

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF AYUSH**

**LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3599  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.03.2025**

**AYUSH Dispensaries and Sub-Health Centres**

3599. Dr. Jayanta Kumar Roy:

Will the Minister of Ayush be pleased to state:

- (a) whether existing AYUSH dispensaries and sub-health centres in Jalpaiguri of West Bengal are being upgraded to AYUSH Health and Wellness Centres (HWCs);
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the total number of centres identified for upgradation in the district; and
- (c) the details of the specific enhancements in infrastructure and services planned for these centres?

**ANSWER**

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

(a) to (c). Under Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National Ayush Mission (NAM), as per the proposals received from State Government of West Bengal through State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs), 21 AYUSH dispensaries in Jalpaiguri District has been supported to be upgraded as AYUSH Health and Wellness Centres (AHWCs) renamed as Ayushman Arogya Mandir (Ayush) and as reported by the State Government all are functional. The details of approved dispensaries is enclosed at **Annexure**.

Further, the specific enhancements in infrastructure and services planned for these centers comes under the purview of respective Government. However, as reported by the State Government, following initiatives has already been taken:

- i. The repair and renovation and proper branding of the existing building have been completed.
- ii. Increased amount of Essential drugs (system wise) were made available.
- iii. Auxilliary Health workers are tagged with these centres and they have started working.
- iv. IEC material distribution and different awareness campaigns including public health outreach camps have been organized in this District.

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**Details of dispensaries upgraded as AHWCs in Jalpaiguri District of West Bengal**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Name of Dispensary upgraded as AAM(Ayush)</b>
1.	State Ayurveda Dispensary, Dhupguri at Jharaltagram new PHC
2.	State Ayurveda Dispensary, Mal at Uttar Saripakuri PHC
3.	State Ayurveda Dispensary, Lataguri at Moulani PHC
4.	State Ayurveda Dispensary, Odlabari at Odlabari BPHC
5.	State Ayurveda Dispensary, Sulkapara at Lookshan PHC
6.	State Ayurveda Dispensary, Moynaguri at Moynaguri Rural Hospital
7.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Bahadur PHC
8.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Mariam Basti
9.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Ambari Falakata
10.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Helapakri
11.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Sulkapara BPHC
12.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Belakoba Rural Hospital
13.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Rajganj Rural Hospital
14.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Churabhandar PHC
15.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Maynaguri Rural Hospital
16.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Jharaltagram PHC
17.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Duramari PHC
18.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Moulani PHC
19.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, Bidhannagar at Mathachulka PHC
20.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, at Mangalbari RH
21.	State Homoeopathy Dispensary, Amguri at Amguri Gram Panchayat