

## Ayush Minister inaugurates National Seminar at NARIP, Cheruthuruthy



A Glimpse of Union Minister of State, Ministry of Ayush, Dr. Munjpara Mahendrabhai inaugurating "National Seminar on Karma Shatardham" on 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2023 at NARIP, Cheruthuruthy.

Dr. Munjpara Mahendrabhai, Union Minister of State, Ministry of Ayush, inaugurated "National Seminar on Karma Shatardham" organized as a part of the golden jubilee celebrations of CCRAS institute National Ayurveda Research Institute for Panchakarma (NARIP), Cheruthuruthy in the august presence of Shri K. Radhakrishnan, Minister for Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes, Devaswoms, Parliamentary Affairs of Government of Kerala; Ms. Ramya Haridas, Lok Sabha MP, Alathur, Kerala; Prof. (Vaidya) Rabinarayan Acharya, Director General, CCRAS; Dr. N. Srikanth, Deputy Director General, CCRAS; Prof. Mohanan Kunnummal, Vice Chancellor, Kerala Health University and Dr. D. Sudhakar, Director, NARIP, Cheruthuruthy on 10<sup>th</sup> January, 2023.

The event witnessed the inauguration of Panchakarma Museum, Certificate course in Marma Chikitsa initiated, exchange of five MoUs and release of CCRAS publications.

A panchakarma museum was also inaugurated and opened for the public as a part of the Golden Jubilee celebrations. During the event, the Institute notified as a Ph. D. centre under the Kerala University of Health Sciences, certificate course in Marma Chikitsa kick off and seven CCRAS publications were released. Further, NARIP Cheruthururthy signed five MoUs with prestigious institutes including Kerala University of Health Sciences

(KUHS), Institute for Communicative and Cognitive Neuro Sciences (ICCONS), Kerala Forest Research Institute (KFRI), JSS Pharmacy College, Ooty, and Kerala Veterinary and Animal Sciences University (KVASU).

# Inauguration of CCRAS-JNU Treatment & Research Facility at JNU, New Delhi



Vaidya Rajesh Kotecha, Secretary, MoAyush and Prof. Santishree Dhulipudi Pandit, VC, JNU inaugurating CCRAS-JNU Treatment & Research Facility at JNU Campus, New Delhi

The Central Council for Research in Avurvedic Sciences (CCRAS) and Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU) started a center for Ayurveda treatment and research facility on the JNU campus on 25<sup>th</sup> January 2023. The CCRAS-JNU Treatment & Research Facility was inaugurated by Vaidya Rajesh Kotecha, Secretary, Ministry of Ayush, and Prof. Santishree Dhulipudi Pandit, Vice Chancellor, JNU in the presence of Shri Pramod Kumar Pathak, Special Secretary, MoAyush; Prof. Rabinarayan Acharya, Director General, CCRAS; Dr. N. Srikanth DDG, CCRAS; Dr. Bharti, Director, CARI, New Delhi; Dr. Adarsh Kumar, Programme Officer, CCRAS,

Dr. Pratap Makhija, DDA I/c, CCRAS; Dr. Shaizi Layeeq RO (Ay.), Nodal officer JNU treatment facility, Dr. Kuldeep Co-nodal officer JNU treatment facility and other senior officials of Ayush and JNU. The event also witnessed the release of two notable CCRAS publications, 'Ayurveda based clinical methods for the examination of Prameha Roga' and 'Comprehensive Technical Dossier (CTD) of medicinal plants used in Ayurveda - Vasa Justicia adhatoda L, Series-1, Volume-10'.

# **'SMART' program launch for Ayurveda professionals to boost R&D in Ayurveda**



Glimpse of Prof. Vaidya Rabinarayan Acharya, DG, CCRAS and Vaidya Jayant Deopujari, Chairman, NCISM launching 'SMART' programme in the presence of senior officials of both organizations on 2<sup>nd</sup> January, 2023

The Central Council for Research in Ayurvedic Sciences (CCRAS) & National Commission for Indian System of Medicine (NCISM) launched 'SMART' (Scope for Mainstreaming Ayurveda Research in Teaching professionals) to boost R&D in Ayurveda on 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2023. Prof. Vaidya Rabinarayan Acharya, Director General, CCRAS, and Vaidya Jayant Deopujari, Chairman, NCISM launched the program in the presence of Prof. B.S. Prasad, President, Board of Ayurveda; Dr. N. Srikanth, DDG, CCRAS, and senior officials of both premier institutions. The 'SMART' program was launched with the commitment to identify, support, and promote academicians, researchers, and scholars with innovative research ideas in Ayurveda healthcare research.

