

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYUSH**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 3042
TO BE ANSWERED ON 28.03.2023**

SURVEY ON MEDICAL RELATED TOPICS

3042. SHRI NARHARI AMIN:

Will the Minister of **AYUSH** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether any plan has been made to conduct a survey based on medical related topics to promote Ayush system of medicine in the country;
- (b) if so, whether a policy based on Ayush system of medicine would be considered on the basis of the survey in the country; and
- (c) the details of major points on which the survey is being done?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF AYUSH
(SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)**

(a) to (c): A survey on Ayush has been launched by Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI) in the month of July, 2022 and the data collection work for the survey is currently in progress. Ministry of Ayush formulates various policies on the basis of evidences and data.

The survey has been designed to collect information on the following broad areas related to Ayush:-

- (i) Awareness of Ayush systems of medicine.
- (ii) Use of Ayush systems of medicine by the households during a reference period.
- (iii) Use of Ayush systems of medicine for hospitalized and non-hospitalized treatments.
- (iv) Usage of Ayush systems of medicines for pre-natal and post-natal care.
- (v) Expenditure incurred on Ayush medicines/treatments.
