GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AYUSH

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1934 TO BE ANSWERED ON 6th DECEMBER, 2024

Implementation of AYURGYAN Scheme

1934. Shri Tejasvi Surya:

Will the Minister of Ayush be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the progress made in implementing the AYURGYAN scheme from its inception in FY 2021-22 till date;
- (b) the number of professionals who have been benefitted from training and capacity building programs since its inception; and
- (c) the steps being taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to increase enrolment in AYUSH educational institutions through this scheme?

ANSWER

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

(a) The Ministry of Ayush is implementing a Central Sector Scheme namely AYURGYAN since 2021-22 with the aim to support Research & Innovation in Ayush through Extra Mural Research activities and Education by providing academic activities, training, capacity building etc.

The Scheme has three components viz. (i) Capacity Building & Continuing Medical Education (CME) in Ayush (ii) Research & Innovation in AYUSH and (iii) Ayurveda Biology Integrated Health Research has been added under the scheme from the year 2023-24 as a 3rd component. The detailed scheme guidelines are available on the portal of Ministry of Ayush (https://ngo.ayush.gov.in/ayurgyan).

Notable milestones/Progress made under Ayurgyan scheme since inception is as under:

i) <u>Under Capacity Building & CME in Ayush Component</u>:

Fund to the tune of Rs.2.70 Crore during FY 2021-22, Rs.6.25 Crore during FY 2022-23, Rs.4.50 Crore during FY 2023-24 and Rs.2.99 Crore (as on 02.12.2024) was released/disbursed to conduct 28, 73, 49 and 36 training programmes respectively for Ayush personnel.

ii) Research & Innovation in Ayush component

Fund to the tune of Rs.1.76 Crore during FY 2021-22, Rs.2.82 Crore during FY 2022-23, Rs.4.00 Crore during FY 2023-24 and Rs.2.07 Crore during FY 2024-25 (as on 02.12.2024) was released for 21, 25, 37 and 16 Research Projects respectively.

(iii) Ayurveda Biology Integrated Health Research

- Fund to the tune of Rs.6.16 Crore during FY 2023-24 and Rs.19.96 Crore (as on 02.12.2024) was released for 02 and 04 Research Projects respectively.
- (b) Under Capacity Building & CME in Ayush Component of Ayurgyan scheme, 4717 number of Ayush personnel has been trained since inception of the scheme.
- (c) Ministry of Ayush has developed a portal i.e. NGO Ayush portal (www.ngo.ayush.gov.in) for online submission of proposals, which is open throughout the year, to increase the enrolment of AYUSH educational institutions under the scheme.
