

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF AYUSH**

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2403  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.12.2024**

**Ayush treatment facilities in Sikkim**

**2403 Shri Dorjee Tshering Lepcha:**

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

- (a) the details of Ayush treatment facilities available in rural and tribal areas of the country particularly in the State of Sikkim, State/UT-wise;
- (b) the funds allocated during the last three years and current year; and
- (c) the efforts being made by Government to increase these facilities and facilitate its expansion in the country, specially in the State of Sikkim?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYUSH  
(SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV)**

(a) As Public health is a State subject, the details of the Ayush treatment facilities available in rural and tribal areas of the country including Sikkim is being maintained by the respective State/UT Governments. However, State/UT-wise details of total number of Ayush Hospitals and dispensaries in the country is furnished at **Annexure**.

(b) & (c) Ministry of Ayush is implementing centrally sponsored scheme of National Ayush Mission (NAM) through State/UT Governments including Sikkim for overall development, promotion as well as expansion of the Ayush systems in the country by providing financial assistance under different activities as per the proposals received through their State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs). The mission inter-alia has provision for following activities:

- (i) Operationalization of Ayush Health and Wellness Centres now renamed as Ayushman Arogya Mandir (Ayush) by upgrading existing Ayush dispensaries and Sub health Centres.
- (ii) Co-location of Ayush facilities at Primary Health Centres (PHCs), Community Health Centres (CHCs) and District Hospitals (DHs).
- (iii) Upgradation of existing standalone Government Ayush Hospitals.
- (iv) Upgradation of existing Government/Panchayat/Government aided Ayush Dispensaries/ Construction of building for existing Ayush Dispensary (Rented/

dilapidated accommodation)/ Construction of building to establish new Ayush Dispensary in the area where there are no Ayush facilities available.

(v) Setting up of 10/30/50 bedded Integrated Ayush Hospitals.

(vi) Supply of essential drugs to Government Ayush Hospitals, Government Dispensaries and Government/Government aided Teaching Institutional Ayush Hospitals.

(vii) Ayush Public Health Programmes.

(viii) Establishment of new Ayush colleges in the States where availability of Ayush teaching institutions is inadequate in Government Sector.

(ix) Infrastructural development of Ayush Under-Graduate Institutions and Ayush Post-Graduate Institutions/ add on PG/ Pharmacy /Para-Medical Courses.

Under National Ayush Mission as per the proposals received from State Government through State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs) the status of funds allocated to the State of Sikkim during last three years and current year for implementation of the different approved activities is furnished as below:

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Financial Year</b>	<b>Central share of Grant-in-aid released to the Sikkim (Rs. In lakhs)</b>
1	2021-22	99.30
2	2022-23	626.06
3	2023-24	492.37
4	2024-25	217.39

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**Annexure****State/ UT-wise Total Number of Ayush Hospitals and Ayush Dispensaries as on  
01.04.2023**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>State/UT</b>	<b>Total No. of Ayush Hospitals</b>	<b>Total No. of Ayush Dispensaries</b>
<b>(1)</b>	<b>(2)</b>	<b>(3)</b>	<b>(4)</b>
<b>A. States/Union Territories</b>			
1	Andhra Pradesh	8	735
2	Arunachal Pradesh	11	174
3	Assam	2	573
4	Bihar	8	1590
5	Chhattisgarh	16	1094
6	Delhi	6	197
7	Goa	2	207
8	Gujarat	40	852
9	Haryana	17	830
10	Himachal Pradesh	35	1206
11	Jammu & Kashmir	10	594
12	Jharkhand	1	781
13	Karnataka	274	7641
14	Kerala	165	2170
15	Madhya Pradesh	77	1773
16	Maharashtra	160	486
17	Manipur	25	1
18	Meghalaya	12	95
19	Mizoram	10	21
20	Nagaland	6	46
21	Odisha	9	1191
22	Punjab	25	932
23	Rajasthan	139	4337
24	Sikkim	6	13
25	Tamil Nadu	295	1238
26	Tripura	7	101
27	Uttar Pradesh	1982	3761
28	Uttarakhand	433	562
29	West Bengal	20	2668
30	A&N Islands	3	37
31	Chandigarh	2	30
32	D&N Haveli and Daman & Diu	4	20
33	Ladakh	0	48
34	Lakshadweep	2	18
35	Puducherry	6	80
36	Telangana	11	834
<b>TOTAL(A)</b>		<b>3829</b>	<b>36936</b>
<b>B. CGHS &amp; Central Government Organizations</b>		56	868
<b>TOTAL(A+B)</b>		<b>3885</b>	<b>37804</b>

**Source:** State / UT Governments & Concerned agencies.