

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY,
UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(AYUSH)**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.745
TO BE ANSWERED ON 14TH DECEMBER, 2018**

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745. SHRI JUGAL KISHORE:

Will the Minister of **AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY (AYUSH)** be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of facilities provided for treatment under Siddha therapy in the country;
- (b) the details of places where these facilities are likely to be provided under Central Government Health Scheme (CGHS); and
- (c) the details of the steps being taken to provide these facilities in those parts where these facilities have not been provided so far in the country?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA,
YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)**

(a) Ministry of AYUSH is providing Siddha treatment through the following autonomous Research Council/Institutes under it: -

Name of the Research Council/Institutes	Number of Centres
Centres under Central Council for Research in Siddha (CCRS)	06
National Institute of Siddha	01

In addition 49 Siddha Therapies are available under Central Government Health Scheme (CGHS), under Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.

(b): The CGHS intend to provide these facilities through all Government Siddha Hospitals, National Institute of Siddha Chennai, Tamilnadu.

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(c): The National AYUSH Mission (NAM) inter-alia makes following provision for providing Siddha facilities to different part of the country:

(i) Co-location of AYUSH facilities including Siddha system at Primary Health Centers (PHCs), Community Health Centers (CHCs) and District Hospitals (DHs).

(ii) Up gradation of exclusive State Government AYUSH Hospitals and Dispensaries including Siddha system.

(iii) Setting up of up to 50 bedded integrated AYUSH Hospital including Siddha system.

Further, CGHS under the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare is empanelling AYUSH Hospitals for providing these facilities - NABH accredited and teaching Siddha hospitals are eligible for empanelment.

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