## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF AYUSH

### LOK SABHA

## UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2284 TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.08.2025

#### **AYUSH Wellness Centres in Tribal Area in Assam**

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Will the Minister of AYUSH be pleased to state:

- (a) the total number of AYUSH Health and Wellness Centres sanctioned and operational in Assam, particularly in the tribal districts of Karbi Anglong and Dima Hasao of Assam, district-wise;
- (b) the modalities of recruitment and training for medical officers and support staff at these centres;
- (c) whether the Government propose to expand AYUSH infrastructure in underserved tribal and hilly regions; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

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

- (a) Under Centrally Sponsored scheme of National Ayush Mission (NAM), 500 AYUSH Health and Wellness Centres now renamed as Ayushman Arogya Mandir (Ayush) [AAM (Ayush)] have been approved in Assam State. As reported by State Government, all AAM (Ayush) are operational. Out of which, 13 AAM (Ayush) are operational in the Karbi Anglong District and another 13 AAM (Ayush) are operational in the district of Dima Hasao of Assam. Further, District-wise status of approved AAM (Ayush) in Assam State is furnished at **Annexure.**
- (b) Public Health being a State subject, the primary responsibility of recruitment and training for medical officers and support staff of these centres comes under the purview of respective State Government. As reported by State Government of Assam, the Community Health Officers for AAM (Ayush) are recruited on contractual basis and they have mentioned that recruitment notifications were issued in prominent newspapers, and applications were received via the online portal. After completion of the recruitment process, the selected candidates had undergone for 5 days Orientation Training before their deployment.
- (c) & (d) Public Health being a State subject, the primary responsibility to strengthen/expand the Ayush infrastructure in the underserved tribal and hilly regions lies with respective State Government. However, under NAM, as per the proposals received from State Government of Assam, one 30 bedded Integrated Ayush Hospital (IAH) at Diphu Karbi Anglong District and one 50 Bedded IAH in the District Baksa were approved, which are located in hilly and tribal region of Assam.

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District-wise status of approved AAM (Ayush) in Assam State including tribal districts of Karbi Anglong and Dima Hasao

Annexure

Sl. No.	Name of District	No. of approved AAM (Ayush)
1.	Baksa	23
2.	Barpeta	7
3.	Biswanath	54
4.	Bongaigaon	13
5.	Cachar	32
6.	Charaideo	15
7.	Chirang	22
8.	Darrang	5
9.	Dhemaji	4
10.	Dhubri	19
11.	Dibrugarh	4
12.	Dima Hasao	13
13.	Goalpara	4
14.	Golaghat	19
15.	Hailakandi	11
16.	Hojai	19
17.	Kamrup	3
18.	Kamrup(M)	9
19.	Karbi Anglong	13
20.	Karimganj	14
21.	Kokrajhar	36
22.	Lakhimpur	20
23.	Morigaon	20
24.	Nagaon	32
25.	Nalbari	12
26.	Sivasagar	32
27.	Sonitpur	16
28.	Tinsukia	16
29.	Udalguri	9
30.	West Karbi Anglong	4
Total		500