

## 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 2019-2020 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 are made to propagate, strengthen, progress, develop and enrich the Institute for the welfare of mankind.

The Institute achieved a significant milestone in its history of 44 years by obtaining the Deemed-to-be-University Status under *de-novo* Category. Shri Narendra Modi Ji, our beloved Prime Minister dedicated it to the nation through a Video-Conferencing on 13-11-2020, Dhanwantari Divas. With this, the Institute will be able to achieve various upliftments like Educational Autonomy which will allow NIA to launch customized and goal-oriented courses in Ayurveda for creating skilled manpower for public benefit; Integrated and innovative courses involving various branches of science can be launched in order to bring in contemporary scientific understanding of Ayurveda. NIA has already finalized 6 such integrated PG courses and many more such new courses will be launched in the near future. The Institute will launch courses which will preserve and enhance the cultural and traditional heritage of India in the field of medicine; NIA can train manpower aligned to the National and Global health needs.

With the untiring efforts and support of the Ministry of AYUSH, particularly Hon'ble Union Minister of State for AYUSH(I/C), the Defence Authorities granted No Objection Certificate clearing the way for Construction for the proposed National Institute of Ayurveda at Panchkula, an Extension Centre of the Institute. The PMC will be commencing the Construction works very soon.

The Institute purchased a Land Parcel of 1.37 Acres located at Malviya Nagar, Jaipur through the Department of Heavy Industry, Govt. of India at a Cost of Rs. 2360 Lakhs. This Land Parcel is to be used for expansion of Academic, Training, Hospital Services, Pharmacy etc.

The Institute has entered into 9 more MOUs for undertaking Collaboration in the field of Education, Training, Research, Publications, Faculty and Students Exchange etc. The Projects include Ministry of AYUSH, All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Jodhpur, Dhootpapeshwar Ltd., etc. Currently more than 25 externally funded Research Projects to the tune of Rs. 10 Crores are going on in the Institute.

A Post-Covid Rehabilation Centre with all the necessary medicines, equipments etc. has been launched in the Hospital for providing Treatments and Consultations. The Institute has been alloted with Regional Raw Drug Repository(Western), a Rs. 5000 Lakhks Project and it has started functioning. A Virtual Dissection Equipment (Anatomage Table) has been procured at a cost of Rs. 250 Lakhs and installed. This Equipment is the first of its kind in an AYUSH Hospital and a first in Rajasthan.

Patient care and Hospital activities continued excellently. 3,02,795 patients were given treatments in OPD and 66,495 patients were provided treatments in IPD, during the reported year. Under the SC-SP Scheme, 68 Mobile Camps were organised benefitting 36,841 patients with free medicines, consultations and check-up. The Institute launched a Weekly OPD at Pratapnagar, a thickly populated residential and commercial area of Jaipur City. This is to extend its patient care services to far reaching places of the City. The GMP Certified Pharmacy of the Institute produced 432 types Medicines worth Rs. 254 Lakhs for meeting the needs of its Hospitals, Research etc.

Appointments to 1 Post of Professor, 8 Posts of Associate Professor and 48 Posts in Group-C were made by Direct Recruitment. 5 Post of Associate Professor, 3 Group-B Posts and 5 Group-C Posts were also filled by Promotion. Under the DACP Scheme, elevation and financial up-gradation of 6 Teachers to Professors in SAG Grade and 16 Teachers as Associate Professors was also granted.

Out of the 25 Posts notified for Direct Recruitment, Selection to 18 Posts (3 Associate Professor, 12 Lecturers, 1 RMO and 2 Clinical Registrars) has been completed and on approval of competent authority, these Posts will also be filled very soon. Screening Tests to shortlist candidates for Selection/Interview for the remaining 7 Posts, which could not be conducted due to Corona outbreak, will be conducted soon to fill up them also.

Apart from NABH Accreditation and GMP Certification, the Institute has received NABL Accreditation for its Laboratory, FSSAI for its Hospital Kitchen, ISO for the Hospital Laboratory. NAAC Accreditation is being actively considered for which various stages of testings have been successfully completed. The Institute has also put Application for NIRF. 20 Applications have been filed for Patents.

The Construction Works for New OPD Building and Animal House have been completed and it is expected that these Buildings will be ready for occupation in a month time paving the way for undertaking Drug Trials, Animal Trials, Research, Expansion of OPD and IPD activities and services.

The following developmental activities are planned for the future it order to attain a name of its own globally and also to attain the Status of a Center of Excellence in Ayurvedic Learning:

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 • Launching of more Short-Term Courses in various topics • 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 • Expansion Work in the Land Parcel at Malviya Nagar • Foreigners Hostel and Guest Houses.

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.

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 2019-2020.

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