

India 2023' were also organised on the sidelines.

■ WHO's Inaugural Global Traditional Medicine Summit Held in Gujarat

The first ever Global Summit on Traditional Medicine was held on August 17-18, 2023 in Gandhinagar, Gujarat's capital under the aegis of the World Health Organization (WHO). Union Health Minister Shri Mansukh Mandaviya inaugurated the event that provided opportunities for global stakeholders to engage in dialogue, exchange ideas, and establish

international partnerships, to advance the agenda of Traditional and Complementary Medicine. The discussions aimed to drive collective action towards evidence-based integration of Traditional Medicine, revolutionise healthcare through technology, and build resilient healthcare systems. WHO's Director-General Mr. Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus called on nations to commit to integrating traditional medicine into their national healthcare systems.

