**AYURGRAMA 2.0**

The Department of Ayurveda Samhita Siddhanta & Sanskrit, on the occasion of Charaka Jayanthi, organized AYURGRAM 2.0, a national-level Ayurveda contest in 2024 which was conducted by Aptas Ayurveda. This program was held over 7 days in the village of Chickalaparvi, starting on 8th July 2024. The entire program was successfully conducted by the 1st and 2nd-phase BAMS students under the guidance of the coordinator, Dr. Sumangala H.M.

The program commenced with a Dhanwantari Pooja in the morning, followed by a formal stage program. The gathering was welcomed, and a keynote address was delivered by Shri Sharanabasava, a Sanskrit teacher at the institute. A few students shared their thoughts on the occasion, and dignitaries also expressed their views about the program.

As part of the celebration, students participated in Charaka Samhita Parayana and various other activities, including:

* Yoga and Charaka Samhita reading
* Tree plantation
* Publicity in the village about Charaka Jayanthi
* Rangoli competition
* Drawing competition
* Healthcare camp
* First-aid demonstration
* Cultural programs
* Ladies' session
* Ayurvedic drink workshop

The Charaka Jayanthi celebrations concluded successfully with the support of the Principal, Dr. Sumangala H.M., and the team members.

Special thanks to AAPTAS Ayurveda Trust for organizing such a wonderful program.

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