

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYUSH**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 3200
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.08.2024**

“Registered Practitioners of AYUSH”

**3200. Shri G M Harish Balayogi:
Shri Magunta Sreenivasulu Reddy:**

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

- (a) the details of the total number of registered practitioners for Ayurveda, Yoga, Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy (AYUSH) in the country, State/UT-wise especially in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) the total number of educational institutions proposed, under construction and functioning for the study of Ayurveda, Yoga, Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy (AYUSH) in the country, State/UT-wise especially in Andhra Pradesh;
- (c) the total number of clinics/wellness centres run by these professionals across Andhra Pradesh, district-wise especially in Dr. BR Ambedkar Konaseema district;
- (d) whether the Government has considered offering any schemes/projects/initiatives incentivising individuals to take up the study/practice of Ayurveda, Yoga, Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the total amount of fund(s) allocated and utilised for same during the last five years, year-wise and State/UT-wise especially in Andhra Pradesh?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): The details regarding the total number of Ayush Registered Practitioners (Doctors) in the country, State/UT-wise including Andhra Pradesh as on 01.01.2022, as reported by State/UT Boards/Councils is furnished at **Annexure-I**. Also, the total number of Ayush Colleges in the country, State/UT-wise including Andhra Pradesh as on 01.04.2022 is furnished at **Annexure - II**.

(c): The total number of Ayush dispensaries in the country, State/UT-wise including Andhra Pradesh and district-wise total number of Ayush dispensaries in Andhra Pradesh including Dr. BR Ambedkar Konaseema district as on 01.04.2022, as reported by State/UT Governments is furnished at **Annexure –III & IV** respectively.

(d) & (e): Yes, Central Council for Research in Ayurvedic Sciences (CCRAS), an autonomous body under the Ministry of Ayush has taken the following steps for incentivizing individuals to take up the research study of Ayurveda:

- **Studentship Program for Ayurveda Research Ken (SPARK):** This program has been launched on 02.09.2022 for undergraduate students interested in research. 95 students were awarded scholarship for the year 2022-23. State-wise details of the same are given in **Annexure V**.
- **Scheme for Training in Ayurveda Research for PG Scholars (PG-STAR):** CCRAS has initiated Scheme for Training in Ayurveda Research for PG Scholars (PG-STAR) from June 2023. The Amount of Scholarship is up to Rs 1,00,000/- per scholar and 100 Scholarships are granted per year. The details of funds allocated for PG STAR session 1 including Andhra Pradesh are at **Annexure VI**.
- Ministry of Ayush/ CCRAS has also initiated Ph.D. and Post-Doctoral Fellowship programs for students to encourage scientific research.

Annexure- I

State/ UT-wise Total Number of Ayush Registered Practitioners (Doctors) in the country as on 01.01.2022

S. No.	States/UTs	Ayurveda	Unani	Siddha	Naturopathy	Sowa-Rigpa	Homoeopathy	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1	Andhra Pradesh	1910	562	0	197	0	2662	5331
2	Arunachal Pradesh	72	3	0	0	0	398	473
3	Assam	1342	0	0	0	0	1850	3192
4	Bihar	34023	5423	0	0	0	34455	73901
5	Chhattisgarh	4332	210	0	120	0	2326	6988
6	Delhi	3208	1843	0	0	0	5490	10541
7	Goa	710	0	0	0	0	821	1531
8	Gujarat	28344	362	0	56	0	28508	57270
9	Haryana	10182	216	0	0	0	1960	12358
10	Himachal Pradesh	5969	4	0	0	0	1416	7389
11	Jammu & Kashmir	1564	1755	0	72	54	496	3941
12	Jharkhand	236	65	0	0	0	569	870
13	Karnataka	19875	1199	11	1059	0	10713	32857
14	Kerala	30459	178	2456	342	0	13943	47378
15	Madhya Pradesh	20524	1950	0	81	0	20938	43493
16	Maharashtra	88104	7882	0	0	0	78057	174043
17	Manipur	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
18	Meghalaya	0	0	0	0	0	493	493
19	Mizoram	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Nagaland	0	0	0	0	0	177	177
21	Odisha	5401	28	0	0	0	10046	15475
22	Punjab	12236	181	0	0	0	4128	16545
23	Rajasthan	11628	1200	0	149	0	9022	21999
24	Sikkim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	Tamil Nadu	2032	559	6697	1467	0	7173	17928
26	Telangana	12157	5187	0	390	0	5500	23234
27	Tripura	0	0	0	0	0	715	715
28	Uttar Pradesh	43670	15730	0	0	0	36550	95950
29	Uttarakhand	4397	191	0	0	0	907	5495
30	West Bengal	3865	5325	0	0	0	41368	50558
31	A&N Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
32	Chandigarh	0	0	0	0	0	192	192
33	D&N Haveli & Daman & Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
34	Ladakh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
36	Puducherry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL	346240	50053	9164	3933	54	320873	730317

