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The White Coat : A Promise Beyond A Profession
Pandit Bhagwat Dayal Sharma University of Health Sciences Celebrates its Fifth Convocation Ceremony



A Convocation is not merely the culmination of academic pursuit; it is the beginning of a life long commitment to knowledge, compassion, and service. The campus of Pandit Bhagwat Dayal Sharma University of Health Sciences (UHSR), Rohtak, witnessed one of its most memorable academic milestones as the University conferred degrees upon 950 graduates during its Fifth Convocation Ceremony. Held in the majestic Sushruta Auditorium, the occasion brought together students, parents, faculty members, distinguished academicians, administrators and eminent dignitaries to celebrate years of perseverance, scholarship and professional transformation. The ceremony was graced by **Hon'ble Prof. Ashim Kumar Ghosh, Governor of Haryana and Chancellor of the University,** accompanied by the **First Lady of Haryana, Smt. Mitra Ghosh.**

A Celebration of Achievement and New Beginnings

The day commenced with the traditional Academic Procession, symbolising the rich heritage of higher education and the solemn responsibility entrusted to future healthcare professionals. As the University Kulgeet and National Song resonated through the auditorium, an atmosphere of pride, discipline and anticipation enveloped the gathering. One after another, graduates walked across the stage to receive the degrees they had earned through years of unwavering dedication. Proud parents watched with emotion as their children stepped into a new chapter of life, while teachers celebrated the success of students they had mentored throughout their academic journey. By the conclusion of the ceremony, **950** graduates representing medicine, dentistry, nursing, physiotherapy, pharmacy and allied health sciences had been formally admitted into their respective professions. Among them, **68** meritorious students—**17** undergraduate and 51postgraduate scholars—were honoured with Gold Medals for their exceptional academic achievements.

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Advancing Healthcare Through Innovation and Research : The Convocation also served as an opportunity to reflect upon the University's remarkable progress in education, research and patient care. Among the University's recent achievements are: • Continued leadership in organ donation and transplantation.• Thirty-eight successful kidney transplants with an outstanding success rate.• A vibrant research ecosystem supported by ₹5 crore of internal research funding during the current financial year.• Ongoing administrative transformation through the implementation of a digital e Office system.

Moments That Will Be Cherished Forever : Beyond the formal proceedings lay moments of genuine emotion. As names were announced and degrees conferred, smiles, applause and tears of joy filled the Sushruta Auditorium. Students celebrated with photographs, laughter and heartfelt gratitude towards mentors, classmates and loved ones. White coats, graduation robes and medals became lasting symbols of perseverance, hope and achievement.



Every degree conferred today is more than an academic qualification it is a solemn pledge to serve humanity with knowledge, compassion, integrity and unwavering dedication.



Nineteen Years of Excellence: Celebrating the 19th Foundation Day of Pandit Bhagwat Dayal Sharma University of Health Sciences, Rohtak



The celebration of the **19th Foundation Day of Pandit Bhagwat Dayal Sharma University of Health Sciences (UHSR), Rohtak**, marked a significant milestone in the University's remarkable journey of growth, achievement, and service. Established on 2nd June 2008, UHSR was envisioned as a dedicated institution that would integrate healthcare education, research and patient care under one umbrella. The **19th Foundation Day** celebrations reflected the University's core values of service, compassion, sustainability and continuous progress. The day commenced with a **Shanti Havan,** conducted in a spirit of gratitude and reflection. Reinforcing its dedication to environmental stewardship, the University organized a **Tree Plantation Drive** across the campus. Saplings were planted in designated green zones, contributing to the University's ongoing efforts to create a healthier and more sustainable environment. A major highlight of the Foundation Day celebrations was the **Voluntary Blood Donation Camp** organized at the New OPD Complex. Doctors, nurses, students and staff members enthusiastically participated in this noble initiative. A key academic event of the day was the **Motivational Lecture on Organ Donation Awareness,** which brought together healthcare professionals, faculty members, and students to discuss the importance of strengthening the organ donation movement in India. Another significant development marking the Foundation Day celebrations was the signing of a **Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between UHSR, Rohtak and Shri Vishwakarma Skill University, Palwal** for the implementation of an **e-Office System.** The 19th Foundation Day was a celebration of this shared legacy and a reminder of the responsibility that accompanies it. With renewed determination and a clear sense of purpose, the University looks forward to shaping the future of healthcare and making an even greater impact in the years to come.





