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Weekly Insights & Updates

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Ministry of AYUSH announces setting up of Academic Chair in Ayurvedic Science at Western Sydney University, Australia

The Ministry of AYUSH has formally announced setting up of Ayurveda Academic Chair based at Western Sydney University's NICM Health Research Institute for three years tenure. Dr. Rajagopala S., Associate Professor & Head (Department of Kaumarabhritya) All India Institute of Ayurveda (AIIA), New Delhi has been selected for the post of Academic Chair in Ayurvedic Science at Western Sydney University, Australia.

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### Reforms in AYUSH sector to boost growth: Shri Sarbananda Sonowal

Union Minister of AYUSH, Shri Sarbananda Sonowal laid emphasis on how AYUSH can play an important role in realizing the dream of 'New India' by providing holistic healthcare and medical care for its citizens. The Union Minister addressed the gathering at the 6th CII AYUSH Conclave 2022 in New Delhi.

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Centre deploys High-Level teams to Ranchi (Jharkhand), Ahmedabad (Gujarat), and Malappuram (Kerala) to assess and manage increase in the number of Measles cases among children

Union Ministry of Health and Family Welfare has decided to depute three, high-level multi-disciplinary 3-member teams to Ranchi (Jharkhand), Ahmedabad (Gujarat), and Malappuram (Kerala) to take stock of the upsurge in cases of Measles. The teams will assist the State Health Authorities in instituting public health measures and facilitate operationalization of requisite control and containment measures.

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Dr. Bharati Pravin Pawar, Union Minister of State for Health and Family Welfare to participate in the Third Global Conference on Antimicrobial Resistance in the Sultanate of Oman on 24-25 November 2022

Union Minister of State for Health and Family Welfare, Dr. Bharati Pravin Pawar will participate in

the 'Third Global High-Level Ministerial Conference on Antimicrobial Resistance' to be held in Muscat, Oman on 24-25 November 2022. The Union Minister will deliver India's national statement during the conference's opening session for statements from the heads of the delegation. During the conference, Dr. Pawar will also have extensive discussions with other leaders, policymakers, key global experts, representatives from the private sector, civil society, research institutions, and multilateral organizations on antimicrobial resistance (AMR), which is one of the greatest threats to global public health preventing the treatment of bacterial diseases using antibiotics.

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# Dr. Bharati Pravin Pawar, Union Minister of State for Health participates in the 'Third Global High-Level Conference on Anti-Microbial Resistance' in Muscat, Oman

"AMR is a silent and invisible pandemic that cannot be overshadowed by other competing public health priorities", Union Minister of State for Health and Family Welfare, Dr. Bharati Pravin Pawar said as she spoke at the ministerial plenary panel of the 'Third Global High-Level Conference on Anti-Microbial Resistance' in Muscat, Oman. 22 participants from more than 15 countries attended the conference. The event witnessed the launch of the Multi-Stakeholder Partnership Platform on AMR by the Quadripartite Organizations.

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## MoU signed between the Ministry of AYUSH and Department of Science and Technology

A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed between the Ministry of AYUSH, Government of India, and the Department of Science and Technology (DST), Ministry of Science and Technology & Earth Sciences. The MoU will identify the potential areas of research to explore cooperation, convergence, and synergy for evidence-based scientific intervention in the AYUSH sector and further application of these into the public health care system.

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