

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1426**

**TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 12TH DECEMBER, 2023/ AGRAHAYANA 21, 1945
(SAKA)**

TRAINING TO FORCES TO CONTROL NEW NARCOTIC DRUGS

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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have any special programme to modernize technology and provide additional training to forces to identify and control new narcotic drugs;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the current support services and counselling resources in the country is sufficient for dealing the students and youth with drug addiction;

(d) if so, whether the Government is planning to increase and allocate funds for establishing more counselling and rehabilitation centres; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI NITYANAND RAI)**

(a) & (b) Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB) has taken initiatives to develop various tools/ applications/ portals with aim to provide better coordination, enforcement and collection/ analysis and dissemination of intelligence etc. by utilizing modern technology. Some of the initiatives are Narco-Coordination (NCORD) Portal, National Integrated Database on

Arrested Narco Offenders (Nidaan) Portal, (Crime & Criminal Tracking Network Systems (CCTNS)- Implementation in NCB, Satellite Imagery, Mapdrugs etc.

Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB) undertakes capacity building of drug law enforcement officers of NCB and of various Central and State agencies by conducting various technical trainings in coordination with Central Academy for Police Training (CAPT), National Forensic Science University (NFSU), National Academy of Customs Indirect Taxes and Narcotics (NACIN) as well as with United Nations Office on Drugs & Crime (UNODC) in various areas like Call Detail Record (CDR)/ Internet Protocol Detail Record (IPDR) analysis, Mobile Forensic and Investigation of Dark-net and Crypto-currencies. Some of the initiatives of NCB in this regard is as under: -

- (1) NCB has developed and circulated to all States and training institutions under NACIN, Bureau of Police Research & Development (BPR&D) and CAPT, a Core Training Module along with 05 separate training modules on drug related offences and procedures.**
- (2) This includes training materials on investigation of dark web & Crypto currency, extraction of evidence from mobile and laptops**

etc. for different ranks such as DySPs and above, Inspectors/Sub-Inspectors, Special Public Prosecutor (SPP)/ Public Prosecutor (PP), other ranks as well as officials of civil departments to have standardization in the training on drug law enforcement.

- (3) During the year 2022 & 2023, NCB has conducted 27 training programs on various training modules in which 1,038 officials of States and Central agencies participated.**

(c) to (e) The Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment has formulated a scheme “National Action Plan on Drug Demand Reduction (NAPDDR)” under which 100 percent financial assistance is provided to ‘State Governments/ Union Territory Administrations for preventive education and awareness generation, capacity building and programmes for drug demand reduction by States/ UTs etc. and NGOs/VOs for running and maintenance of Integrated Rehabilitation Centres for Addicts (IRCA), Community based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI) for early Drug Use Prevention among Adolescents and Outreach and Drop In Centres (ODIC) Addiction Treatment Facilities (ATFs) in Government Hospitals and District De-addiction Centres (DDACs) in the identified districts. A Toll-free Helpline for de-addiction, 14446 is being maintained for providing primary

counseling and immediate referral services to the persons seeking help through this helpline. On 15th August, 2020, Government had launched Nasha Mukta Bharat Abhiyaan (NMBA) in 272 identified districts, later-on expanded to all districts across the country under which a massive community outreach is being done through more-than 8000 youth volunteers. So far, NMBA has reached to more than 10.71+ crore people including 3.38+ crore youth and 2.27+ crore women. More-than 3.28+ lakh educational institutions have also participated in this Abhiyaan.

The scheme has been launched with an outlay of Rs. 1500 Cr. With allocation as under:-

Rupees in Crore

2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
250	291	311	314	333