UHSR Leads Haryana's Organ Donation Revolution Saving Lives Beyond Life: A Remarkable Journey of Compassion, Coordination and Clinical Excellence



Saving Lives Beyond Life : A Remarkable Journey of Compassion, Coordination and Clinical Excellence April and May 2026 marked a historic milestone for UHSR, Rohtak. Through the coordinated efforts of PGIMS Rohtak and the State Organ and Tissue Transplant Organisation (SOTTO) Haryana, a series of successful deceased organ donations transformed personal tragedies into life-saving opportunities for patients across Haryana and beyond.

Transforming Grief into Hope : Every organ donation begins with an extraordinary act of courage. During moments of profound loss, several families chose to donate the organs of their brain-dead loved ones, giving a second chance of life to numerous patients awaiting transplantation. These selfless decisions enabled the successful transplantation of hearts, livers, kidneys, pancreas and corneas, restoring health, vision and hope to recipients across Haryana, Delhi, Chandigarh and military hospitals.

Landmark Donations that Inspired the State : 16-year-old donor whose gift of life benefitted six recipients and enabled Haryana's first airlifted organ transplantation. 37-year-old donor from Bhiwani whose complete multi-organ donation benefitted seven recipients and created history at PGIMS Rohtak. Haryana Police personnel whose final act of service saved multiple lives through organ donation. 28-year-old donor from Bhiwani whose selfless gift brought hope to several patients awaiting transplantation. 14-year-old donor from Jhajjar whose legacy continues through the lives he helped save. Spouse of a serving Army Colonel whose donation led to Haryana's first heart retrieval from a military hospital.







Organ Donation A Coordinated Chain of Life These achievements reflect the seamless collaboration of donor families, health care professionals and multiple agencies working towards a common goal—saving lives. Critical care specialists, surgeons, anaesthesiologists, nephrologists, ophthalmologists, pathologists, transplant coordinators, consultant IEC, nursing teams, blood bank services and operation theatre staff ensured the highest standards of care throughout the donation and transplantation process. The efforts were further strengthened by Haryana Police, district administration, airport authorities, the Armed Forces, recipient hospitals and transplant centres, whose support facilitated green corridors and rapid organ transportation. SOTTO Haryana played a pivotal role in family counseling, transplant coordination and public awareness.

A Movement Driven by Leadership and Compassion Under the visionary leadership of Vice-Chancellor Prof. (Dr.) H.K. Aggarwal, UHSR has emerged as a leading centre for deceased organ donation in Haryana. The continued supportof Health Minister Smt. Arti Singh Rao has further strengthened organ donation initiatives and transplantation services across the state. UHSR salutes the donor families whose courage, generosity and humanity transformed moments of loss into enduring legacies of hope and healing.

"Organ Donation is Life Donation — One Donor Can Save Many Lives."



CONFERENCES IN UHSR



NWIAPM-2026 : Advancing Pathology and Diagnostics PGIMS Rohtak hosted the annual conference of the North-West Chapter of the Indian Association of Pathologists and Microbiologists (NWIAPM-2026) on 5 April 2026 on the theme "Current Insights in Pathology." More than 430 delegates from 10 states participated, with over 130 scientific presentations highlighting recent advances in pathology and laboratory medicine. Inaugurating the conference, Vice-Chancellor Dr. H.K. Aggarwal emphasized the role of research and innovation in improving patient care. The conference provided a valuable platform for scientific exchange and professional collaboration.

