

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF AYUSH**

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 801  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.12.2024**

**Promotion of Ayurveda and other systems of AYUSH.**

**801 # Shri Aditya Prasad:**

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

- (a) the details of efforts made by Government to promote Ayurveda and other systems of AYUSH in the State of Jharkhand; and
- (b) the number of institutes and training centres related to Yoga, Naturopathy, Unani etc. that are proposed to be established in the State of Jharkhand?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) Ministry of Ayush is implementing the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National Ayush Mission (NAM) through State/UT Governments including Jharkhand and supporting their efforts for development & promotion of Ayush system including Ayurveda in the country by providing financial assistance under different activities as per the provisions of NAM guidelines against their proposals received through State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs). The Mission *inter-alia* makes provision for the following activities:-

- (i) Operationlisation of 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.

Further the Ministry of Ayush is implementing the Central Sector Scheme for Promotion of Information Education and Communication (IEC) in Ayush to create awareness regarding Ayush Systems of Medicine. This aims to reach out to all sections of the population across the country. This scheme provides assistance for organizing National/State Arogya Fairs, Yoga Fests/Utsavs, Ayurveda Parvs, etc. The Ministry also undertakes Multi-Media, Print Media Campaigns for creating awareness about Ayush System.

(b) Public Health being a State subject, establishment of institutes and training centres related to Yoga, Naturopathy, Unani etc. in the State of Jharkhand comes under the purview of respective State Government. However, the Ministry of Ayush is implementing a Central Sector Scheme namely AYURGYAN since 2021-22 with the aim to support Research & Innovation in Ayush by providing Extra Mural Research activities and Education by providing academic activities, training, Capacity Building etc.

The Scheme has 03 components viz. (i) Capacity Building & Continuing Medical Education (CME) in Ayush (ii) Research & Innovation in AYUSH from Financial Year 2021-22 and 3rd component namely Ayurveda Biology Integrated Health Research has also been added under the scheme from FY 2023-24.

Under Capacity Building & Continuing Medical Education (CME) in Ayush, financial assistance is provided to the eligible organizations, as per the provisions contained in the Scheme guideline, for conducting training program for Ayush personnel.

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