# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AYUSH

# RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2723 TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.03.2025

### **AYUSH service at Maha Kumbh**

## 2723 # Shri Mayankbhai Jaydevbhai Nayak: Shri Mithlesh Kumar: Dr. Medha Vishram Kulkarni:

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

(a) the number of AYUSH OPDs and Mobile Health Units deployed by the Ministry at Maha Kumbh;

(b) the number of beneficiaries availing health services at Maha Kumbh;

(c) whether any yoga or wellness session was organised by the Ministry at Maha Kumbh; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

#### ANSWER

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

(a) & (b) Public Health being a State subject, deployment of Ayush OPDs and Mobile Health Units in Maha Kumbh comes under the purview of respective State Government. As per information received from State Government of Uttar Pradesh, 21 Ayush OPDs and 01 Mobile Health Unit were deployed and as reported by State Government, 735997 number of beneficiaries availed health services through different Ayush intervention at Maha Kumbh.

(c) & (d) Dedicated Yoga sessions were held twice a day, with one session in the morning and another in the evening. In addition to regular Yoga sessions, specialized Yoga therapy sessions were also conducted for individuals suffering from specific diseases. A customized Yoga protocol was followed to address the diverse needs of the participants. The protocol ensured that all aspects of Yoga were covered. Over the course of the training period, thousands of people participated in the Yoga sessions. The sessions were well-received and attended by a diverse group of individuals. In addition to that as reported by State Government, Yoga related activities has been conducted in the established different Ayush health facilities of Maha Kumbha for providing benefits to the Pilgrims with respect to their health related issues.

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