

SET UP OF SATELLITE INSTITUTES OF NATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

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National Institute of Homoeopathy, Narela, Delhi

2.

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National Institute of Unani Medicine, Ghaziabad, UP

3.

National Institute of Ayurveda, Jaipur

National Institute of Ayurveda, Panchkula, Haryana

4.

All India Institute of Ayurveda, New Delhi

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