Research Conclave 2026 : The 4th Research Conclave of Pt. B.D. Sharma University of Health Sciences was held on 17th April 2026 on the theme "Transforming Research with Artificial Intelligence: Impact on Health." The event attracted nearly 600 participants and featured over 250 research abstracts. Vice-Chancellor Dr. H.K. Aggarwal highlighted the transformative potential of AI in health care and research. Experts discussed applications of artificial intelligence, machine learning and data-driven technologies, reaffirming UHSR's commitment to innovation and academic excellence. valuable platform for **scientific exchange and professional collaboration.**





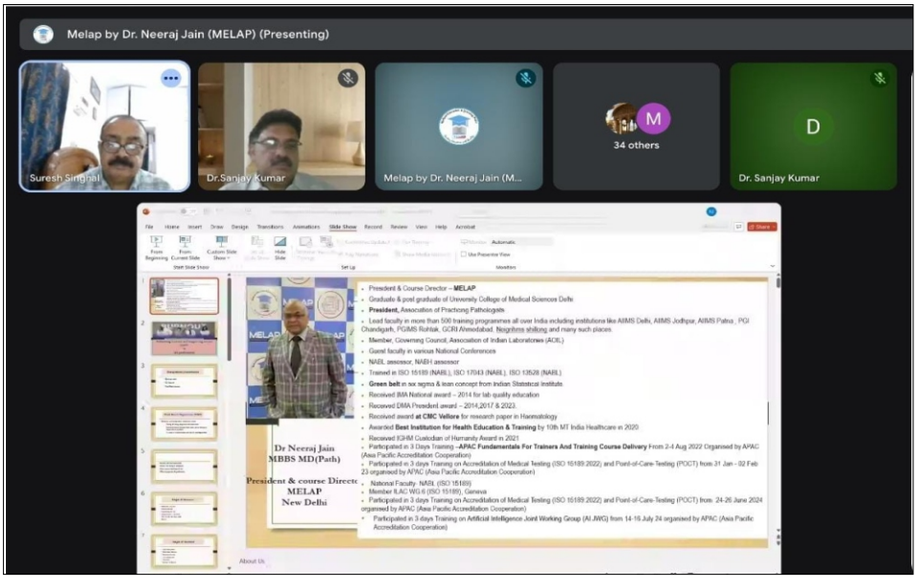
Advancing Women's Cancer Care : First Haryana State Gynecologic Oncology Conference PGIMS Rohtak hosted the First Haryana State Gynecologic Oncology Conference on 17th May 2026, bringing together specialists to discuss advances in the prevention, diagnosis and treatment of women's cancers. Vice-Chancellor Dr. H.K. Aggarwal emphasized the importance of awareness, early detection and HPV vaccination. Experts deliberated on cervical and ovarian cancers, modern surgical techniques and emerging treatment strategies, strengthening efforts to improve women's cancer care across Haryana.

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Strengthening the Fight Against Tuberculosis : A National conference on the TB-Free India campaign was organized at PGIMS Rohtak on 17th May 2026. Healthcare experts, academicians and policymakers discussed strategies to strengthen tuberculosis control efforts. Vice-Chancellor Dr. H.K. Aggarwal highlighted the importance of early diagnosis and timely treatment, while experts deliberated on AI-based diagnostics, shorter treatment regimens and expansion of bronchoscopy services at the district level. The conference concluded with a renewed commitment towards a TB-free Haryana.

Building Research Capacity : National Workshop on Biostatistics and Survival Analysis A seven-day online workshop on Biostatistics and Survival Analysis, held from 21st –27th May 2026, was jointly organized by the Medical Research Unit (MRU), PGIMS Rohtak and Science-Tech Institute, Lucknow. More than 500 doctors, faculty members, researchers and students participated. The workshop provided practical training in biostatistics, research methodology and data analysis. Director PGIMS Dr. S.K. Singhal emphasized the importance of such programmes in strengthening research skills and promoting quality scientific work.





Advancing Precision Anaesthesia : CME-cum-Workshop on Ultrasound-Guided Regional Anaesthesia was conducted by the Department of Anaesthesiology and Critical Care, PGIMS Rohtak. On 21st June 2026. Vice-Chancellor Dr. H.K. Aggarwal highlighted the role of ultrasound-guided regional anaesthesia in improving precision, patient safety, pain management and post operative recovery. Director The programme featured expert lectures, live demonstrations, case discussions and hands-on training, with over 100 delegates, faculty members and postgraduate students participating.

WHAT'S NEW



28th April 2026 : PGIMS Rohtak launched a fully equipped Mobile Medical Unit to provide Dental, ENT and Dermatology services improving access to specialized healthcare in rural Haryana.



9th May 2026 : 4th UHS Course in Ethics and Bioethics Around 245 postgraduate students participated in the 4th UHS Course in Ethics and Bioethics.



