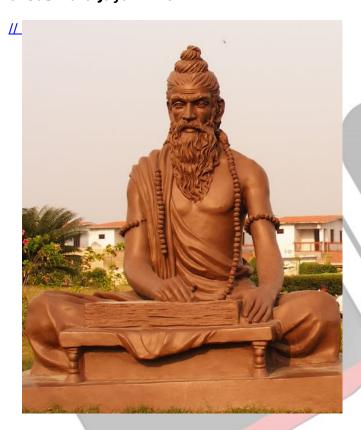


Saushrutam 2024

Why in News?

Recently, The **Department of Shalya Tantra** at <u>All-India Institute of Ayurveda (AllA)</u> successfully organised the **Second National Seminar SAUSHRUTAM Shalya Sangoshti** on the occasion of **Sushruta Jayanti-2024**.





Key Points

- Sushruta Jayanti is celebrated annually on 15th July to honor Sushruta, the legendary <u>father of surgery</u>.
- He was an ancient Indian surgeon from Kashi (around 7th century BC) and is the author of 'Sushruta Samhita', a comprehensive textbook on medicine and surgery.
- The Sushruta Samhita is organized into five major sections:
 - Sutrasthana: Primary principles dealing with basic principles of medical sciences and pharmacology;
 - Nidana: It deals with pathological concepts;
 - Sarirasthana: On human anatomy;
 - Chikitsasthanam: On medical and surgical management;
 - Kalpasthanam: On toxicology.

