GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AYUSH

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.962 ANSWERED ON 12th December, 2023

Hospitals and dispensaries in Odisha under NAM

962 **Dr. Amar Patnaik:**

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

- (a) the number of hospitals and dispensaries opened in the State of Odisha under the National AYUSH Mission (NAM) in the last five years;
- (b) the total number of doctors and staff employed in the AYUSH hospitals and centers in Odisha;
- (c) the measures taken for expanding or upgrading the infrastructure of AYUSH hospitals and dispensaries and the priority areas for improvement;
- (d) whether Government is planning to collaborate with other healthcare institutions or international organizations to enhance the quality of services or to introduce new practices at AYUSH hospitals and dispensaries; and
- (e) if so, the detail thereof?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF AYUSH (SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)

- (a) Ministry of Ayush is implementing Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National AYUSH Mission through State/UT Governments including Odisha. Under NAM, there is a provision of financial assistance for setting up of 10/30/50 bedded integrated Ayush Hospitals and Construction of building to establish new Ayush Dispensary in the area where there are no Ayush facilities available. As per the proposals submitted by the State Government of Odisha through their State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs), 02 integrated Ayush Hospitals have been financially supported in the last five years. As per the report received from State Government, integrated Ayush Hospitals are under various stages of construction. However, no proposal for opening of dispensary has been received from the State Government.
- (b) Public Health being State subject, appointment of doctors and staff in the AYUSH hospitals and centers comes under purview of respective State Government. However, as per

the Ministry's annual Statistical publication 'Ayush in India 2022', the total number of Ayush Registered Practitioners (Doctors) in Odisha as on 01.01.2022 is 15475.

- (c) Public Health being a State subject, expanding or upgrading the infrastructure of AYUSH hospitals and dispensaries across the country including Odisha comes under the purview of respective State/UT Governments. However, under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National Ayush Mission, there is provision of financial assistance for undertaking construction, renovation of existing premises; furniture, fixtures, equipment, IT provision etc. for upgradation of existing standalone Government Ayush Hospitals and upgradation of existing Government/Panchayat/Government aided Ayush Dispensaries. As per the proposals submitted by the State Government of Odisha through their State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs), 02 Ayush Hospitals and 56 Dispensaries have been financially supported under NAM for upgradation.
- (d) & (e) Central Council for Research in Ayurvedic Sciences (CCRAS) an autonomous organization of Ministry of Ayush is making efforts to improve the quality of health services as being provided by its institutes. Different institutes of the council have acquired National Accreditation Board for Hospitals & Healthcare Providers (NABH) and National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) accreditation. At present, 11 Institutes have been awarded NABH accreditation, 06 Institutes have been awarded Ayush entry level certification and 09 Institutes have been awarded NABL accreditation. The details of the accredited institute of CCRAS are furnished as Annexure. Further, a Memorandum of Understanding is signed between the Ministry of Ayush and the Quality Council of India (QCI), through its Board, National Accreditation Board for Hospitals & Healthcare Providers (NABH), for NABH AYUSH entry level certification (AELC) of Ayush Health & Wellness Centers (AHWCs) which has been established by upgrading existing Ayush dispensaries and integrated Ayush hospitals supported under the NAM scheme. Accordingly, at present, 200 AHWC has been approved for certification as per the decision of Certification committee.

The details of the accredited institute of CCRAS

1. Institute awarded NABH Accreditation - 11 Institutes

- i. Central Ayurveda Research Institute (CARI), New Delhi
- ii. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute (RARI), Gwalior
- iii. Central Ayurveda Research Institute (CARI), Bhubaneswar
- iv. M.S. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute (MSRARI), Jaipur
- v. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute (RARI), Nagpur
- vi. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute (RARI), Vijayawada
- vii. Central Ayurveda Research Institute (CARI), Kolkata
- viii. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute (RARI), Jammu
- ix. Central Ayurveda Research Institute (CARI), Patiala
- x. National Ayurveda Research Institute for Panchakarma (NARIP), Cheruthuruthy
- xi. Central Ayurveda Research Institute (CARI), Guwahati

2. Institute awarded Ayush Entry Level Certification - 06 Institutes

- i. Central Ayurveda Research Institute (CARI), Bangaluru
- ii. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute (RARI), Ranikhet
- iii. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute (RARI), Ahmedabad
- iv. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute (RARI), Lucknow
- v. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute (RARI), Patna
- vi. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute (RARI), Gangtok

3. Laboratory Accreditation (NABL-9)

- i. Captain Srinivasa Murthy Central Ayurveda Research Institute, Chennai
- ii. Central Ayurveda Research Institute, Jhansi
- iii. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute, Gwalior
- iv. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute, Pune
- v. Central Ayurveda Research Institute, Kolkata
- vi. Central Ayurveda Research Institute, Bangalore
- vii. Central Ayurveda Research Institute, Kolkata (Biochemistry)
- viii. Central Ayurveda Research Institute, Patiala
- ix. Regional Ayurveda Research Institute, Jaipur