



Panchkarma Centers in Every City of Haryana

Why in News?

Recently, **Haryana Health, Family Welfare, and Ayush Minister Anil Vij** has announced that **Panchkarma centers** will be **opened in every city** of the state.

- **Tourism wellness centers** will also be set up in tourist places.

Key Points

- The minister also announced the establishment of a **drug testing laboratory** within the [Ayush department](#).
- To promote Ayush in the state a number of steps have been taken:
 - The **5500 Ayush yoga assistants will be recruited** soon and they will be assigned the responsibility of yoga training in prestigious parks, Dharamshala, and community centers in urban areas.
 - **Ayush yoga inspectors and coaches** will also be recruited through [Haryana Kaushal Rozgar Nigam](#).
 - In the first phase, **1121 Vyamshallas** are under construction in the state, **with 656 of them handed over to the Ayush department**.
 - **892 yoga assistants** have been appointed in yoga centers and community spaces. In the next phase, 1353 new yoga centers have been earmarked.
 - The approval to run **Ayurvedic pharmacy at Shri Krishna Ayush University** has been granted and officials have been directed to begin indoor and outdoor Ayush treatment facilities at the university.
 - The State Medicinal Plant Board officials have been directed to **initiate training programs for the cultivation of medicinal plants for farmers**.