

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYUSH

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2294

TO BE ANSWERED ON 01.08.2025

Integrated MBBS-BAMS Curriculum

2294. Dr. Prabha Mallikarjun:

Will the Minister of AYUSH

be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is planning to introduce an integrated MBBS-Bachelor of Ayurvedic Medicine and Surgery (BAMS) curriculum in select institutions;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the objectives behind such a step of the Government;
- (c) whether any expert panel or advisory group has been constituted to evaluate the academic and scientific implications of this integration and if so, the details thereof,
- (d) whether the Government has responded to concerns raised by the Indian Medical Association (IMA) regarding the risks of combining medical systems and if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) whether the Government intends to use findings from pilot programmes to design a long-term roadmap for bridging Ayurveda and modern medicine in the country and if so, the details thereof ?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYUSH

(SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV)

(a) to (e) At present, there is no such proposal from the Ministry of Ayush. However, in order to have an interface with other systems of medicine with regard to education and medical practice, there is a provision in the National Commission for Indian System of Medicine Act, 2020, the National Commission for Homoeopathy Act, 2020 and the National Medical Commission Act, 2019 for having joint sittings amongst the three Commissions namely the National Commission for Indian System of Medicine, the National Commission for Homoeopathy and the National Medical Commission.
