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CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO JOIN A LECTURE UNDER  
**Teacher Learning Program ON**

**"Doctrine of Signature"**

Organized by

**Department of Dravyaguna Vigyan**  
**ASHVIN RURAL AYURVED COLLEGE & HOSPITAL**



**Eminent Speaker**

Dr. Tushar Lalit Deshpande  
Prof, Dept. of Dravyaguna Vigyan.

**DATE : 21<sup>st</sup> August 2025 (Thursday) TIME: 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM**

**Venue:- Seminar Hall, Ashvin Rural Ayurved College, Manchi Hill**

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## Teacher Learning Program Report

**Topic:** Doctrine of Signature

**Resource Person:** Dr. Tushar L. Deshpande

**Date:** 20th August 2025

**Organized by:** Department of Dravyaguna Vigyana

### Introduction

The Department of Dravyaguna Vigyana organized a **Teacher Learning Program** on the topic "**Doctrine of Signature**", conducted by **Dr. Tushar L. Deshpande** on **20th August 2025**. The program aimed to enrich the knowledge of faculty members regarding the classical Ayurvedic concept of "Doctrine of Signature" and its relevance in identifying, understanding, and applying medicinal plants in clinical practice.

### Objectives of the Program

1. To understand the theoretical foundation of the Doctrine of Signature in Ayurveda.
2. To explore correlations between plant morphology and therapeutic applications.
3. To highlight classical references and modern interpretations of the doctrine.
4. To enhance the teaching methodology of Ayurvedic pharmacology (Dravyaguna) through practical insights.

### Key Highlights of the Session

- a. **Conceptual Foundation:** Dr. Deshpande elaborated on the origin and evolution of the Doctrine of Signature in ancient medicinal systems.
- b. **Morphological Indicators:** The resemblance of plant parts to specific body organs and their therapeutic use was explained with classical and contemporary examples.
- c. **Practical Applications:** Case studies of selected medicinal plants were discussed to demonstrate the practical application of the doctrine.
- d. **Critical Perspective:** The strengths and limitations of the doctrine were analyzed, emphasizing the importance of scientific validation.
- e. **Teaching Insights:** Strategies for effectively integrating the doctrine into teaching Dravyaguna Vigyana were shared.

### Outcome of the Program

The session provided valuable academic and practical insights to faculty members. It strengthened their understanding of how traditional knowledge systems like the Doctrine of Signature can be integrated into modern Ayurvedic education and practice. Participants appreciated Dr. Tushar L. Deshpande's clear explanations, engaging examples, and emphasis on critical thinking.

### Conclusion

The Teacher Learning Program on "**Doctrine of Signature**" successfully enhanced the faculty's knowledge and teaching skills. It encouraged teachers to adopt innovative and evidence-based approaches in Ayurvedic pedagogy, thereby improving the learning experience of students.

Teacher Learning Program

Attendance Sheet

Sr No	Name	Signature
1.	Dr. Priyanka Bhausaheb Adhav	<u>P Adhav</u>
2.	Dr. Khandized sushma shivapal	<u>Sushma</u>
3.	Dr. Aahy J. mumin	<u>Aahy</u>
4.	Dr. Ganesh G. Nath	<u>Ganesh</u>
5.	Dr. Gitanjali Ranaji Aher	<u>Gitanjali</u>
6.	Dr. Kolhe Jayashree R	<u>Jayashree</u>
7.	Dr. Chandulcaut S. Girgure	<u>S Girgure</u>
8.	Dr. Kale R. K	<u>R. K Kale</u>
9.	Dr. Pooja Deshpande	<u>P Deshpande</u>
10.	Dr. Vikram A. Shelawade	<u>Vikram</u>
11.	Dr. Kalluram A.S	<u>Kalluram</u>
12.	Dr. Jyoti S. Khamdane	<u>Jyoti Khamdane</u>
13.	Dr. Animesh J. Jadhav	<u>Animesh</u>
14.	Dr. Jitendra S. Shingur	<u>Jitendra</u>
15.	Dr. Shyamal P. Nikamal	<u>Shyamal</u>
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