Source: State/UT Boards/Councils

State/ UT-wise Total Number of Ayush Colleges in the country as on 01.04.2022

S. No.	State/UT	Ayurveda	Unani	Siddha	Yoga & Naturopathy	Homoeopathy	Sowa Rigpa	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
1	Andhra Pradesh	3	1	0	2	7	0	13
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
3	Assam	1	0	0	0	3	0	4
4	Bihar	8	5	0	0	15	0	28
5	Chhattisgarh	6	1	0	1	3	0	11
6	Delhi	3	2	0	1	2	0	8
7	Goa	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
8	Gujarat	35	0	0	2	44	0	81
9	Haryana	11	0	0	1	1	0	13
10	Himachal Pradesh	3	0	0	0	1	1	5
11	Jammu & Kashmir	2	4	0	0	0	0	6
12	Jharkhand	1	0	0	0	6	0	7
13	Karnataka	87	6	0	9	19	0	121
14	Kerala	18	1	1	0	6	0	26
15	Madhya Pradesh	31	4	0	2	25	0	62
16	Maharashtra	88	7	0	0	65	0	160
17	Meghalaya	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
18	Odisha	6	0	0	0	7	0	13
19	Punjab	17	1	0	0	4	0	22
20	Rajasthan	12	3	0	10	12	0	37
21	Sikkim	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
22	Tamil Nadu	8	1	12	15	14	0	50
23	Telangana	2	3	0	1	5	0	11
24	Uttar Pradesh	84	16	0	4	12	1	117
25	Uttarakhand	19	1	0	1	2	0	23
26	West Bengal	4	1	0	0	12	1	18
27	Chandigarh	1	0	0	0	1	0	2
28	Puducherry	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
29	Ladakh	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
TOTAL		453	57	13	49	269	6	847

Source: AEP-I and AEP-II Sections, Ministry of Ayush, CCRYN and Yoga & Naturopathy Colleges

Note: Number of Colleges includes UG, PG (after UG courses) and Exclusive PG Ayush Colleges.

Annexure- III

State/ UT-wise Total Number of Ayush Dispensaries in the country as on 01.04.2022

S. No.	State / UT	Ayurveda	Unani	Siddha	Yoga	Naturo pathy	Homoeo pathy	Sowa-Rigpa	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
A. States/Union Territories									
1	Andhra Pradesh	373	92	0	0	25	245	0	735
2	Arunachal Pradesh	38	1	0	0	0	133	2	174
3	Assam	524	0	0	0	0	87	0	611
4	Bihar	799	333	0	0	0	458	0	1590
5	Chhattisgarh	956	26	0	0	0	112	0	1094
6	Delhi	49	22	0	0	0	109	0	180
7	Goa	140	0	0	0	0	67	0	207
8	Gujarat	579	0	0	0	0	273	0	852
9	Haryana	625	23	0	18	0	164	0	830
10	Himachal Pradesh	1185	3	0	0	0	14	4	1206
11	Jammu & Kashmir	311	267	0	0	0	16	0	594
12	Jharkhand	305	115	0	1	0	213	0	634
13	Karnataka	7432	89	1	0	22	97	0	7641
14	Kerala	1041	16	34	0	1	1078	0	2170
15	Madhya Pradesh	1496	64	0	0	0	213	0	1773
16	Maharashtra	462	24	0	0	0	0	0	486
17	Manipur	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
18	Meghalaya	39	0	0	2	0	54	0	95
19	Mizoram	1	0	0	0	0	20	0	21
20	Nagaland	10	0	0	2	0	34	0	46
21	Odisha	620	9	0	0	0	562	0	1191
22	Punjab	672	34	0	1	0	225	0	932
23	Rajasthan	3582	262	0	0	3	249	0	4096
24	Sikkim	1	0	0	0	0	10	0	11
25	Tamil Nadu	101	65	790	174	0	108	0	1238
26	Tripura	37	0	0	0	0	73	0	110
27	Uttar Pradesh	2112	73	0	0	0	1576	0	3761
28	Uttarakhand	412	2	0	0	0	148	0	562
29	West Bengal	545	6	0	12	0	2105	0	2668
30	A&N Island	13	0	0	6	0	18	0	37
31	Chandigarh	14	2	0	0	0	17	0	33
32	D&N Haveli and Daman & Diu	10	0	0	0	0	10	0	20
33	Ladakh	3	9	0	0	0	1	34	47
34	Lakshadweep	9	0	0	0	0	9	0	18
35	Puducherry	28	0	26	4	0	17	0	75
36	Telangana	423	184	0	0	28	199	0	834

	TOTAL (A)	24947	1721	851	220	79	8715	40	36573
	B. CGHS & Central Government Organizations	333	41	62	55	5	316	0	812
	TOTAL(A+B)	25280	1762	913	275	84	9031	40	37385

Source: State / UT Governments & Concerned agencies.