#### Secretary Ayush inaugurates National Seminar and Laboratory Animal facility at RARI, Gwalior



Hon'ble Vaidya Rajesh Kotecha, Secretary, Ministry of Ayush, inaugurated "Laboratory Animal Facility", a newly constructed building of RARI, Gwalior, in the gracious presence of Prof. (Vaidya) Rabinarayan Acharya, Director General, CCRAS; Dr. N. Srikanth, Deputy Director General, CCRAS; Prof. Mita Kotecha, Pro VC, NIA Jaipur; Dr. Manmohan Parida, Director, DRDE, Ministry of Defence, Gwalior and Dr. A.K. Meena, Institute in-charge, RARI, Gwalior on 17<sup>th</sup> March 2023. This was followed by a two days National Seminar on "Drug Discovery & Development Strategies for ASU&H Drugs: Challenges & Future Perspective" sponsored by the National Medicinal Plants Board (NMPB), Ministry of Ayush, Govt of Indorganizedised by



#### Visit of Director General, CCRAS to Ibn Sina Academy of Medieval Medicine & Sciences, Aligarh

Prof. (Vaidya) Rabinarayan Acharya, Director General, CCRAS, visited Ibn Sina Academy Of Medieval Medicine & Sciences (Centre Of Excellence by Ministry of Ayush, Govt. of India), Aligarh, on 5<sup>th</sup> March 2023 to oversee the digitization of Unani manuscripts in the academy being carried out by



RARI, Gwalior on 17th & 18th March 2023. During the event, One MoU was signed between RARI, Gwalior, and AIIMS, Bhopal, and one multipartite MoU was signed between RARI, Gwalio,r and five Institutes; Shri Dhanvantari Ayurveda College & Hospital, Chandigarh & Desh Bhagat Ayurvedic College & Hospital, Sahib, Fatehgarh Punjab & Government (Autonomous) Ayurveda College & Hospital, Rewa, Madhya Pradesh & Dr. D Y Patil College of Ayurved & Research Centre, Pune for undertaking the clinical project. The seminar received a huge response and researchers & scientists from all over India participated in the seminar.

National Institute of Indian Medical Heritage (NIIMH), Hyderabad. He visited the museum gallery and found many rare books and artefacts related to the history of medicine in general and Unani medicine in particular. He was guided and explained in detail by Prof. Ziaur Rahman, treasurer of the academy. A ceremony was also organized for DG, CCRAS to confer, "IBN SINA PUBLIC HEALTH AWARD 23" in recognition of his contribution to the field of public health science and ayurvedic medicine.



#### Ayush Joint Secretary Visit RRAP-CARI, Mumbai

Dr. Kavita Garg, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Ayush visited CCRAS institute Raja Ramdeo Anandilal Podar -Central Ayurveda Research Institute (RRAP-CARI), Mumbai on 25<sup>th</sup> January 2023. During the visit, the secretary inspected the departments including pharmacy, Panchakarma, IPD, etc. to oversee the functioning of the institute. Dr. R. Govind Reddy, Assistant Director In-charge, and Dr. Manohar Gundeti, Research Officer (Ay.)

briefed about the functioning of the institute in detail and took suggestions for the betterment.

#### Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between CCRAS-CARI, Kolkata, and CSIR-IICB, Kolkata



Glimpse of Dr. A. K. Dixit, AD Incharge, CARI, Kolkata and Dr. Arun Bandhopadhyay, Director, CSIR-IICB, Kolkata signing the MoU in the presence of officers of the two premier institutions on 04<sup>th</sup> January, 2023.

A MoU was signed between CCRAS institute Central Ayurveda Research Institute (CARI), Kolkata, and The Council of Scientific & Industrial Research (CSIR)-Indian Institute of Chemical Biology (IICB), Kolkata for collaboration on the project 'Anti-cancer Potential and Molecular Mechanism of Rasa Sindoor on Ovarian Cancer Cells' on 04<sup>th</sup> January 2023 at CSIR-IICB, Salt Lake Campus, Kolkata. The MoU has been exchanged between Dr. A. K. Dixit, Assistant Director Incharge, CARI, Kolkata, and Dr. Arun Bandhopadhyay, Director, CSIR-IICB, Kolkata in the presence of Dr. B. K. Sarkar, A.D. (Pharmacy); Dr. S.D. Pawar, A.D. (Pharmacology); Dr. Lalrinpuia, R.O. & Principal Investigator; Dr. R. Bolledu; Dr. S. Roy and Dr. Rahul Singh, from CCRAS-CARI Kolkata and Dr. Amit Srivastava, principal investigator; Dr. P.P. Tripathi; Dr. Mahabalirajan and Dr. Deepak Kumar from CSIR-IICB.

#### Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between CCRAS-CARI, New Delhi, and VMCC, Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi



Glimpse of Dr. Bharti, Director, CARI, New Delhi and Prof. B.L. Sherwal, Medical Superintendent, VMMC, New Delhi signed the MoU in the presence of officers of the two premier institutions on 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2023.

An MoU was exchanged between CCRAS Institute Central Ayurveda Research Institute (CARI), New Delhi, and Vardhman Mahavir Medical College (VMMC), Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi for Collaborative research projects. Dr. Bharti, Director, CARI, New Delhi, and Prof. B.L. Sherwal, Medical Superintendent, VMMC signed the MoU in the presence of officers of the two premier institutions on 12<sup>th</sup> January 2023. The first research project is related to the clinical evaluation of Ayurvedic management in Allergic rhinitis. The second project is on the efficacy of Ayurveda interventions in the management of menorrhagia (*Rakta Pradara*). Both projects are randomized controlled clinical trials.

#### Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between CARI, Kolkata, and Sambhalpur University, Orissa



Glimpse of Dr. G. Babu, Director, CARI Kolkata and Prof. Pradeep Naik, Department of Biotechnology & Bioinformatics, Sambalpur University, Odisha exchanging the MoU in the august presence of Prof. (Vaidya) R.N. Acharya, DG, CCRAS and other senior officials at CARI, Kolkata on 9<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.

CCRAS institute CARI, Kolkata, and Sambalpur University, Orissa signed a MoU for the execution of the project 'Aqueous and hydro-alcoholic extraction of selected Anukta Dravya plants and evaluation of their therapeutic efficacy for various diseases' on 9<sup>th</sup> March 2023. The MoU was exchanged between Dr. G. Babu, Director, CARI Kolkata, and Prof. Pradeep Naik, Department of Biotechnology & Bioinformatics, Sambalpur University, Odisha in the August presence of Prof. (Vaidya) R.N. Acharya, DG, CCRAS and other senior officials at CARI, Kolkata.

Further, A Brainstorming session was also organized on the 'Development Comprehensive Ayush substances (Ahar, Aushadhi) database' by dynamically consolidating information from legacy sources and interlinkages with standard online research databases from India and other international agencies at CARI, Kolkata. The meeting was chaired by DG, CCRAS, and attended by Prof. Areejit Samal, Professor-G, Computational Biology Group, Institute of Mathematical Sciences (IMSc), DAE, Chennai; Prof. Pradeep Naik, Department of Biotechnology & Bioinformatics, Sambalpur University, Odisha; Dr. G. Babu, Director, CARI, Kolkata; Dr. Anupam Mangal, AD (P'cognosy), CARI, Kolkata, Dr. Amit Kumar Dikshit, AD (Biochemistry), CARI, Kolkata; Dr. Sharad D. Pawar, AD (P'cology), CARI, Kolkata and Dr. Saketh Ram Thrigulla, OSD, Ayush Grid, Ministry of Ayush, New Delhi.



#### MoU between CCRAS-CARI, Kolkata, and CSIR-IICB, Kolkata

Glimpse of Dr. G. Babu, Director, CARI, Kolkata and Dr. Arun Bandhopadhyay, Director CSIR-IICB, Kolkata exchanging the MoU in the presence of Prof. (Vaidya) R. N. Acharya, Director General, CCRAS and officers of the two premier institutions on 10<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.

A memorandum of understanding (MoU) was signed between Central Council for Research in Ayurvedic Sciences - Central Ayurveda Research Institute (CCRAS-CARI), Kolkata, and Council of Scientific and Industrial Research-Indian Institute of Chemical Biology (CSIR-IICB) for the collaborative project entitled 'Evaluation of anti-cancerous potential, in silico pharmacological analysis and molecular mechanism of Kanchanar Guggulu in ovarian cancer μ Tumor spheroids in in-vivo models on 10<sup>th</sup> March 2023 at CARI, Kolkata. The MoU was exchanged between Dr. G. Babu, Director, CARI, Kolkata, and Dr. Arun Bandhopadhyay, Director CSIR-IICB, Kolkata in the presence of Prof. (Vaidya) R. N. Acharya, Director General, CCRAS and officers of the two premier institutions.