13th May 2026 : Administration of the Hippocratic Oath Vice-Chancellor Dr. H.K. Aggarwal administered the Hippocratic Oath to 217 MBBS interns.



9th June 2026 : The Deptt. of Obstetrics and Gynecology marked the 10th anniversary of Pradhan Mantri Surakshit Matritva Abhiyan (PMSMA by providing free antenatal screening ultrasound and risk assessment for pregnant women.



9th June 2026: PGIMS Rohtak launched an AI-assisted TB screening programme for indoor patients, enabling early diagnosis and strengthening infection control under NTEP.

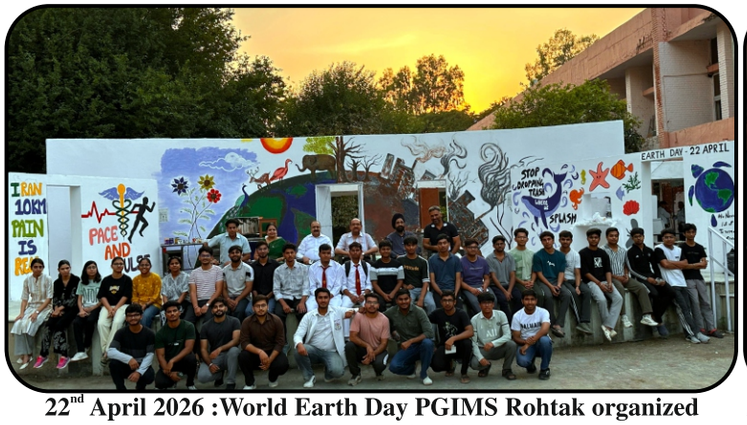
CELEBRATION OF IMPORTANT DAYS



7th April 2026 : World Health Day The Deptt. of Community Medicine PGIMS Rohtak, organized health awareness programmes, expert talks and student competitions to promote preventive healthcare.



14th April 2026 : Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Jayanti Honouring the legacy of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar and his ideals of equality, education and socialjustice.



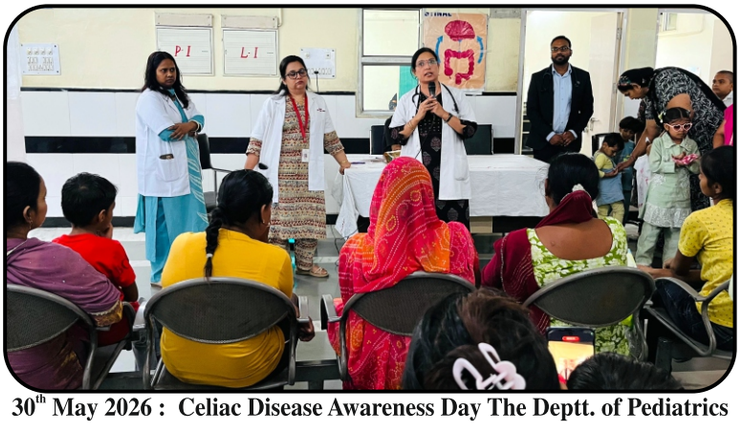
22nd April 2026 :World Earth Day PGIMS Rohtak organized environmental awareness activities, including a marathon cleanliness drive, street plays and wall painting competitions.



April 2026 : World Oral Health Month PGIDS Rohtak organized a Walkathon to promote oral hygiene, preventive dental care and tobacco cessation awareness.



12th May 2026 : International Nurses Day Nurses Association organized a voluntary blood donation camp to mark International Nurses Day



30th May 2026 : Celiac Disease Awareness Day The Deptt. of Pediatrics organized a public awareness programme promoting early diagnosis and lifelong gluten-free dietary management of celiac disease.



