

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF AYUSH**

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 483  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2023**

**“CRITERIA FOR APPOINTMENT IN AYURVEDIC INSTITUTIONS”**

† 483. **SMT. SEEMA DWIVEDI:**

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

- (a) whether a teacher appointed to the post of X-Ray and Radiation (Radiology) in an Ayurvedic institution can be appointed as the supervisor of post graduate students of the faculty of surgery;
- (b) whether there is a provision to allot OPD, IPD and operation theatre services to a teacher appointed as Assistant Professor [X-Ray and Radiation (Radiology)], despite having sufficient number of specialists in the field of surgery; and
- (c) if so, the details of the relevant rules; and
- (d) if not, the details of the actions to be taken by the Ministry against those AYUSH institutions which are engaging in such practice?

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

- (a) As per the Schedule IV of Indian Medicine Central Council (Minimum Standard Requirements of Ayurveda Colleges and attached Hospitals) Regulations, 2016, the Minimum Requirement of a Radiologist under the Modern Medical Staff is “one (Postgraduate in Allopathic Radiology on contract or Vikiran Vigyan of Ayurvedic Discipline) from teaching department of Shalya”. Details (Gazette notification) are available in the following Link <https://ncismindia.org/pdf/rul-reg-msr-2016-9-7.pdf>.

Further, it is also informed that the eligibility of the supervisor is mentioned in the Regulation 11(10), 11(14), and regulation 11(15) of the Indian Medicine Central Council (Post Graduate Ayurveda Education) Regulations, 2016. Details (Gazette notification) are available in the following Link <https://ncismindia.org/pdf/rul-reg-mse-ay-2016-9.pdf>.

(b) to (d) As per the Indian Medicine Central Council (Post Graduate Ayurveda Education) Regulations, 2016, Post graduate degree Chhaya evum Vikiran Vigyan is not in the list of 17 Specialties in which Post-graduate degree in Ayurveda shall be conducted. However, the Post-graduate degree holder of Chhaya evum Vikiran Vigyan may be appointed in the Department of Rog Nidan. Details (Gazette notification) are available in the following Link <https://ncismindia.org/pdf/rul-reg-mse-ay-2016-9.pdf>.

Further, as per regulation 7 (5) of Indian Medicine Central Council (Minimum Standard Requirements of Ayurveda Colleges and attached Hospitals) Regulations, 2016, Rog Nidan department is not in the list of 08 OPD departments. Details (Gazette notification) are available in the following Link <https://ncismindia.org/pdf/rul-reg-mse-ay-2016-9.pdf>.

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