#### MoU between CARI, New Delhi, and VMCC, Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi

Central Ayurveda Research Institute, New Delhi (CARI) on behalf of CCRAS signed MoU with Vardhman Mahavir Medical College (VMMC), Safdarjung Hospital, New Delhi for 3 collaborative projects on 14<sup>th</sup> March 2023. These Collaborative Studies are on PCOS, stable coronary artery disease & hypertension-induced left ventricular hypertrophy to validate the Ayurvedic intervention and to add to the management of the disease. This



Glimpse of MoU exchange between CARI, New Delhi and Vardhman Mahavir Medical College (VMMC), Safdarjung Hospital, New for 3 collaborative projects on 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.

study will be of three years duration with budgetary support provided by the Ministry of Ayush through CCRAS.

#### Medical and Health Check-up Camps and Ethno-Medico-Botanical Survey Tours

#### Tribal Health Care Research Programme (THCRP) under Tribal Sub Plan

The Council is conducting Tribal Health Care Research Program (THCRP) under Tribal Sub Plan through its 14 peripheral institutes in 14 states. During the quarter, a total of 35624 numbers of the population were covered under the survey out of which 21086 numbers of ST populations were identified, and treatment was provided to 14538 patients. Besides this, the survey team also collected 15 Folklore claims during the survey.

#### Ayurveda Mobile Health Care (AMHCP) program under Schedule Caste Sub Plan (SCSP)

The Council conducted Ayurveda Mobile Health Care (AMHCP) program under Schedule Caste Sub Plan (SCSP) through its 20 peripheral institutes in 18 states. During the quarter, the survey team conducted tours in 104 villages. A total of 40099 numbers of the population were covered under the survey, of which 27221 numbers of the SC population were identified and treatment was provided to 26764 patients.

#### Women and Child Health Care (WCH) program under Scheduled Castes Sub Plan (SCSP)

The WCH program under SCSP has been organized to provide primary health care services to women & children of the SC community and create awareness about nutrition, Hygiene, prevention of Lifestyle disorders, and the use of common medicinal plants available in the area. During the quarter, the survey team of WCH conducted 440 tours. Total 14588 numbers of populations were covered under the survey out of which 14810 numbers of SC populations were identified and treatment was provided to 14312 patients. Besides this, the survey team also delivered 123 awareness lectures on the promotion of health and the prevention of diseases.

#### A glimpse of some of the activities are:



Glimpse of Survey team of CARI, Bengaluru conducting Medical and Health check-up camps under THCRP and AMHCP Project.





Glimpse of Survey team of RARI, Vijayawada conducting Medical and Health check-up camps under THCRP and AMHCP Project.



Glimpse of Survey team of RARC, Dimapur conducting Medical and Health check-up camp at Mahila Patanjali Yoga Samiti, Metha colony, Dimapur



Glimpse of Health check-up camp organized by NIIMH, Hyderabad for general public at BHEL, Hyderabad.

#### IEC, Awareness programs, and Arogya Mela

The Central Council for Research in Ayurvedic Sciences with its peripheral institutes across the country participated in various Arogya Melas, Ayurveda Parvs, etc. to disseminate Ayurveda. During the events, display stalls were arranged for the visitors in which Council's publications & Council's activities were displayed and free brochures were distributed to the visitors for publicity. Free medical check-up camps were also organized to provide medical consultation and free medicines were distributed, A glimpse of some of the activities are:



Glimpse of RARI Lucknow Stall during 'Swadeshi Mela' organized at Central Park, Kanpur from 25<sup>th</sup> December, 2022 to 03<sup>rd</sup> January, 2023.



Shri Bimal Borah, Hon'ble Minister of Industry, Commerce and Public Institutions and Cultural Govt. of Assam visited CARI, Guwahati Stall during 12<sup>th</sup> East Himalayan Trade Fair organized at Engineering Institute Playground, Chandmari, Guwahati from 06<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 to 12<sup>th</sup> Februarv. 2023.



