INTRODUCTION OF DEPARTMENT

The department of Indian Systems of Medicine & Homoeopathy plays a very vital role in the health care delivery systems of the State of Himachal Pradesh. With the passage of time, these systems are becoming more popular amongst the rural as well as in urban population of the State for the treatment of seasonal and chronic diseases. The Department is providing health care facilities to the general public of the Pradesh through the following ISM&H Institutions:-

Sr.No.	Ayurvedic	Nos.
	Hospitals/Ayurvedic/Homo.Unani/Amchi Health	
	Centres	
1.	Regional Ayurvedic Hospitals	02
	(100/50-bedded each)	
2.	Ayurvedic Hospitals	23
	(20 bedded 04,10 bedded-18)	
3.	Ayurvedic Health Centres	1109
4.	Homoeopathic health centres	14
5.	Unani Health centre	03
6.	Nature Cure Hospital	01
7.	Amchi Clinics	04
	Other Institutions	
1	Govt. Ayur. Pharmacy Jogindernagar, Majra,	3
	Paprola	
2	Rajiv Gandhi Govt. P.G. Ay. College Paprola	1
3	Research Institute in ISM Jogindernagar	1
4	Drug Testing Lab Jogindernagar	1
5	Panchkarma Centre Bilaspur, Paprola,	6
	Dharamshala, Nahan, Nalagarh, RAH Shimla	
6	Herbal Gardens	3

The State Govt. has laid special emphasis on the expansion of ISM&H Institution by opening of AHCs / Upgradation of Ayurvedic Health Centers into 10/20 bedded hospitals. Besides this the Department has three Pharmacies which are manufacturing medicines that are supplied to the Ayurvedic Institutions of the Department and Drug Testing Laboratory for keeping the quality control of medicines being manufactured by Departmental / Private Pharmacies. These Institutions are being strengthened from the funds provided by the Govt. of India.

Besides above, the department has laid special emphasis for the opening of Herbal Gardens in different agro-climatic zones of the Pradesh for the promotion, cultivation and propagation of varied medicinal plants. Presently we have established three herbal gardens.

Similarly for the same purposes, one Vanaspati Van Society and State Medicinal Plant Board have been established under which activities at Kullu & Chamba are being undertaken and under Medicinal Plant Board, we are educating the farmers, NGOs, GOs to provide know how about the value of medicinal plants by organizing camps at different places, so that they are able to generate extra income by cultivating medicinal plants in their private land.

Presently, there are 50 number of seats for BAMS Degree courses. The course of study for BAMS Degree is five and half year which includes one year compulsory rotary internship and is governed by the Rules & Regulations of HP. University to which this Institution is affiliated. PG.courses in the faculty of Kaya-Chikitsa, Shalya, Shalkya Tantra, Prasuti Tantra, Samhita Sidhant & Ras Shastra is available in the College to provide educational inputs to the students and make them professionally competent as Teacher, Research & Specialist in their respective fields. The P.G. course is of three year duration having intake capacity of 24 students. The Govt. of India is kind enough to

provide financial assistance not only to strengthen the College but also for DTL/Pharmacies. Rajiv Gandhi Govt. P.G. Ayurvedic College Paprola is to be developed as "Model College" and implementing the assurance of the Hon'ble Himachal Pradesh a 100 bedded hospital is under construction. AA/ES worth Rs. 2.58 crore has been conveyed by State Govt. which has now been revised to 403.00 crore. Govt. of India has provided Rs. 1.40 crore for this construction work which is being executed by H.P. PWD. and remaining amount is being spent by State Govt.

Department of Indian System of Medicine & Homoeopathy

Himachal Pradesh

No. Ayur. H (B)(4)-10/2003-Inf.Act.05

Dated Shimla-9

OFFICE ORDER

Under Sub-Section 4 (1) of the Right to information Act, 2005, which lays down certain obligations of the Public Authority regarding maintenance of record, publication of information of various aspects for the preparation of 17 manual as intimated vide letter No. PER (AR)-F(7)-2/98 dated 9.9.2005, a task committee of the following members are hereby constituted in the department of Ayurveda to prepare material on this important aspects immediately so that there is no delay in the implementation of the act. The material by the committee shall be sent to a Administrative Reforms Organization.

- 1. Addl. Director (Ay.)
- 2. Assistant Director (Ay.)
- 3. Supdt. Grade I, Dte. of Ayurveda, H.P.

Sd/-

Director Ayurveda, Himachal Pradesh.

Endst. No. As above.

Dated, Shimla-9 15.10.2005

Copy to:-

- (1) The Pr. Secy,((AR) to the Govt. of H.P. w.r.t. his letter No. PER(AR)F(7)-2/98-Vol.I (loose) dated 9th September 2005 for information please.
- (2) The Pr. Secy.(Ay.) to the Govt. of H.P. w.r.t. his letter No. Ayur. (F)(13)10/2003 dated 30.9.2005 for information please.
- (3) All above concerned officers along with the copy of ibid act for perusal and strict compliance.

Director Ayurveda, Himachal Pradesh

Department of Indian System of Medicine & Homoeopathy Himachal Pradesh

No. Ayur. H (B)

Dated Shimla-9

OFFICE ORDER

Under Sub-Section-2 of Section 5 (of the Right to Information Act, 2005) the following officers whose designation and complete addresses are given hereunder are appointed/ designated as public information officer in respect to their Distts. to implement the provisions of the Act. They Shall receive the applications for information, for appeal under the ibid act for forwarding the same to the State Public Information/Appellate authority specified under Sub-rule-1 of section 19 or to the State information Commissioner to provide information to persons requesting for the information under this act.

They shall deal with the request from persons seeking information & render reasonable assistance to the persons seeking such information.

S.N.	Designation	Address	Tel No	Jurisdiction (for which he will be rendering information to the applicants)
1	District Ayurvedic Officer	Bilaspur Distt. Bilaspur, H.P.	01978-222486	Distt. Bilaspur,
2	District Ayurvedic Officer	Chamba Distt. Chamba, H.P.	01899-222669	Distt. Chamba,
3	District Ayurvedic Officer	Hamirpur Distt. Hamirpur, H.P.	01972-222539	Distt. Hamirpur,
4	District Ayurvedic Officer	Kangra at Dharamshala, H.P.	01892-223202	Distt. Kangra
5	District Ayurvedic Officer	Kinnaur at Peo, H.P.	01785-222209	Distt. Kinnaur
6	District Ayurvedic Officer	Kullu Distt. Kullu, H.P.	01902-222637	Distt. Kullu,
7	District Ayurvedic Officer	L & S at Keylong, H.P.	01900-222271	Distt. L & S
8	District Ayurvedic Officer	Mandi Distt. Mandi, H.P.	01905-223362	Distt. Mandi,
9	District Ayurvedic Officer	Shimla Distt. Shimla, H.P.	0177-2658628	Distt. Shimla,
10	District Ayurvedic Officer	Sirmour at Nahan, H.P.	01702-222567	Distt. Sirmour
11	District Ayurvedic Officer	Solan Distt. Solan H.P.	01792-222538	Distt. Solan
12	District Ayurvedic Officer	Una Distt. Una, H.P.	01975-226011	Distt. Una,

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- (4) All the Distt. Ayurvedic Officers (Appointed as Public Information Officers in their respective Distt.) for information and n/a.

Director Ayurveda, Himachal Pradesh