

National Workshop on 'IT Solutions in the Ayush Sector' Concludes in Kerala

Ayush Grid, Ministry of Ayush, Demonstrates Comprehensive Digital Platforms for Healthcare, Education, Research, and Regulation

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The two-day National Workshop on "IT Solutions in the Ayush Sector," organised under the aegis of the National Ayush Mission, concluded today at KTDC Waterscapes, Kumarakom, with live demonstrations and in-depth deliberations on Ayush Grid and associated digital platforms.

On the concluding day, Ayush Grid presented a comprehensive overview of the Ministry of Ayush's digital infrastructure, showcasing how the integrated system is laying the foundation for a unified, citizen-centric, and globally connected Ayush ecosystem.

The platforms demonstrated included:

Ayush Hospital Management Information System (A-HMIS): enabling digital healthcare delivery and efficient patient care.

e-Learning Management System (e-LMS): providing modern learning tools for Ayush education.

Yoga Portal & Y-Break App: promoting healthy lifestyles and workplace wellness.

NGO and National Ayush Mission (NAM) Portals: digitizing Central Sector Schemes and capacity building, with state-specific access to State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs).

e-Aushadhi Portal & Ayush Suraksha: streamlining drug regulation, ensuring patient safety, and quality standards.

Ayush Research Portal, Clinical Case Repository, and Ayusoft: strengthening research, clinical documentation, and knowledge exchange.

NAMASTE Portal: standardising Ayush practices across states.

mYoga App (developed with WHO) & Ayush Global Portal: supporting international collaborations and global outreach.

PM-GatiShakti Ayush Asset Mapping Tool: enhancing infrastructure planning and monitoring.

Ayush Grid also showcased emerging AI-based platforms being developed to strengthen predictive analysis, clinical decision support, and real-time monitoring within the Ayush digital framework.

As part of the deliberations, representatives from seven States presented their experiences in adopting digital solutions for Ayush, highlighting best practices and challenges. The workshop concluded with a group discussion to draft a common protocol for digital integration, which will be shared with the Ministry of Ayush for consideration in future policy decisions.

In her inaugural address yesterday, Smt. Veena George, Minister for Health and Women & Child Development, Government of Kerala, had underlined that "embracing rapid technological

advancements must go hand in hand with preserving traditional values.” She emphasised that digital tools should seamlessly integrate into the health ecosystem, enabling real-time monitoring, transparent financial tracking, and enhanced accessibility for citizens.

Delivering the keynote address, Vaidya Rajesh Kotecha, Secretary, Ministry of Ayush, stressed that the “adoption of digital tools is no longer optional but essential to improve accessibility, affordability, and quality of service delivery in the Ayush sector.” He called upon States and Union Territories to align with the National Digital Health Mission by adopting interoperable systems, standardising software, and ensuring equitable access to modernised Ayush services.

The workshop brought together 91 representatives from 23 States and Union Territories and 155 participants overall, including senior officials, technical experts, and policymakers. Delegates expressed that the two-day event has not only provided clarity on Central Government IT platforms but also opened pathways for inter-state collaboration and uniform standards in digital health.

A field visit for participants to Ayush facilities in Kottayam, Alappuzha, and Thrissur districts will follow on September 20–21, 2025, providing on-ground insights into Kerala’s pioneering digital health interventions and Ayush infrastructure.

This National Workshop marks a pivotal advance in India’s journey toward a future-ready, dynamic, and citizen-focused Ayush digital health ecosystem.

The inauguration press release may be read by clicking the link i.e. <https://www.pib.gov.in/PressReleasePage.aspx?PRID=2167995&v=3> .



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