Glimpse of CARI, Bhubaneswar stall during Ayurveda Parva held from 20<sup>th</sup> January, 2023 – 22<sup>nd</sup> January, 2023 at Gopabandhu Ayurveda Mahavidyalaya, Puri, Odisha



Glimpse of CARI, New Delhi Stall during 30<sup>th</sup> Edition of South Asia's Travel & Tourism Exchange (SATTE) organized at India Expo Centre and Mart, Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh from 09<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 to 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2023.



Glimpse of Prof. (Vaidya) Rabinarayan Acharya, DG, CCRAS, visited RARI, Jaipur stall during 3 days Ayush Expo held from 23<sup>rd</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2023 at Jaipur.



Glimpse of Hon'ble Ayush Minister, Sh. Sarbananda Sonowal visited CARI, Guwahati stall during 4 days 'National Arogya Summit focusing on Traditional Medicine under SCO' at Radisson Blu, Guwahati, held from 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 2023 to 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.



Glimpse of Hon,ble, Vice President of India , Sh. Jagdeep Dhankar; Smt. Anandiben Patel, Governor, Uttar Pradesh, and Sh. Yogi Adityanath, CM, Uttar Pradesh visited CARI, New Delhi stall during Ayurveda Parv organized at CCS University, Meerut held from of 11<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.



Glimpse of Sh. Ravishankar Prasad, M.P., Loksabha visited CCRAS stall during Ayush camp organized at Parliament house annex, New Delhi from 20<sup>th</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.

#### Participation of Council Officers in Important Meetings, Training, Seminars & Conferences, and Presentation of Papers

#### CARI, Jhansi organized a workshop for CCRAS scientists



Glimpse of two MoU's signed between CARI, Jhansi and two Premiere institutions of Jhansi during inaugural ceremony of three days' workshop on 'Documentation & Validation of LHT & EMP' on 18<sup>th</sup> January, 2023.

Central Ayurveda Research Institute (CARI), Jhansi organized a three-day workshop on 'Documentation & Validation of Local Health Tradition (LHT) & Ethno-Medical practices (EMP)' for CCRAS scientists from

18<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> January 2023. The inaugural ceremony was graced by the auspicious presence of Prof. (Vaidya) Rabinarayan Acharya, Director General, CCRAS; Prof. Mukesh Pandey, Vice Chancellor of Bundelkhand University, Jhansi; Dr. Sharad Shrivastava, Senior Principal Scientist, CSIR-National Botanical Research Institute (NBRI), Lucknow; Dr. G. Babu, Asst. Director Incharge, CARI, Jhansi, and Dr. Ravindra Singh, Assistant Director (Chemistry), CCRAS, New Delhi on 18th January 2023. Addressing the gathering DG, CCRAS focused upon the collaborative research and publications of the research work done in high-impact factor journals and said that the medico-ethnobotanical survey is the main part of the plant research. During the program, a MoU was signed between CARI, Jhansi, and Bundelkhand University, Jhansi to recognize CARI, Jhansi as a Research Institute for conducting Ph.D. courses and to undertake Collaborative research on various aspects of Ayurveda. Another MoU was signed between CARI, Jhansi, and ICAR-Central Agroforestry Research Institute, Jhansi to engage in a broad spectrum of joint activities in the field of Ayurveda-related sciences and Natural Resource-based Sustainable Livelihood Promotion in Central India. Scientists and Research fellows from various CCRAS peripheral units across India participated in the workshop.

#### CCRAS in association with PCIMH, Ghaziabad organized two days interactive workshop



Glimpse of Prof. (Vaidya) Rabinarayan Acharya, DG, CCRAS releasing 'Journal of Indian Medical Heritage (JIMH), October-December 2022, Volume 1, Issue 1' during two days interactive workshop organized by CCRAS in collaboration with PCIM&H, Ghaziabad on 15<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 at PCIM&H, Ghaziabad.

CCRAS in collaboration with Pharmacopoeia Commission for Indian Medicine and Homoeopathy (PCIM&H) organized two days 'Interactive workshop on Selection of Alternative Sources for Rare Endangered and Threatened Medicinal plants used in Ayurvedic Pharmacopoeia of India' for scientists/experts from different fields like-Ayurveda, Botany, Pharmacognosy, Pharmacology, Pharmaceutical science from 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> March 2023 at Pharmacopoeia Commission for Indian Medicine and Homoeopathy (PCIM&H), Ghaziabad, Uttar Pradesh.

