Officers, Employees and Students participated very actively participated in the Functions.

The Annual Intake Capacity to the UG Course of BAMS was enhanced to 125 with the implementation of EWS Reservation Policy in Central Institutions. Approval of University was obtained for doing Ph.D. by Institute Teachers. A 1 Year Panchakarma Technician Course has been launched. More than a dozen Short-Term Courses ranging from 3 Days to 45 Days have also been launched which are gaining wide attraction among general public, professionals, researchers and physicians.

There is great demand of foreigners in getting Ayurvedic Training in UG, PG and Ph.D. Courses from NIA as a result of which students from Nicaragua, Trinidad & Tobago, Iran, Surinam, Thailand, Russia, Tanzania, Sri Lanka, Nepal, Bhutan, Bangladesh etc. are studying in these Courses.

Skill Development Workshops on Spine Diagnosis, Charaka Samhita and Teaching Methodology were organized. A Symposium on Krimi Roga was also organized. 8 National Workshops, CMEs were also organized on various topics. A Live Demonstration Workshop on Ano-Rectal Surgical Procedures was also organized.

The Institute has entered into MOU with Ministry of AYUSH, Universiti Tunku Abdul Rahman of Malaysia and organisations like National Innovation Foundation, CCRAS, Datta Meghe Institute of Medical Sciences, Wardha, DY Patil Deemed University, Mumbai, Maharashtra University of Health Sciences BVG Life Sciences Limited, Pune, Himalaya Drug Co., BOHECO Mumbai, Shree Dhootpapeshwar Ltd. etc. The Institute received Rs. 450 Lakhs for these Research Projects.

The patient care activities continued excellently and the total number of patients treated in OPD was 2,94,453 out of which 1,94,458 were new patients. 69,782 Patients were treated at IPD level out of which 4,912 were new. The Institute also organizes regular Medical Camps in a dozen SC inhabited Districts of Rajasthan under SC-SP Scheme. Medical Camps along with health awareness programs were also organised in and around Jaipur City. During the year, 79 Camps were organized in which 42,194 Patients were treated, consultations and medical check-up were given and free medicines dispensed. Under the SC-SP Scheme, a Hospital with OPD Services was launched in September 2019 at Jamwaramgarh, Jaipur District to provide medical benefits to the earmarked population under the Scheme.

The GMP Certified Pharmacy of the Institute produces Medicines required for the Hospitals and also to meet the needs of research activities of PG, Fellowship Programs and also research of teachers. During the year, 328 Types of Medicines (55,813 Kg.) worth Rs. 2,50,21,958 were manufactured. This is 7,386 Kg. more than last year's production. The Institute is making all efforts to increase the production year-by-year to meet the maximum requirements of Hospitals and Research.

The Library has been equipped with Automation Facilities with Library Management Software System equipped with RFID Staff Station, Thermal Printers, Library Security Gate Single Aisle, Self-Adhesive RFID Tags for Books with Logo Stickers, RFID Handheld Reader for Shelf Management etc. This will facilitate proper and safe handling of books and publications and also will thwart any pilferage, theft and mishandling of books and publications.

During the period of last ten months, the Institute filled 57 Posts of Teaching(9) and Non-Teaching(48) by Direct Recruitment and 5 Posts by Promotion, i.e. in all 62 Vacant Posts have been filled. 25 More Posts of Teaching (15) and Non-Teaching (10) have been notified on all India basis and these Posts will also be filled in the coming 4-5 months. With this the Institute would have filled almost all the vacant Posts.

The ongoing Construction Works for New OPD Building and Animal House are in progress in the Campus. On completion, the Institute will start Drug Trials, Research etc. with the utilization of the Animal House and the New OPD Building coming up will facilitate to expand OPD and IPD related services for the benefit of patients.

An Audio-Visual Museum of Scientific History for Ayurveda and a Manuscript Unit have been set up recently to propagate the true essence of History of Ayurveda and Culture by taking advantage of advanced scientific development in Information and Communication Technology to enhance the way students learn concepts, learning components and to reduce tedious and mechanical aspects of some of the current learning methods, exploration and demonstration of phase-wise scientific development of Ayurveda Research and to establish a World First Audio-Visual Museum of Scientific History of Ayurveda for Students, Visitors and Foreign Delegates. The Manuscript Unit is a well-equipped National Standard Manuscript Unit to conduct National and International Level Workshops on Scripts, Methods of Cataloguing, Preservation, Critical Editions of Manuscripts. Regular 3-Months Certificate Course on Manuscriptology for Ayurveda Scholar will also be launched soon.

The entire NIA family, numbering more than 1500, comprising Teachers, Officers, Staff, Scholars and Students and Patients paid tearful homage and tributes to our 40 beloved brave soldiers who laid down their lives in the Poulwama terror attack. Rs. 5 Lakhs collected from Teachers, Officers, Staff, Scholars and Students was handed over to Commander of CRPF, Jaipur Division in a memorial function organized in the Institute.

In the coming days, the Institute proposes various developmental plan and activities so that it may attain a name of its own globally and also to attain the Status as Center of Excellence in Ayurvedic Learning:

Obtaining Deemed University Status • Obtaining NAAC Accreditation • Achieving Status of Center of Excellence & National Importance • Launching WHO Collaboration Center • Establishing National Institute of Ayurveda at Panchkula • Strengthening Ayurvedic Exposure Training Programs for Foreign Medical and Non-Medical Professionals • International Collaboration with Countries/Organisations in Ayurvedic Teaching, Training, Publications, Research, Exchange of Faculty and Scholars by entering into MOUs • Organizing National and International Seminars & Conferences • Increasing Production in Pharmacy • Reconstruction of City Hospital • Buildings for Foreigners Hostel and Guest Houses etc.

With all these services, facilities, infrastructure suiting to a national level institution, the Institute is marching forward to achieve various goals set by the Ministry of AYUSH, especially in the upgradation of education, training and patient care activities in order to project Ayurveda globally as the strong System of Medicine in the world.

With these humble submissions, I present the Annual Report and the Audited Statement of Accounts of the National Institute of Ayurveda pertaining to the Financial Year 2018-2019.