



AYUSH Grid and NAMASTE Portal

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Why in News

Recently, the Minister of State for **AYUSH** has informed about the development of the **AYUSH Grid and NAMASTE Portal**.

AYUSH Grid

- AYUSH Grid, initiated by the **Ministry of AYUSH**, aims to **bring onboard all AYUSH** (Ayurveda, Yoga and Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha and Homoeopathy) **facilities including hospitals and laboratories** and to promote traditional systems of healthcare.
- The Ministry of AYUSH and Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology have already inked a pact to **collaborate with each other for the digitisation of the AYUSH sector**.

NAMASTE Portal

- **National AYUSH Morbidity and Standardized Terminologies Electronic Portal** (NAMASTE Portal) was launched on **17th October, 2017 (2nd Ayurveda day)**.
The **National Ayurveda Day** is celebrated every year on the occasion of **Dhanwantari Jayanti (Dhanteras)**.
- The portal provides standardized terminologies & morbidity codes for Ayurveda, Siddha and Unani systems of medicines.
Morbidity codes provide a comprehensive classification of diseases described in the traditional medicines system.

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