The program was inaugurated by Prof. (Vaidya) Rabinarayan Acharya, Director General, CCRAS, in the gracious presence of Dr. Kousthubha Upadhyaya, Advisor, Drug Policy Section, Ministry of Ayush; Prof. Tanuja Nesari, Director & Head, All India Institute of Ayurveda (AIIA), New Delhi and Prof. Mita Kotecha, Pro VC & Dean, National Institute of Ayurveda, Jaipur. A total of seven technical sessions have been conducted. Overall 30 scientists/experts from different fields like Ayurveda, Botany, Pharmacognosy, Pharmacology, and Pharmaceutical science presented their expert views during the workshop. 75 officials from CCRAS & PCIM&H, Faculties & Scholars from Academic Institutes, and Representatives from

Ayurveda Pharma Industries/stakeholders actively participated in the two-day interactive workshop. The event also witnessed the release of the CCRAS publication 'Journal of Indian Medical Heritage (JIMH), October-December 2022, Volume 1, Issue 1' on 15<sup>th</sup> March 2023 during the Workshop.

#### Marmachikitsa Training workshop organized at RARI, Ranikhet



Glimpse of training session during Marma Chikitsa training workshop organized at RARI, Ranikhet held from 16<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> February, 2023

A Marma Chikitsa training workshop was organized at Regional Ayurveda Research Institute (RARI), Ranikhet on 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> February, 2023. Prof. Sunil Kumar Joshi, Vice Chancellor, Uttarakhand Ayurved University, Dehradun, and Dr. Binod Joshi, R.A.V., Ministry of AYUSH, Government of India, were invited as chief guest and speaker. A total of 72 Ayush physicians representing different states attended the Workshop.

#### National Seminar organizes at RARC, Dimapur



Glimpse of National Seminar on 'Recent advances in Herbal Drug Research in reference to Ayurveda and Pharmacovigilance of ASU&H Drugs' organized by RARC, Dimpapur on 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 at Saramati Hotel, Dimapur.

Regional Ayurveda Research Centre (RARC), Dimapur, Nagaland organized a National Seminar on 'Recent advances in Herbal Drug Research in reference to Ayurveda and Pharmacovigilance of ASU&H Drugs' on 4<sup>th</sup> March 2023 at Saramati Hotel, Dimapur. The event witnessed the participation of Dr. Ravinder Singh, A.D. (Chem.), and Dr. Siddhamalaya R.O. (Botany) from CCRAS Headquarters, New Delhi. During the seminar, Dr. Siddhamalaya R.O. (Botany) delivered a lecture entitled 'The Present and future need for Medicinal Plant Research in the Indian System of Medicine' following the other lectures.

#### CARI, Jhansi organized two days Training Programme



Glimpse of two days training program on 'Friendship with Instruments: Hands on Training cum Workshop on Heavy metals, Pesticide Residues & Aflatoxins Analysis- A Future Vision for Quality Control of ASU Drugs' from 15<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 at CARI, Jhansi.

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#### CARI, New Delhi organized a workshop on "Basic Bio-statistics under the program Ayurveda Research Methodology and Statistics (ARMS)



Glimpse of Prof. (Vaidya) Rabinarayan Acharya, DG, CCRAS addressing the gathering during the inaugural session of three days training programme on 'Basic Bio-statistics under the program Ayurveda Research Methodology and Statistics (ARMS)' from 20<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 2023 at CARI, New Delhi.

Central Ayurveda Research Institute (CARI), New Delhi organized a three days training program on 'Basic Biostatistics under the program Ayurveda Research Methodology and Statistics (ARMS)' at CARI, New Delhi for MD & Ph.D. scholars from 20<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2023. Prof. (Vaidya) Rabinarayan Acharya,

Director General, CCRAS addressed the gathering during the inaugural session in the presence of Dr. Bharti, Director Institute, eminent speakers, Research Officers of CARI, and participants at CARI, New Delhi on 20<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2023. The workshop was organized to better understand the basics of biostatistics to perform perfection in Research & paper writing.

