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About the Institute:-

This Institute was established in May, 1961 as a Medicinal Plant Garden and Herbarium in the area 19.5 acres which was purchased from Mr. Vandrekar and it was registered in the name of His Excellency President of India. In the year, January 2000, it was renamed as Regional Research Institute (Ayureda) and similarly in the year 2010, it was again renamed as National Research Institute of Basic Ayurvedic Sciences (NRIBAS) and Regional Ayurveda Institute for Fundamental Research (RAIFR). At present, the Institute is known as "Regional Ayurveda Research Institute". The total staff strength (sanctioned) is 58; however, at present 20 numbers of staff are working in the Institute. Institute has three buildings and 8 laboratories of different subjects such as Pharmacognosy, Phytochemistry, Plant Tissue Culture Laboratory, Biochemistry laboratory, Pharmacology /cell biology laboratory, Animal Pathology Herbarium and In-vitro & In -vivo Pharmacology and Animal House.

Institute mandate is as follows:-

Basic and fundamental research in ayurveda, In-vitro pharmacology testing, proteomics and metabolomics, medicinal plant research, other activities, demonstrative medicinal plants garden, pharmacognosy research, plant tissue culture, molecular biology research, any other assignment of national importance related to research and development in ayurveda.

Details of Officers and Staff:-

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Staff Pattern, staff in position and vacant posts, as current re- deployment:

Sr. No.	**Group**	**Sanctioned strength**	**Staff in position**	**Vacant post**
1.	A	11	07	04
2.	B	06	05	01
3.	C	41	08*	33
Total		**58**	**20**	**42**

*As per Head Quarters Order.

Sr. No.	Name of the Post	Number of Post Sanctioned	Number of Post filled as on date	Number of Vacant Posts
1	Assistant Director (Ay.)	1	0	1
2	Research Officer (P'cognosy)	1	0	1
3	Research Officer (P'cology)	2	2	0
4	Research Officer (Botany)	1	1	0
5	Research Officer (Ay.)	2	2	0
7	Research Officer(Plant – Biotechnology/ Bio-Chemistry)	1	1	0
8	Research Officer (Animal /Experimental Pathology)	1	1	0
9	Research Officer (Molecular Biology)	2	0	2
10	Assistant Research Officer (Botany)	1	1	0
11	Assistant Research Officer (P'cognosy)	1	0	1
12	Assistant Research Officer (P'cology)	3	3	0
13	Assistant Research Officer (Plant Biotechnology/Bio-Chem.)	1	1	0
14	Research Assistant (Botany)	1	1	0
15	R.A. (Garden)	1	0	1
16	R.A. (Plant Pathology)	1	0	1
17	Garden Supervisor	1	0	1
18	Artist (Sr.)	1	0	1
19	Assistant	1	0	1
20	Steno Grade-II	1	0	1
21	Field Assistant	1	0	1

22	Field Attendant	3	0	3
23	Lab. Tech.	4	0	4
24	Upper Division Clerk	3	1	2
25	Lower Division Clerk	3	1	2
26	Driver	1	1	0
27	Photographer	1	0	1
28	Attendant Survey	1	0	1
29	Lab. Attendant	5	0	5
30	Chowkidar	1	0	1
31	Khalashi	2	0	2
32	Mali	1	0	1
33	Peon	2	0	2
34	Safaiwala	2	0	2
35	Pharm Attendant/	2	0	2
36	Labourer	2	0	2
37	Herbarium Assistant	NA	NA	NA
38	Field Collector	NA	NA	NA
39	Research Assistant **(**Garden Supervisor**)**	NA	NA	NA
40	Research Assistant (Pharmacy)	NA	NA	NA
	Total :	58	16	42

IMR Project since last 3 years:-

Sr. No.	Name of the IMR Projects
1.	IMR Project-Developing image-based taxonomical database of plants used in the Ayurveda part - II.
2.	Documentation of life Profile of admirable personalities to transform Ayurveda(APTA) – Late Vaidya Gangadhar Shastri Gune and Late Vaidya Dilip Gadgil
3.	A Cross-Sectional survey study on the Impact of Social-Media on Knowledge of Ayurvedic Medicines among the public in Pune City
4.	Prospective Observational Documentation of Routine Clinical Use of Badaradi Niruha Basti and Matra Basti During Pregnancy and Associated Maternal, Obstetric, and Neonatal Outcomes
5.	Cross sectional survey to study the distribution pattern of different Prakriti types across India-A multicentric study
6.	IMR Project- Investigating the Effect of Vesicular Arbuscular Mycorrhiza (VAM) on Growth, Yield, Phytochemical Contents and Pharmacological Activities of Shalaparni and Prishniparni.
7.	IMR Project- Implementation and Evaluation of a Health Care Model Using Structured Yoga and Lifestyle Interventions for Wellness Promotion and Chronic Disease Risk Reduction: A Health Systems Research Study
8.	IMR Project- "Evaluation of Seasonal and Geographical variation Phyto-constituents Marker compounds in Selected Medicinal plants used in Ayurveda"
9.	IMR Project-Evaluation of Acute and Sub-chronic (90 days repeated dose) oral toxicity of test drug AYUSH AG'
10.	IMR Project- Evaluation of Acute and Sub-chronic (90 Days Repeated Dose) Oral Toxicity of Test Drug AYUSH GG
11.	IMR Project- Genotoxicity and teratogenicity evaluation of Nimbatiktam in experimental animals
12.	EMR Project- Preclinical Toxicological Evaluation and Safety Pharmacology of Ayurvedic Formulations- Laksha Guggulu, Dadimadi Ghrita, Ekangaveera Rasa
13.	IMR Project- An exploratory study on Ayurvedic formulation 'Shwas Kuthar Rasa' as adjunct therapy to Amphotericin B for the management of the experimental model of Aspergillosis
14.	IMR Coll.Project- Exploring the effect of Yakrut Sulavinashini Vatika in high-fat diet-induced NAFLD in mice
15.	IMR Project- Studies on Pharmacokinetic and Pharmacodynamic Drug Drug Interactions of Kaishora Guggulu and Amritadi Guggulu, Compound Ayurvedic Formulations with Febuxostat and Naproxen in Rats
16.	IMR Coll.Project- Effect of Kutajghan Vati, an Anticolitic Ayurvedic Drug on Intestinal Inflammation and Oxidative Damage: In vitro and In silico Mechanistic Studies
17	Developing image based taxonomical database of plants used in the Ayurveda, Part-II-

18	Documentation of life Profile of admirable personalities to transform Ayurveda(APTA) Late Vaidya Gangadhar Shastri Gune and Late Vaidya Dilip Gadgil
19	A Cross-Sectional survey study on the Impact of Social-Media on Knowledge of Ayurvedic Medicines among the public in Pune City
20	Prospective Observational Documentation of Routine Clinical Use of Badaradi Niruha Basti and Matra Basti During Pregnancy and Associated Maternal, Obstetric, and Neonatal Outcomes-AGNI initiative
21	Cross sectional survey to study the distribution pattern of different Prakriti types across India-A multi-centric study

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