

Report on National Workshop on Standardization in the field of Unani, Siddha & Homeopathy Institutes

As per the request from National Commission for Indian System of Medicine (NCISM), and nomination from Yunus Fazlani Unani Medical College (YFUMC), Kunkjheda Aurangabad, nominated Dr Waish Ahmad, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Ilmul Advia, YFUMC, attended one day National workshop on “Standardization in the field of Unani, Sidha, and Homeopathy” held on 30 January 2025 at The Park, Hyderabad. This workshop was organized by the Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), under Ministry of Consumer affairs, Food and Public Distribution, Govt. of India.



DISHA 2025
NATIONAL WORKSHOP
ON STANDARDIZATION IN THE FIELD OF
UNANI, SIDDHA & HOMOEOPATHY
FOR THE FACULTIES OF UNANI, SIDDHA &
HOMOEOPATHY INSTITUTES

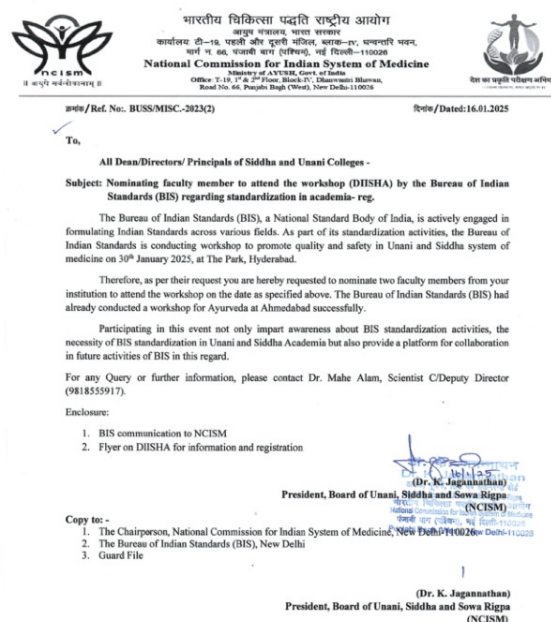
- 1 THURSDAY, 30 JANUARY, 2025
- 2 9 AM - 4:30 PM
- 3 THE PARK, HYDERABAD

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LAST DATE FOR REGISTRATION: 20TH JANUARY, 2025



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To,
All Dean/Directors/ Principals of Siddha and Unani Colleges -
Subject: Nominating faculty member to attend the workshop (DISHA) by the Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) regarding standardization in academia-reg.

The Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), a National Standard Body of India, is actively engaged in formulating Indian Standards across various fields. As part of its standardization activities, the Bureau of Indian Standards is conducting workshop to promote quality and safety in Unani and Siddha system of medicine on 30th January 2025, at The Park, Hyderabad.

Therefore, as per their request you are hereby requested to nominate two faculty members from your institution to attend the workshop on the date as specified above. The Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) had already conducted a workshop for Ayurveda at Ahmedabad successfully.

Participating in this event not only impart awareness about BIS standardization activities, the necessity of BIS standardization in Unani and Siddha Academia but also provide a platform for collaboration in future activities of BIS in this regard.

For any Query or further information, please contact Dr. Mahe Alam, Scientist C/Deputy Director (9818555917).

Enclosure:
1. BIS communication to NCISM
2. Flyer on DISHA for information and registration

Copy to:-
1. The Chairperson, National Commission for Indian System of Medicine, New Delhi
2. The Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), New Delhi
3. Guard File

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The objective of the workshop was to aware the Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy colleges about the Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), BIS initiatives, Disseminating information on Indian Standards for Healthcare Associates, standardization in quality products/procedures, minimizing substandard drugs, enhancing consumer satisfaction, and searching new & priority areas for standardization in Unani, Siddha, and Homeopathy.

