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ABSTRACT

This thesis explores the design of a Natural Healing Centre that blends traditional Indian healing practices with modern wellness concepts. The centre emphasizes holistic therapies like yoga, meditation, herbal treatments, and dietary guidance while integrating biophilic design elements such as natural light, ventilation, and green spaces. Inspired by India's rich cultural heritage, the project incorporates traditional Halakki healing practices while promoting sustainability and modern functionality. Case studies of wellness centres like Shantivana and Kshemavana provide valuable insights into creating a tranquil, ecofriendly, and culturally sensitive healing environment.

The proposed centre is designed to connect individuals with nature, offering flexible spaces for therapy, community engagement, and relaxation. The site features natural vegetation, water bodies, and eco-friendly materials to create a peaceful and rejuvenating atmosphere. This project aims to set a benchmark in wellness architecture by fostering sustainable lifestyles, preserving cultural heritage, and offering a transformative retreat for physical, mental, and emotional well-being.

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