#### CARI Guwahati organized a workshop on "Basic Bio-statistics under the program Ayurveda Research Methodology and Statistics (ARMS)



Glimpse of Dr. Atul Juneja, Former scientist, NIMS, New Delhi and Dr. Richa Singhal, ICMR, New Delhi delivering lecture during two days' workshop on 'Basic Bio-statistics under the program ARMS' organized by CARI, Guwahati from 24<sup>th</sup> to 25<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 at Government Ayurveda College, Guwahati

A two days' workshop on 'Basic Biostatistics under the program Ayurveda Research Methodology and Statistics (ARMS)' was organized by Central Ayurveda Research Institute (CARI), Guwahati at Government Ayurveda College, Guwahati on 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> March 2023. The program was arranged for PG and Ph.D. scholars of Govt. Ayurveda College, Guwahati. The Statistical officers from CCRAS, Dr. RK Rana and Dr. Arunabh Tripathi led the session. Later, Dr. Atul Juneja, a Former scientist, at NIMS, New Delhi, and Dr. Richa Singhal, ICMR, New Delhi, took the sessions. The workshop witnessed the active participation of PG and Ph.D. students as well as the faculty of the college.

#### NIIMH, Hyderabad organized a workshop on 'Literary Research



(Left) Glimpse of Prof. (Vaidya) Rabinarayan Acharya, Director General, CCRAS addressing the gathering and (Right) Dr. V.K. Lavaniya, R.O. (Ay.), CCRAS Hqrs. delivering lecture during two-day workshop on literary research held at NIIMH, Hyderabad on 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> January, 2023.

A two-day workshop on literary research was held at NIIMH, Hyderabad on 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> January 2023. The inaugural Session was started with the speech of Dr. G. P. Prasad, AD (in-charge), and the Inaugural session was addressed by Chief Guest Prof. (Vaidya) Rabinarayan Acharya, Director General, CCRAS; Guest of Honour Dr. Viswajanani J. Sattigeri, Head, CSIR-Traditional Knowledge Digital Library, New Delhi and Dr. P. Subbarao, Director, TS Government Oriental Manuscripts Library and Research Institute, Hyderabad in the presence of officials from CCRAS and institute. During the workshop, a Memorandum of agreement (MOU) was also exchanged between the TS Government Oriental Manuscripts Library and Research Institute (TSGOMLRI), Hyderabad, and the National Institute of Indian Medical Heritage (NIIMH), Hyderabad, with the objective of the acquisition of digital copies and the preparation of a descriptive catalog of the Unani medical manuscripts available at TSGOMLRI.

#### Hindi Pakhwada and Workshops

The Council conducts various activities for the implementation of the Official Language Policy of the Official Language Department, M/o Home, and External Affairs, Govt. of India. As part of this venture, one day Hindi Karyashala was organized by all the peripheral Institutes of the Council. Some of the glimpses are:



Glimpse of Dr. Salim Ahmed, Assistant Spokesperson Hindi from Jawahar Navodaya Vidyalaya delivering lecture on the 'Use of Official Language Hindi in the Office-Technical Implementation' at workplace during one day Hindi workshop organized on 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 at RARI, Ranikhet



Glimpse of one day Hindi karyashala on the topic 'Necessity of Unicode' organized on 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 at RARI, Vijayawada



Glimpse of Smt. Jyothi Suresh, Retd. Hindi Officer, Controller of Defence Accounts Office, Chennai delivering lecture during one day quarterly Hindi Karyasala organized on 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 at ALRARI, Chennai



View of Prof. Ramprakash Yadav, Dept. of Official Language, MoHA, Tripura University, delivering a lecture on "कार्यालयीन कामकाज में वाक्य रचना, त्रुटि समाधान एवं व्याकरण" during one day Hindi Workshop organized on 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 at RARC, Agartala



Glimpse of Dr. Anuradha Pandey, Hindi Officer (DRDO), delivering lecture on the topic 'हिंदी में काम करने की प्रेरणा एवं राजभाषा नीति का कार्यान्वयन' during one day Hindi Karyashala organized on 27<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 at NIIMH, Hyderabad



View of one day Hindi karyashala organized on 25<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 at RARC, Dimapur,

#### **Republic Day Celebration**



View of unfurling of the National flag by Prof. (Vaidya) Rabinarayan Acharya, Director General, CCRAS, at NIIMH, Hyderabad



View of flag hoisting ceremony at RARI, Ranikhet on the occasion of Republic Day 2023



View of Flag hoisting by the hands of Dr. R. Govind Reddy, AD In charge, RRAP-CARI, Mumbai



Glimpse of flag hoisting ceremony at CARI, Jhansi on the occasion of Republic Day 2023

