Alandurai, Isha’s Arogya Gramam

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ISHA Arogya Gramam and Rural Health Clinic project was inaugurated at Alandurai village near here on Saturday. More than 30 villages nearby would benefit from the rural health clinic.

Addressing the gathering, Isha Yoga founder Sadhguru Jaggi Vasudev said the objective behind the launching of health clinic and arogya gramam project was to implement the programmes for complete health care, conservation of environment, promotion of education and culture and developing livelihood in the villages so as to make them as self-sustainable.

The villagers were informed that the foundation would implement the environment care project by planting tree saplings to conserve water and soil and also generate income. It has been planned to plant two lakh trees of more than 18 varieties in rural Coimbatore before May 2009. In addition, training on agro-forestry would be imparted to farmers.

The function was attended by MLA M Kannapan, Microsoft India chairman Ravi Venkatesh, Suzlon Ltd India DGM (Operation and Maintenance) V S R Ramesh Rao and Coimbatore Medical College dean Dr V Kumar.