

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYUSH
LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4249
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20thDecember, 2024
“Siddha College in Tamil Nadu”

4249. Ms. S Jothimani:

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

- (a) the number of Siddha colleges established in the State of Tamil Nadu till date, district-wise;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to establish a Siddha college in Karur district in the said State;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, including the timeline by which the said college is likely to be opened; and
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR MINISTRY OF
AYUSH
(SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV)

- (a) The district wise details of the number of Siddha colleges established in the state of Tamil Nadu for the academic year 2024-2025, as on 13.12.2024 is annexed.
- (b) to (d) Public health being a State subject, the establishment of new AYUSH colleges in the country comes under the purview of respective State/UT Governments including Tamil Nadu. However, under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National AYUSH Mission (NAM), there is a provision of financial assistance to the State/UT governments for the establishment of new AYUSH Colleges in the States where availability of Ayush teaching institutions is inadequate in Government Sector. Accordingly, State/UT Governments including Tamil Nadu may avail eligible financial assistance by submitting the suitable proposals through State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs) as per the provision of NAM guidelines. Further, National Commission for Indian System of Medicine (NCISM), New Delhi, which is the regulatory body for the establishment of new Ayurveda, Siddha, Unani and Sowa-Rigpa colleges across the country, has not received any proposal for the establishment of new Siddha College in the Karur district of Tamil Nadu.

**List of Siddha Colleges established in the state of Tamil Nadu for the Academic
Year 2024-25 as on 13.12.2024**

S. No	Name of the College	Government/Aided/Private/Deemed
1	Govt. Siddha Medical College, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli – 627 002, Tamil Nadu	Government
2	Govt. Siddha Medical College, Arumbakkam, Aringar Anna Hospital Campus, Chennai- 600106, Tamil Nadu	Government
3	ATSVS Siddha Medical College, Munchirai, Kanyakumari-629171, Tamil Nadu	Private
4	Sai Ram Siddha Medical College & Research Centre, Sai Leo Nagar, Chennai-600044, Tamil Nadu	Private
5	Velumailu Siddha Medical College and Hospital, Chennai, Sriperumbudur-602105, Tamil Nadu,	Private
6	National Institute of Siddha, Trichy Hwy, Near Government Hospital, Tambaram Sanatoruim, Chennai, Tamil Nadu - 600047	Government
7	RVS Siddha Medical College, Kannampalayam, Sulur, Coimbatore-641402, Tamil Nadu	Private
8	Sivaraj Siddha Medical College and Research Institute, Salem, Siddhar Kovil Road, Thumbathulipatty-636307, Tamil Nadu,	Private
9	Maria Siddha Medical College and Hospital, Thottavaram, Moovatumugham, Thiruvattar-629177, Nagercoil, Tamil Nadu	Private
10	JSA Medical College for Siddha & Research Centre, Ulundurpet, Kallakuruchi-606104, Tamil Nadu	Private
11	Nandha Siddha Medical College And Hospital, Thiruvachi Panchayat, Pitchandapalayam Post, Erode- 638052, Tamil Nadu	Private
12	Excel Siddha Medical College & Research Centre, Komarapalayam-637303, Tamil Nadu	Private
13	Annai Medical College of Siddha and Research Centre, Anakudi Road, Kovilcheri Kambakonam, Thanjavur- 612503, Tamil Nadu	Private
14	Sir Issac Newton Siddha Medical College, Thandapani Pillai and Sons, Educational and Charitable Trust, Nagapattinam-611 001, Tamil Nadu	Private
15	Sudha Saseendran Siddha Medical College and Hospital, 5/121B, Mecode, Kaliyakkavilai - Post, Kanyakumari District, Tamil Nadu- 629153	Private
16	Shri Indra Ganesan Institute of Medical Science Siddha Medical College, Main Road NH-45B, Manikandam, Triuchirappalli - 620012, Tamil Nadu	Private