3rd June 2026 : World Club foot Day The Deptt. of Ortho, observed World Club foot Day by highlighting the success of its Club foot Clinic, using the Ponseti method under the Club foot India Programme



21nd June 2026 International Yoga Day The Office of the Dean of Student Welfare, PGIMS Rohtak, organized International Yoga Day

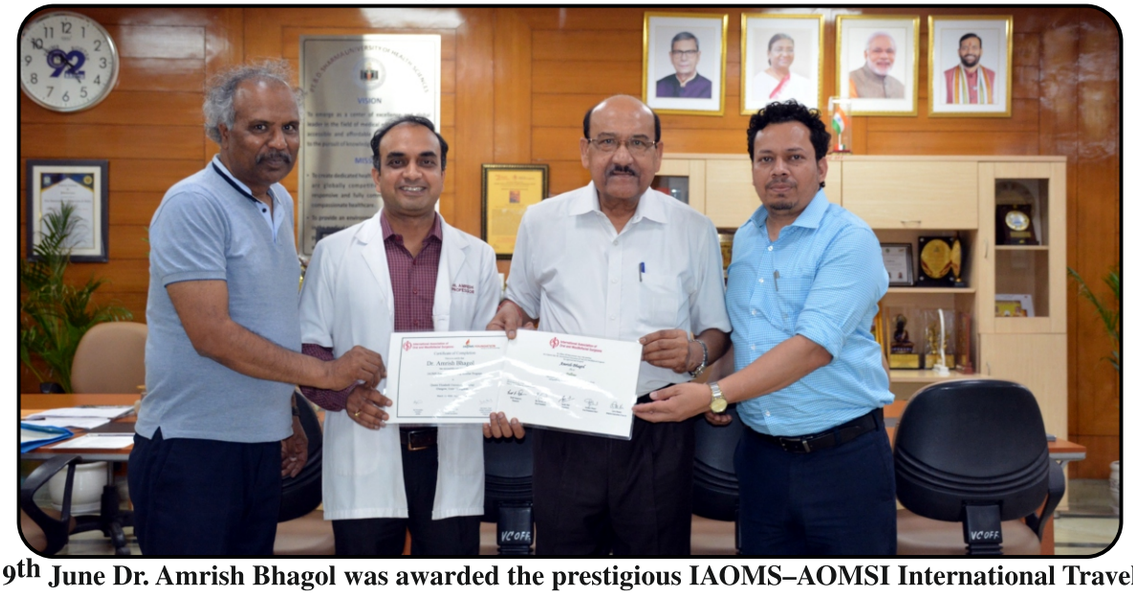
MOMENTS OF EXCELLENCE



27th April Dr. Ramesh Verma was appointed as a member of the Technical Evaluation Committee of the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Govt of India, for the assessment of AI-based healthcare technologies.



1st May Dr. Kundan Mittal earned prestigious international leadership appointments in the Society of Critical Care Medicine, USA and completed the Fellowship in Assessment of Health Professions.



9th June Dr. Amrish Bhagol was awarded the prestigious IAOMS–AOMSI International Travel Fellowship and appointed Visiting Professor at Queen Elizabeth University Hospital,Glasgow, UK.

LAUNCH OF THE INAUGURAL ISSUE

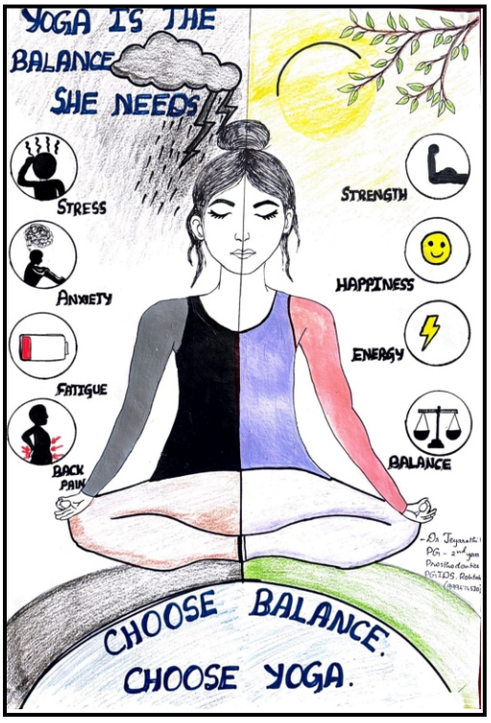


The Inaugural issue of the UHSR Health Sciences Bulletin was officially released in April 2026. The occasion marked a significant milestone with the beginning of a new platform for sharing the University's ideas, achievements and aspirations.

STUDENT'S CORNER

























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