## **CCRAS** celebrates 'International Year of Millets -2023' across the country

CCRAS is celebrating 'International Year of Millets -2023' through its robust network of peripheral institutes across the country where approximately 344 activities in the form of Lectures, Awareness Programmes, Displaying of Millets, etc. were organized in the month of January to spread, promote and propagate information and importance of Millets across the country to lead a healthy lifestyle. More than 11,504 people received benefits from the various activities. A glimpse of some of the activities are:



Glimpse of awareness lecture delivered to the OPD patients organized as a part of celebration of 'International Year of Millets -2023' at RARI, Vijayawada



Glimpse of awareness lecture on 'Importance of Millets and its nutritional and medicinal uses' delivered to the students of Govt. Tribal Middle School, Chennai by officials of RARI, Vijayawada.



Glimpse of awareness talks on Millets as a part of Glimpse of awareness session organized at centre's OPD as celebration of 'International Year of Millets -2023' by RARC, a part of celebration of 'International Year of Millets -2023' Dimapur team at Prodigral's Home, Fellowship colony, by RARC, Agartala Dimapur





showing the millets to the students of Government High 'Importance of minor millets in our daily life' at CARI, New School, Malakpet as a part of celebration of 'International Delhi under the celebration of the International year of Year of Millets -2023'



Glimpse of Mr. K. Srinivas Rao, LIA, NIIMH, Hyderabad Glimpse of Dr. Kishor Patel, R.O. (Ay.) delivering lecture on, Millets

## Celebration of 100 days countdown of **International Day of Yoga 2023**

Yoga Mahotsav 2023, the three days event to commemorate 100 days countdown to International Day of Yoga 2023 was inaugurated by the Union Minister for Ayush and Ports, Shipping & Waterways Shri Sarbananda Sonowal at New Delhi on 13th March 2023. Following the footprints, CCRAS along with all the peripheral institutes organized various activities to give a wider promotion and publicity to various dimensions of Yoga. A glimpse of some of the activities are:



Glimpse of Dr. G. Babu, Director, Institute, initiated the yoga session under Yoga Mahotsav 2023, an event to commemorate 100 days countdown to International Day of Yoga-2023 at CARI Kolkata.





Glimpse of Yoga Asanas performed by centre officials as a View of Yoga session performed by institute officials as a part of 100 days countdown to International Day of Yoga- part of 100 days countdown to International Day of Yoga-2023 at RARC, Dimapur.

Glimpse of Dr. R. Govind Reddy, AD In-charge, initiated the yoga session under 100 days countdown to International Day of Yoga-2023 at RRAP-CARI Mumbai.



2023 at RARI, Ahmedabad.



View of Yoga session performed by institute internees as a View of Yoga asanas performed by the institute officials and part of 100 days countdown to International Day of Yoga- employees as a part of 100 days countdown to IDY-2023 at 2023 at NARIP, Cheruthuruthy.



RARI, Mandi.

### **Honors/Awards**



Glimpse of Dr. Sulochana Bhatt, AD Incharge,CARI Bengaluru, conferred with Regional Official Language Award (3rd Prize, Region C) for the year of 2021-22 for excellent work in the implementation of official language in daily official work by Regional Implementation Office (South), Department of Official Language, Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India on 27<sup>th</sup> January, 2023.



Glimpses of Dr. G. P. Prasad, AD In-charge, NIIMH, Hyderabad and Dr. Ashfaque Ahmed, R.O. (Unani) conferred with the '21<sup>st</sup> UMA Excellence Award' for the promotion and propagation of Unani medicine by the World Unani League on 19<sup>th</sup> February, 2023

#### **Appointment/Promotions/Retirements/Transfers**

#### **CCRAS Headquarters, New Delhi**

• Dr. Adarsh Kumar, Assistant Director (Ay.) retired on 31st January 2023

#### CARI, Patiala

• Smt. Asha Verma, Hindi Assistant retired as voluntarily on 31<sup>st</sup> January 2023.



- Smt. Hemlata joined as Staff Nurse on 15<sup>th</sup> March 2023.
- Miss Afsana joined as Staff Nurse on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023.

#### CARI, Kolkata

- Dr. G. Babu, Assistant Director (Ay.) joined as Director on 03<sup>rd</sup> February 2023.
- Mr. Sitaram Mandi, Lab. technician retired on 31<sup>st</sup> March 2023.

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