

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA**  
**MINISTRY OF AYUSH**

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1949**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 06<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER, 2024**

**AYUSH Pharma Park**

1949. Thiru D M Kathir Anand:

Will the Minister of AYUSH be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has framed any policy for establishing Ayush Pharma park and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government has any proposal for establishing All India Institute of Siddha Research and Development on the lines of AIIMS in Tamil Nadu and if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the total amount of funds allocated to Tamil Nadu for the development of Siddha medical system and siddha medicines during the last five years, year-wise?

**ANSWER**

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

- (a): No such policy has been framed in Ministry of Ayush.
- (b): Presently, no such proposal is under consideration of Ministry of Ayush.
- (c): Ministry of Ayush has established National Institute of Siddha (NIS) at Chennai, Tamil Nadu and the headquarters of Central Council for Research in Siddha (CCRS) at Chennai, Tamil Nadu for the development of Siddha medical system and Siddha Medicines. The following Peripheral Institutes / Units of CCRS located at Tamil Nadu:-
- i. Siddha Central Research Institute, Chennai.
  - ii. Siddha Clinical Research Unit, Palayamkottai.
  - iii. Siddha Medicinal Plants Garden, Mettur Dam.

Ministry of Ayush is implementing the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National Ayush Mission (NAM) through State/UT Governments including Tamil Nadu and supporting their efforts for overall development & promotion of Ayush system including Siddha medical system in the country by providing financial assistance under different activities against their proposals received through State Annual Action Plans (SAAPS) as per the provisions of NAM guidelines. The State Government of Tamil Nadu has availed funds for different activities including Siddha medical system and siddha medicines under NAM Scheme.

Ministry of Ayush is also implementing the Central Sector Scheme for augmenting quality of AYUSH drugs - AYUSH Oushadhi Gunvatta Evam Uttpadan Samvardhan Yojana (AOGUSY). Strengthening and up-gradation of Ayush Pharmacies and Drug Testing Laboratories is one of the components under AOGUSY scheme. The State Government of Tamil Nadu has availed funds under this component.

Funds allocated to CCRS Headquarters and its peripheral institutes/units in Tamil Nadu & NIS and released to the State Government of Tamil Nadu under NAM Scheme and AOGUSY Scheme, during the last five years, year-wise are given at Annexure – I.

## Annexure – I

**Funds allocated to CCRS Headquarters and its peripheral institutes/units in Tamil Nadu & NIS and released to the State Government of Tamil Nadu under NAM Scheme and AOGUSY Scheme, during the last five years, year-wise:**

S.No	Financial Year	(Amount in Crores)				
		CCRS	NIS	Released as Central Share under NAM Scheme	Under AOGUSY Scheme	Total
1	2019-20	22.22	50.56	19.93	-	92.71
2	2020-21	26.98	47.58	6.16	-	80.72
3	2021-22	30.71	44.76	23.48	-	98.95
4	2022-23	37.97	59.01	24.28	-	121.26
5	2023-24	36.65	68.40	66.35	0.20	171.60
<b>Total</b>		<b>154.53</b>	<b>270.31</b>	<b>140.20</b>	<b>0.20</b>	<b>565.24</b>