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Bridging the gap between traditional Ayurveda and modern medicine

1921 # **Smt. Dharmshila Gupta:**

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

- (a) the plans of Government to bridge the gap between traditional Ayurveda and modern systems of medicine using the findings from the initiative i.e. "Desh Ka Prakriti Parikshan Abhiyan";
- (b) whether there is any plan to integrate this Abhiyan with mainstream healthcare services such as Ayushman Bharat or other public health programmes;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Ministry has any roadmap for the second phase of "Desh Ka Prakriti Parikshan Abhiyan"; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

- (a) The "Desh ka Prakriti Parikshan Abhiyan" campaign was launched by Government on 9th Ayurveda Day (29th October, 2024) with the aim of generating awareness among people about

the concept of 'Prakriti' described in Ayurveda and assessing their Prakriti for a positive approach towards their health. The assessment was done through a dedicated mobile application with the assistance of dedicated volunteers including Students, Teachers, Ayurveda Practitioners, and Ayurvedic medical officers. The mobile app was based upon the logic provided by Institute of Genomics and Integrative Biology (IGIB) a unit of Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) as per Ayurvedic Principles. Under this campaign, a total of 1,39,62,239 Indian citizens aged 18 and above have undergone Prakriti assessment.

(b) to (e) Ayushman Arogya Mandir (Ayush) is a component of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National Ayush Mission (NAM) of the Ministry of Ayush wherein the State/UTs are supported to establish holistic wellness model based on Ayush principles. Prakriti Parikshan is one of the component of the Ayushman Arogya Mandir (Ayush) under NAM, As per the reports received from States/UTs, 12463 Ayushman Arogya Mandir (Ayush) are functional across the country.