DIISHA 2025

Workshop for Faculty Members of Unani, Siddha and Homoeopathy Institutions

Programme Schedule

Time	Topic	Speaker
9.00 h – 10.00 h	Registration of Delegates	
10.00 h – 10.10 h	Welcome address	Shri S.K. Kanogia Head (AYD), BIS, New Delhi
10.10 h – 10.20 h	Inaugural address	Shri Rajeev Sharma, DDG (Standardization- I), BIS, New Delhi
10.20 h – 10.30 h	Keynote address	Dr Anil Khurana Chairman, NCH, New Delhi
10.30 h – 10.40 h	Keynote address	Dr Raj K Manchanda Chairperson, AYD 07 (Homoeopathy), BIS, New Delhi
10.40 h – 10.50 h	Keynote address	Prof. Asim Ali Khan Chairperson, AYD 04 (Unani), BIS, New Delhi
10.50 h – 11.00 h	Keynote address	Prof. Dr. R. Meenakumari Chairperson, AYD 05 (Siddha), BIS, New Delhi
11.00 h – 11.30 h	TEA BREAK	
TECHNICAL SESSIONS		
11.30 h – 12.00 h	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Overview of BIS• Importance of National and International Standards• Standards formulation process	Shri S.K. Kanogia Head, Ayush Dept. BIS, New Delhi
12.00 h – 12.15 h	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Overview of Standardization in the field of Unani, Siddha and Homoeopathy• Important Indian Standards published and under development	Dr Kumar Vivekanand Scientist D/Joint Director; MS, Homoeopathy, BIS
12.15 h – 12.30 h		Dr Mahe Alam Scientist C/Deputy Director; MS, Unani, BIS
12.30 h – 12.45 h		Dr Kiruthiga G Scientist B/Asst. Director; MS, Siddha, BIS
12.45 h – 13.15 h	Live Demo of BIS Standardization Portal and BIS Care App.	Dr. Kumar Vivekanand Scientist D/Joint Director; MS, Homoeopathy, BIS
13.15 h – 14.00 h	LUNCH BREAK	
BRAINSTORMING SESSION		
14:00 h – 15:30 h	Identification of new areas/ subjects for Standardization	Dr Naveen Pawaskar Director, JIMS, Hyderabad
	Importance of Research in Standardization	Dr Yunis Munshi Director, NRIUM, Hyderabad, Telangana
	Trade prospects of Indian Standards in Ayush Sector	Dr S. Mathukumar Member, BUSS, NCISM, New Delhi
	FACILITATORS <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dr Anil Khurana, Chairman, National Commission for Homoeopathy, New Delhi• Dr Raj K Manchanda, Chairperson, AYD 07, BIS, New Delhi (Former Director, AYUSH, Govt. of NCT of Delhi)• Prof. Asim Ali Khan, Chairperson, AYD 04, BIS, New Delhi (Dean, SUMER, Jamia Hamdard, New Delhi)• Prof. Dr. R. Meenakumari, Chairperson, AYD 05, BIS, New Delhi (Former Director, National Institute of Siddha, Chennai)	
15:30 h – 16.00 h	Way forward	Dr Kiruthiga G , Scientist B, BIS, New Delhi
16.00 h – 16.10 h	Vote of thanks	Dr. Mahe Alam , Scientist C, BIS, New Delhi
16:10 h – 16:30 h	High Tea	



The workshop was scheduled into an inaugural session, a technical session, and a brainstorming session. Various experts in the field of standards gave their presentations on the Importance of National and International Standards, Standards formulation process, Overview of Standardization in the field of Unani, Siddha, and Homoeopathy, Important Indian Standards published and under development, Importance of Research in Standardization and Trade prospects of Indian Standards in Ayush Sector. BIS emphasized to the collaborating institutes to create “Standard Club” containing teachers and students as members to inculcate quality consciousness and to critically evaluate various drafts released by BIS and generating new knowledge. BIS also emphasized to the institution to modernising education with Standardization and Research by focusing on high quality research oriented education. BIS emphasized to use Standard terminologies in academic writings, Standard treatment guidelines and Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) for *Hijamah* (Cupping Therapy) in clinical practices.

