

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYUSH

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3202
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.08.2024

“AYUSH in NCT of DELHI”

3202. Shri Manoj Tiwari:

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

- (a) the details of efforts made by the Government to promote Ayurveda and other systems of AYUSH in NCT of Delhi, where a large chunk of population depends on traditional medical practices; and
- (b) the number of Institutes and training centres related to Yoga, Naturopathy, Unani etc. proposed to be set up in Delhi specially in North East Delhi?

ANSWER

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

(a): The Government through its various initiatives has been able to promote the Ayush system of medicine including Ayurveda, among people in the country including in the NCT of Delhi. With the view to fulfil the mandate of propagation of Ayush system of medicine, the Ministry of Ayush implements a Central Sector Scheme for Promotion of Information Education and Communication (IEC) in Ayush. This aims to reach out to all sections of the population across the country. Under this Scheme, Ministry organises National/ State level Arogya Fairs, Yoga Fests/ Utsavs, Ayurveda Parvs, celebrate important days of Ayush system, participate in Health fairs/ melas, Exhibitions etc, provide financial assistance for organising seminars, workshops, conferences and conduct multimedia campaigns etc. to create awareness among citizens regarding Ayush system of medicine.

Also, the Ministry is implementing the Centrally Sponsored Scheme namely National Ayush Mission (NAM) through State/UT Governments for development & promotion of different Ayush system in the country and providing financial assistance to them as per the proposal received in their State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs). State/UT Governments may avail financial assistance by submitting proposals through State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs) as per NAM guidelines.

(b): At present, there is no such proposal.