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தேசிய கருத்தரங்கு: உலக ஆரோக்கியத்திற்கான சித்த மருத்துவம்

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Central Auditorium, Institute of Asian Studies,
Sholinganallur, Chennai - 600 119

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Siddha system of Medicine

Siddha is one of the ancient, codified, traditional systems of medicine and an important component of Ayush systems of medicine providing holistic care. Siddha system emphasizes the prevention of illness as well as promotion of health through its various internal and external dosage forms. Moreover, the strength of Siddha is its distinct therapeutic procedures namely Pura maruthuvam (External therapies) which have gained universal acceptance and recognition. Siddha has a structured system for imparting education, health services, research and manufacturing with the constant support from Ministry of Ayush, Govt. of India and State Ayush Departments in Tamil Nadu, New Delhi, Kerala, Puducherry, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh & Goa.

About the Conference

The National Conference on Siddha for Global Health (NCSGH) is a two-day conference organised under the theme "Siddha for Global Health."

The conference will feature a session with eminent speakers highlighting Siddha's contributions to preventive healthcare, nutrition, healthy lifestyles, disease management, rejuvenation, and holistic well-being. This will be followed by oral and poster presentations by UG and PG students, research scholars, and Siddha practitioners, providing a platform for scientific exchange and research collaboration. All are cordially invited to participate, share knowledge, and explore the global relevance of Siddha medicine.

Theme of the Conference: Siddha for Global Health

Siddha offers unique contributions to public health through holistic care, preventive practices, and sustainable disease management. By emphasizing balanced diet, and healthy lifestyle, Siddha aligns with public health goals to prevent chronic diseases, improve mental wellness, and manage infections. Siddha system has a special mention for rejuvenation methods. Siddha system uses local resources and makes it accessible and affordable, especially for rural and underserved population. Siddha's principles support maternal-child health, environmental sanitation, and geriatric care, making it a valuable complement to modern healthcare in promoting comprehensive wellness.

ORGANIZING INSTITUTION

Central Council for Research in Siddha (CCRS)

Central Council for Research in Siddha (CCRS) is an autonomous organization under the Ministry of Ayush, Government of India. CCRS is an apex body for carrying out research in the Siddha system. The Council has 9 peripheral institutes/units at various states and union territories of India, such as Tamil Nadu, New Delhi, Kerala, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Goa, and Puducherry and 5 co-located centres. Clinical research, Drug discovery, Medicinal plant research, Literary research, and Siddha basic fundamental research are carried out by CCRS through its affiliated institutes/units. CCRS is rendering clinical services through its peripheral institutes and units, along with a Siddha wing at Ayush Wellness Clinic, Rashtrapathi Bhavan in New Delhi. Siddha extension OPDs functioning at All India Institute of Ayurveda (AIIA) at Saritha Vihar, New Delhi, Puducherry University, CSIR-CLRI, and NIE-ICMR to provide Siddha treatment for the benefit of the general public and conduct research.