GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AYUSH

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4714 TO BE ANSWERED ON 28.03.2025

AYUSH OPD and Mobile Health Units

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Will the Minister of AYUSH be pleased to state:

(a) the number of AYUSH OPDs and Mobile Health Units deployed by the Government during the Maha Kumbh at Prayagraj in 2025;

(b) the total number of beneficiaries who received healthcare services during the Maha Kumbh 2025;

(c) whether the Government organized any yoga or wellness sessions at the Maha Kumbh 2025;

(d) if so, the details thereof along with the nature, scale and impact of these sessions; and

(e) the details of the proposed plans and initiatives for AYUSH healthcare services including OPDs, mobile units and wellness programmes for the upcoming Kumbh Mela in Nashik, Maharashtra in 2027?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b) Public Health being a State subject, deployment of Ayush OPDs and Mobile Health Units in Maha Kumbh comes under the purview of respective State Government. As per information received from State Government of Uttar Pradesh, 21 Ayush OPDs and 01 Mobile Health Unit were deployed and 735997 number of beneficiaries availed health services through different Ayush intervention at Maha Kumbh at Prayagraj in 2025.

(c) & (d) Dedicated Yoga sessions were held twice a day, with one session in the morning and another in the evening. In addition to regular Yoga sessions, specialized Yoga therapy sessions were also conducted for individuals suffering from specific diseases. A customized Yoga protocol was followed to address the diverse needs of the participants. The protocol ensured that

all aspects of Yoga were covered. Over the course of the training period, thousands of people participated in the Yoga sessions. The sessions were well-received and attended by a diverse group of individuals. In addition to that as reported by State Government, Yoga related activities has been conducted in the established different Ayush health facilities of Maha Kumbha for providing benefits to the Pilgrims with respect to their health related issues.

(e) Ministry of Ayush has no plans and initiatives for the upcoming Kumbh Mela in Nashik, Maharashtra in 2027, as of now.
