

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI,
SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY (AYUSH)**

**RAJYA SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO.157
TO BE ANSWERED ON 3RD DECEMBER, 2019
IN-HOUSE FACILITY OF PHARMACY FOR AYURVEDIC PRODUCTS**

***157. SHRI SAMBHAJI CHHATRAPATI:**

Will the Minister of AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has in-house facility of pharmacy for Ayurvedic products;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether Government has established proper mechanism to test the effectiveness of such products; and
- (d) if so, the details of diseases for which Ayurvedic products from Government pharmacies have been found effective and names of such products?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE(IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA,
YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)**

- (a) to (d) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO RAJYA SABHA
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(a) & (b) Yes, Central and State Governments have pharmacies for manufacturing of Ayurvedic products. Out of the 7718 Ayurveda drugs manufacturing units in the country, 37 units are in the Government sector. Details are as under-

S. No.	Central Govt. / State/UT	Ayurveda drug Manufacturing Units	S.No	Central Govt./ State/ UT	Ayurveda drug Manufacturing Units
01	Government of India	01	11	Madhya Pradesh	01
02	Arunachal Pradesh	01	12.	Maharashtra	02
03	Assam	01	13.	Odisha	04
04	Bihar	01	14.	Punjab	02
05	Gujarat	03	15.	Rajasthan	05
06	Haryana	01	16.	Tamil Nadu	02
07	Himachal Pradesh	03	17.	Telangana	01
08	Jammu & Kashmir	01	18.	Uttar Pradesh	02
09	Karnataka	01	19.	Uttarakhand	01
10	Kerala	01	20.	West Bengal	03

The Central Sector Undertaking Pharmacy under Ministry of AYUSH i.e. Indian Medicines Pharmaceutical Corporation Limited (IMPCL), Mohan (Almora), Uttrakhand manufactures 656 Ayurvedic medicines supplying to the Government Hospitals and Dispensaries. Some of the effective drugs are:- Punarnavadi Mandoor for Anaemia & Hepatitis, Pushyanug Choorna for Leucorrhoea, Menstrual Disorders, Vasavaleha for Bronchitis & Asthma, Arjunarishta for Cardiac Disease, Abhayarishta for Constipation & Haemorrhoids, M-liv Syrup for Jaundice & Hepatitis, M-Vasaco Syrup for Cough & Respiratory disorder, M-shankhapushpi Syrup for memory loss & Mental weakness, M-Rheuma care Ointment for Arthritis & Joint pain, M-Psora Care cream for psoriasis.

(c) Rule 158-B of the Drugs and Cosmetics Rules, 1945 has the provisions for seeking proof of effectiveness including data of clinical studies for granting license for manufacturing of various types of Ayurvedic products. Good Clinical Practice (GCP) Guidelines for conduct of clinical trials on Ayurvedic, Siddha and Unani medicines are published by the Ministry of AYUSH and institutional network of Central Council for Research in Ayurvedic Sciences undertakes clinical studies on scientific parameters for the validation and testing of effectiveness of Ayurvedic products.

(d) Ayurvedic medicines developed by Central Council for Research in Ayurvedic Sciences are AYUSH-64 for malaria, AYUSH-82 for diabetes mellitus, AYUSH-56 for epilepsy, Ksharsutra for Piles & Fistula-in-ano diseases, AYUSH Ghutti for cough and cold, Pippalyadi Yoga, Neem oil for Contraceptive, Nimbtiktam for Psoriasis and Duodenal ulcer, AYUSH Poshak Yoga and Peya for general health promotion, Shunthi Guggulu for Rheumatoid Arthritis, AYUSH Balarasayana for promotion of health in children, AYUSH AG tablet for antenatal care, AYUSH AD tablet for prevention of nausea and vomiting, AYUSH PG for pregnancy induced hypertension. In addition, following Ayurvedic classical formulations have been clinically validated namely Eladi Churna, Talishadi Churna & Sitopaladi Churna for Kasa (bronchitis), Varunadi Kwath Churna, Apamarga Kshar for Urolithiasis, Puga Khand for Shveta Pradara (Leucorrhoea), Trayodashang Guggulu for Rheumatoid Arthritis, Pathyadi Kwatha Churna for Migraine, Shirishadi Kvath Churna for Allergic Rhinitis & Eladi Gutika, Apamarga Kshar for Shwasa (Bronchial Asthma).