Annexure- IV

District-wise Total Number of Ayush Dispensaries in Andhra Pradesh as on 01.04.2022

S. No.	Name of the District	Ayurveda	Unani	Siddha	Yoga	Naturo pathy	Homoeo pathy	Sowa-Rigpa	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1	Srikakulam	17	2	-	-	-	18	-	37
2	Vizianagaram	16	2	-	-	3	15	-	36
3	Visakhapatnam	7	2	-	-	2	6	-	17
4	Manyam	13	-	-	-	-	8	-	21
5	Alluri Sitha Ramaraju	9	-	-	-	-	7	-	16
6	Anakapally	14	-	-	-	1	11	-	26
7	Kakinda	9	2	-	-	-	8	-	19
8	Dr. BR Ambedkar Konaseema (Erstwhile Konaseema)	9	1	-	-	-	13	-	23
9	East Godavari	8	-	-	-	1	5	-	14
10	West Godavari	13	1	-	-	3	3	-	20
11	Eluru	19	4	-	-	-	11	-	34
12	Krishna	19	1	-	-	3	6	-	29
13	N.T.R.	11	1	-	-	1	3	-	16
14	Guntur	16	1	-	-	2	7	-	26
15	Palnadu	15	-	-	-	-	5	-	20
16	Bapatla	27	1	-	-	1	7	-	36
17	Prakasam	21	4	-	-	3	13	-	41
18	Nellore	27	10	-	-	-	12	-	49
19	Chittoor	10	7	-	-	-	13	-	30
20	Tirupathi	9	2	-	-	1	14	-	26
21	Annamaiah	10	10	-	-	-	11	-	31
22	Ananthapuram	15	8	-	-	1	11	-	35
23	Sri Satya Sai	19	9	-	-	-	6	-	34
24	Kurnool	12	6	-	-	1	10	-	29
25	Nandyal	14	8	-	-	2	11	-	35
26	Kadapa	14	10	-	-	-	11	-	35
	Total	373	92	0	0	25	245	0	735

Source: State / UT Governments & Concerned agencies.

State-wise Studentship Awarded to Spark Awardees of 2022-23 Batch

S. No.	State	Number of SPARK Awardees	Total Studentship amount (in Rs.) (@Rs.50,000/- per awardee)
1.	Andhra Pradesh	1	50000
2.	Chhattisgarh	2	100000
3.	Gujarat	9	450000
4.	Haryana	3	150000
5.	Karnataka	34	1700000
6.	Kerala	9	450000
7.	Madhya Pradesh	5	250000
8.	Maharashtra	13	650000
9.	Meghalaya	1	50000
10.	New Delhi	2	100000
11.	Odisha	1	50000
12.	Puducherry	1	50000
13.	Punjab	2	100000
14.	Rajasthan	5	250000
15.	Tamil Nadu	1	50000
16.	Telangana	1	50000
17.	Uttar Pradesh	3	150000
18.	Uttarakhand	1	50000
19.	West Bengal	1	50000
	Total	95	Rs.47,50,000.00 Rupees Forty-Seven Lakh Fifty Thousand Only)

State-wise details of PG STAR scholarship

SI No	State	No of Proposals	Funds allocated for PG STAR session 1 (in Rs.)
1	Andhra Pradesh	1	1,00,000/-
2	Chhattisgarh	1	92,150/-
3	Gujarat	9	6,30,050/-
4	Haryana	3	1,81,000/-
5	Himachal Pradesh	1	1,00,000/-
6	Karnataka	31	25,85,031/-
7	Kerala	18	15,97,260/-
8	Madhya Pradesh	1	70,000/-
9	Maharashtra	15	13,47,538/-
10	New Delhi	6	4,51,200/-
11	Punjab	2	2,00,000/-
12	Rajasthan	6	5,02,045/-
13	Telangana	2	1,06,420/-
14	Uttar Pradesh	3	2,95,100/-
15	Uttarakhand	1	76,000/-
	Total	100	83,33,794/-