



## Event report

Name of the Event: National Workshop on SAMATVAM 2025

Name of the Department: Integrative Medicine

Sl.no	Event Report
1	Level of Event - Institutional
2	<p><b>Background/Introduction</b> The Department of Integrative Medicine, Sri Devaraj Urs Academy of Higher Education and Research (SDUAHER), in collaboration with the RL Jalappa Institute of Oncology, Sri Devaraj Urs Medical College, Sri Devaraj Urs College of Nursing, and the Research and Development Cell, SDUAHER, organized SAMATVAM 2025, a hybrid workshop held on 20th June 2025 to commemorate the 11th International Day of Yoga. Themed “Integrative Medicine: The Future of Healthcare”, the event aimed to highlight the growing relevance of integrative approaches in contemporary medical practice. The workshop was funded by the Central Council for Research in Yoga and Naturopathy (CCRYN), Ministry of AYUSH, Government of India. The program began with a basic introduction to Integrative Medicine delivered by Dr. Ashween Bilagi, Head of the Department of Integrative Medicine. The inaugural session commenced at 10:45 AM, featuring an invocation song and a welcome address by Dr. Arvind Natarajan, Dean, Faculty of Allied Healthcare Professionals, followed by opening remarks from Dr. DVLN Prasad, Chief Administrative Officer, Dr. Muninarayana C, Registrar, and Dr. Vengamma B, Hon’ble Vice Chancellor, SDUAHER. A heartfelt sharing of experiences by cancer survivors added an inspiring dimension to the proceedings.</p> <p>The academic sessions featured expert insights from eminent speakers. Dr. Prabhakar K, Principal, SDUMC, presented on the role of Integrative Medicine in managing diabetes and hypertension. Dr. Manjunath G N, Professor, Department of Radiation Oncology, spoke on its application in end-of-life and palliative care. Dr. Raghavendra Rao, Director of CCRYN, Ministry of AYUSH, Government of India, delivered a comprehensive address on the importance of yoga and research in integrative health. The final session was led by Dr. Purushotham A, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry, who explored the integration of psychiatry with yoga-based interventions. The event concluded with a</p>

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	formal vote of thanks by Dr. Ashween Bilagi. The workshop was attended by faculty members, students, and healthcare professionals both in person and virtually, and served as a valuable platform to advance the discourse on holistic and patient-centered healthcare models.
3	<b>Venue-</b> Dr. B C Roy A V hall, 1 <sup>st</sup> floor, Central Library, SDUAHER.
4	<b>Sponsors -</b> SDUAHER
5	<b>Inauguration:</b> Dr. DVLN Prasad, CAO, SDUAHER Dr. Vengamma B Vice- Chancellor, SDUAHER Dr. Muninarayana.C, Registrar, SDUAHER Dr. Gopinath K S , Director, R L Jalappa Institute of Oncology, SDUAHER Dr. Prabhakar K , Principal SDUMC & Dean FOM, SDUAHER Dr. Arvind Natarajan, Dean, FAHP, SDUAHER Dr. Kalyini, Director, R&D, SDUAHER Dr. Ashween Bilagi, Head, Integrative Medicine, SDUAHER
6	<b>Speakers-</b> Dr. Gopinath K S , Director, R L Jalappa Institute of Oncology, SDUAHER Dr. Prabhakar K , Principal SDUMC & Dean FOM, SDUAHER Dr. Raghavendra Rao, Director of CCRYN, Ministry of Ayush, Govt. of India. Dr. Purushotham A , Assistant Professor, Dept. of Psychiatry, SDUAHER Dr. Manjunath G N , Professor, Dept. of Radiation Oncology, SDUAHER Dr. Ashween Bilagi, Head, Integrative Medicine, SDUAHER
7	<b>Participants &amp; Delegates - Offline:</b> 100 students, 20 faculty members Hybrid mode <b>Online : 52 Total: 172</b>

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8	Prize distribution etc. - NA
9	Valedictory ceremony - The event concluded with a formal vote of thanks by Dr. Ashween Bilagi
10	Highlights of the events, including photos - Enclosed
11	Dates of conduct of events: 20/06/2025 , at 10.30 am to 1.00 pm

  
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