

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3338  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2021**

**AYURVEDA BASED CANCER HOSPITALS**

**3338. SHRI RAJESHBHAI CHUDASAMA:**

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

- (a) whether Government is planning to open Ayurveda based cancer hospitals in view of the increasing number of cancer patients in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise; and
- (c) the time by which these cancer hospitals are likely to be opened?

**ANSWER**

**MINISTRY OF AYUSH  
(SHRI SARBANADA SONOWAL)**

- (a) to (c) Public health being a State subject, opening of Ayurveda based cancer hospitals in the country comes under the purview of respective State/UT Governments. However, under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of the National AYUSH Mission (NAM), there is a provision for financial assistance for setting up of up to 50 bedded integrated AYUSH Hospital including Ayurveda for treatment of common ailments. Grant-in-aid is being provided to State/UT Governments as per the proposals received through State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs) and as per the guidelines of NAM.

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