



# Amala Cancer Research Centre

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## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between

Department of Biochemistry and Industrial Microbiology

Sree Ayyappa College, Eramalikkara, chengannur, Alappuzha, Kerala- 689 109

And

Department of Microbiology, Amala Cancer Research Centre, Thrissur, Kerala-689 555

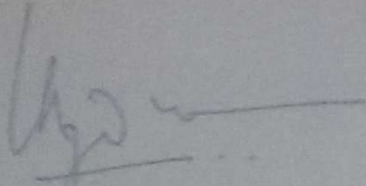
### PREAMBLE

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is entered into by and between the Department of Biochemistry and Industrial Microbiology, Sree Ayyappa College, Eramalikkara, chengannur, Alappuzha and Department of Microbiology, Amala Cancer Research Centre, Thrissur, Kerala.

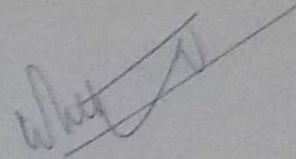
### 1. PURPOSE

The Parties recognize the benefits to be derived from increased collaboration, cooperation and interaction for the further promotion of research in various fields of Microbiology, Phramacology, Cancer Biology. The purpose of this MOU is to define the areas for fundamental, academic research in which the Parties desire to work together in the future for their mutual benefit to foster a collaborative framework between Department of Biochemistry and Industrial Microbiology, Sree Ayyappa College, Eramalikkara, chengannur, Alappuzha, Department of Microbiology, Amala Cancer Research Centre, Thrissur, in the field with a view to benefiting

THE PARTIES TO THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING HEREBY CONFIRM THEIR AGREEMENT TO ITS TERMS BY THE FOLLOWING SIGNATURES:



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from each other's initiatives and working procedures and to support collaboration among the researchers associated with both Parties.

## **2. SCOPE**

This MOU sets forth the intentions of the Parties for increased collaboration, cooperation and interaction and does not create any legally binding commitments. If the Parties later agree to undertake specific joint projects with legally binding obligations, they will develop separate written agreements for such projects, setting out each Party's contributions, deliverables, and budgets.

### **SCOPE OF ACADEMIC INTERACTIONS**

Both the Department of Biochemistry and Industrial Microbiology, Sree Ayyappa College, Eramalikkara, Chengannur, Alappuzha and Department of Microbiology, Amala Cancer Research Centre, Thrissur, Kerala shall encourage interaction between the Scientists, Research fellows, faculty members and students of both the organizations through the following arrangements:

- a) Classes to the students of the Department by eminent scientists from research Centre.
- b) Organization of joint conferences and seminars;
- c) Practical training of students at LABORATORY;
- d) Joint guidance of student projects/thesis

### **3) SHARING OF FACILITIES**

- a) Both the Department of Biochemistry and Industrial Microbiology, Sree Ayyappa College, Eramalikkara, Chengannur, Alappuzha and Department of Microbiology, Amala Cancer Research Centre, Thrissur, Kerala shall make provisions to share their respective important R&D facilities in order to promote academic and research interaction in the areas of cooperation.

- b) Both the Department of Biochemistry and Industrial Microbiology, Sree Ayyappa College, Eramallikkara, Chengannur, Alappuzha and Department of Microbiology, Amala Cancer Research Centre, Thrissur shall provide access to the library facilities to scientists, members of faculty and students as per the prevailing rules and norms in the respective institutes.

#### **4) EFFECTIVE DATE AND DURATION OF MOU**

- a) This MOU shall be effective from the date of its approval by competent authorities at both ends.
- b) The duration of the MOU shall be for a period of 5 years from the effective date.
- c) During its tenancy, the MOU may be extended or terminated by a prior notice of not less than six months by either party. However, termination of the MOU will not in any manner affect the interests of the students/faculty/scientists.

#### **5) CONFIDENTIALITY**

During the tenure of the MOU both the Department of Biochemistry and Industrial Microbiology, Sree Ayyappa College, Eramallikkara, Chengannur, Alappuzha and Department of Microbiology, Amala Cancer Research Centre, Thrissur will maintain strict confidentiality and prevent disclosure of all the information and data exchanged under the scope of this MOU for any purpose other than in accordance with this MOU.