

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYUSH
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3024
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06TH AUGUST, 2021**

NATIONAL AYUSH MISSION

3024. SHRI B.B.PATIL:

SHRIMATI JASKAUR MEENA:

SHRI VIJAYAKUMAR (ALIAS) VIJAY VASANTH:

SHRI GNANATHIRAVIAM S.:

SHRIMATI MALA RAJYA LAXMI SHAH:

SHRI KUNWAR PUSHPENDRA SINGH CHANDEL:

SHRIMATI RAKSHA NIKHIL KHADSE:

SHRI MANOJ KOTAK:

SHRI ASHOK MAHADEORAO NETE:

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

- (a) the details, aims and objective of the National Ayush Mission (NAM);
- (b) the present status of implementation of NAM in the country, state-wise/UT-wise, particularly in Rajasthan and Maharashtra;
- (c) whether any proposal is under consideration of the Government to continue the NAM;
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the share of expenditure between Centre and the States;
- (e) whether any targets have been set under the said mission and if so, the details thereof;
- (f) the details of various categories of posts lying vacant in AYUSH Department; and
- (g) the details of trained AYUSH workers who contribute to the health services as volunteers from time to time?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF AYUSH
(SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)**

(a) The aims and objectives of National AYUSH Mission (NAM) are as follows:

- (i) To provide cost effective and equitable AYUSH health care throughout the country by improving access to the services.

(ii) To establish a holistic wellness model through AYUSH Health and Wellness Centres focusing on preventive and promotive health care based on AYUSH principles and practices, to reduce the disease burden and out of pocket expenditure.

(iii) To improve Educational Institutions for imparting quality AYUSH education to have well-trained human resources.

(iv) To emphasize the role of AYUSH in Public Health as per National Health Policy (NHP) 2017.

(b) Under NAM, grant-in-aid is being provided to State/UT Governments for different activities of NAM as per the proposals received in State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs). The status of grant-in-aid released to States/UTs including Rajasthan and Maharashtra and expenditure reported by them is at **Annexure**.

(c) & (d) Union Cabinet has approved on 14.07.2021 the continuation of NAM from 2021-22 to 2025-26 with financial outlay of Rs. 4607.30 Crore (Rs. 3000.00 Crore as Central Share and Rs. 1607.30 Crore as State Share). It is envisaged to continue the support to the State/UT Governments for providing AYUSH health care services by setting up of new up to 50 bedded integrated AYUSH hospital, co-location of AYUSH units in PHCs, CHCs and DHs, upgradation of AYUSH hospitals and dispensaries, setting up of new AYUSH educational institution and upgradation of existing AYUSH educational institution. Further, operationalization of AYUSH Health & Wellness Centre is also one of the major activity. AYUSH public health programme has also been added as new activity in the NAM. Under the NAM, the funding pattern for the North Eastern States, and Himalayan States of Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh & Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir shall be Central Share: 90% and State Share: 10%, whereas for the rest of the States and UTs with legislative assembly except Jammu & Kashmir, this ratio shall be Central Share: 60% and State Share: 40%. In case of UTs without legislative assembly, 100% funding shall be from Central Government.

(e) It is envisaged to have (i) Better access to AYUSH healthcare services through increased healthcare facilities offering AYUSH services and better availability of medicines and trained manpower (ii) Improvement in AYUSH education through a well-equipped enhanced number of AYUSH Educational institutions (iii) To focus on reducing communicable/non-communicable diseases through targeted public health programmes using AYUSH systems of Healthcare.

(f) As Health is a State subject, the information regarding various categories of posts lying vacant in AYUSH Department are not maintained by the Central Government.

(g) As per the information received from State/UT Governments, 102885 trained AYUSH workers contributed to the health services particularly during Covid-19 pandemic.

Annexure

The State/UT wise status of grant-in-aid provided and expenditure reported by the State/UT Governments from 2014-15 to 2020-21 under NAM

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of States/UTs	Amount approved/ Allocations	Central Share released	Expenditure reported by State/UT Governments
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	1877.292	1784.040	1401.458
2	Andhra Pradesh	12019.885	7578.053	1934.753
3	Arunachal Pradesh	3610.159	3249.109	2013.054
4	Assam	9765.141	8788.628	2598.079
5	Bihar	8741.203	5244.722	123.867
6	Chandigarh	1248.200	1248.200	424.870
7	Chhattisgarh	12531.678	7749.096	3921.167
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu	577.135	484.248	29.790
9	Delhi	859.407	726.305	342.745
10	Goa	2225.545	1335.327	646.173
11	Gujarat	13308.506	8167.082	4791.265
12	Haryana	15281.265	9211.475	5538.888
13	Himachal Pradesh	6884.454	6202.461	3477.254
14	Jammu & Kashmir	9012.475	8111.228	5485.989
15	Jharkhand	3434.166	2195.046	96.000
16	Karnataka	19126.600	11885.082	8514.163
17	Kerala	17774.086	10991.842	9416.163
18	Ladakh	0.000	0.000	0.000
19	Lakshadweep	1327.815	1209.182	772.714
20	Madhya Pradesh	35394.864	22053.404	14583.102
21	Maharashtra	13572.329	8439.518	2715.610
22	Manipur	7029.245	6334.948	4140.088
23	Mizoram	3776.849	3399.164	1819.195
24	Meghalaya	2941.048	2646.943	2066.733
25	Nagaland	6836.941	6153.247	5211.709
26	Odisha	11922.289	7634.795	2647.909
27	Puducherry	1445.614	1345.773	1169.552
28	Punjab	7412.734	4564.694	1249.990
29	Rajasthan	31906.633	19862.306	9655.429
30	Sikkim	2977.874	2680.086	2048.366
31	Tamil nadu	16323.518	9794.111	8363.036
32	Telangana	8456.942	5431.812	3197.202
33	Tripura	3524.014	3178.822	2264.934
34	Uttar Pradesh	80709.557	49437.824	39248.892
35	Uttrakhand	8062.859	7251.343	5356.674
36	West Bengal	15444.596	9738.289	6181.133
	Total	397342.917	266108.204	163447.945