GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1567 TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.12.2025

FUNDS ALLOCATED UNDER ATAL VAYO ABHYUDAY YOJANA

1567. SHRI B K PARTHASARATHI: SHRI DAGGUMALLA PRASADA RAO:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the details regarding number of projects approved, implemented, and currently active under Atal Vayo Abhyuday Yojana (AVYAY) under all its sub-components classified State and district-wise for Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) the details regarding number of beneficiaries served under each component during the last three years, year, State and district-wise for Andhra Pradesh;
- (c) the details regarding total funds allocated, released and utilized under AVYAY during the last three years, year, State and district-wise including Andhra Pradesh;
- (d) the details regarding list of institutions or NGOs implementing Senior Citizens Homes, mobile Medicare units, caretaker training and assistive device camps under AVYAY in Andhra Pradesh;
- (e) the details regarding steps taken by the Government to raise awareness about AVYAY and its various components among senior citizens and stakeholders, especially in rural and remote area; and
- (f) whether mechanisms such as social audits, surprise inspections and third-party evaluations have been institutionalised to monitor delivery and quality of services under AVYAY?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SHRI B.L.VERMA)

- (a) to (b): The Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, implements a scheme namely Atal Vayo Abhyuday Yojana (AVYAY) to provide help and security to the senior citizens. The Scheme has the following seven components:-
- i. Integrated Programme for Senior Citizen(IPSrC) Grant-in-aid is provided to Non-Governmental/ Voluntary Organisations for running and maintenance of Senior Citizen Homes (old age homes), Continuous Care Homes, etc. Facilities like shelter, nutrition, medicare and entertainments are provided free of cost to indigent senior citizens. The district wise information of number of projects under this component in Andhra Pradesh is enclosed at Annexure-I.

- ii. State Action Plan for Senior Citizen(SAPSrC)- Under State Action Plan for Senior Citizens (SAPSrC), the State Government implements the State Action Plan for welfare of senior citizens. Grant-in-aid is provided to States/ UTs for activities like awareness generation, sensitization, cataract surgeries and State specific activities.
- iii. **Elderline** The National Helpline on Toll free number 14567 namely 'Elderline' was launched on 01.10.2021 for grievance redressal of Senior Citizens and to generate awareness about the Act, schemes and programmes being executed by Central & State Governments. Elderline was operational in the State of Andhra Pradesh from 1/10/2021 to 15/12/2023. The details of calls received under Elderline in the State of Andhra Pradesh during this period is as under:

State/UT	Total Calls	Total Actionable	Total Cases	Total Field Interventions /
	Received	Cases Registered	Resolved	Rescues Conducted
Andhra Pradesh	32,509	10,317	7,573	184

Elderline is not in operation in the State of Andhra Pradesh from 16.12.2023-onwards as the State of Andhra Pradesh has not signed the tripartite MoU.

iv. Rashtriya Vayoshri Yojana(RVY) - The Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment is implementing the scheme component of 'Rashtriya Vayoshri Yojana (RVY)' with the objective to provide to senior citizens, with the monthly income of not more than Rs. 15000/- and suffering from age related disabilities/ infirmities, with such physical aids and assisted living devices which can restore near normalcy in their bodily functions. The scheme was launched on 01.04.2017. The details of devices distributed and the number of beneficiaries under this component in the State of Andhra Pradesh during last three years is as under:

	FY2022-23		FY 2023-24		FY 2024-25		
State Name	No. of Beneficiary	No. of Devices Distributed	No. of Beneficiary	No. of Devices Distributed	No. of Beneficiary	No. of Devices Distributed	
ANDHRA PRADESH	667	6577	243	495	1437	5063	

- v. Seniorcare Ageing Growth Engine(SAGE) SAGE scheme Component is to promote out-of-the-box and innovative solutions for the commonly faced problems. Under this scheme component, innovative start- ups are identified and encouraged for developing products, processes and services for the welfare of the elderly. The selection of the start-ups is made through a transparent process and the funds are provided as equity, subject to the Government investment not exceeding 49% of the total equity of the Firm. Till date nine start-ups have been supported under this component. Out of these nine start-ups, no start-up is supported in the state of Andhra Pradesh.
- vi. Training of Geriatric Caregivers The main objective of this scheme component is to bridge the gap in supply and increasing demand in the field of geriatric caregivers so as to provide more professional services to the senior citizens and also to create a cadre of professional care givers in the field of geriatrics. The number of individuals trained under this component during the last three years are as under:

2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	
-	-	35,480	

Out of these 35,480 individuals trained under this scheme component, 90 trainees were trained in the state of Andhra Pradesh.

vii. Other Initiatives for Senior Citizens: In order to solve the problems of healthy and productive ageing, several initiatives are implemented across the country.

(c) The details of funds allocated, utilized under AVYAY scheme during the last three years throughout the country including state of Andhra Pradesh is as under:

Year	Atal Vayo Abhyuday Yojana			
	Funds allocated (in crores)	Actual expenditure (in crores)		
2022–23	262.33	239.87		
2023-24	324.45	210.48		
2024–25	413.77	408.14		

State-wise funds are released under two components of AVYAY scheme namely, IPSrC and SAPSrC. State-Wise release under IPSrC and SAPSrC components for last three years including State of Andhra Pradesh is at **Annexure-II**.

- (d) The list of NGOs implementing Senior Citizen Homes and Mobile Medicare Units in the state of Andhra Pradesh under the component of IPSrC is at Annexure-III.
- (e) and (f): The Department takes regular steps to ensure proper implementation of AVYAY scheme throughout the country. Following steps have been taken in this regard:-
 - 1. Awareness Generation: The Department utilizes various platforms, including the Ministry's website, the e-Anudaan Portal, social media channels, regional conferences, and radio channels to raise the awareness about the scheme.
 - 2. Collaboration with State/UT Governments: The Department collaborates with States/UTs to ensure that the schemes are being implemented effectively at the District/Regional level. Regional Conferences are held with States/ UTs for the effective implementation of the Schemes.
 - 3. Capacity Building and Training: Regional Resources and Training Centers (RRTCs), under the aegis of this Department, conduct various workshops and capacity building trainings on digital, financial, social empowerment, awareness generation etc.. RRTCs have also been mandated to enhance the efficiency of senior citizen homes. One of the work of National Institute of Social Defence (NISD), an autonomous body of the Department, is wider dissemination of information in the field of old age care.
 - 4. Regular Monitoring and Evaluation: The Department has set up a Project Monitoring Unit (PMU) for monitoring of the AVYAY scheme. Regular evaluation/third party evaluations are conducted for effective implementation of the AYVAY scheme.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a to b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question no. 1567 to be answered on 09.12.2025

District Wise number of projects under IPSrC in Andhra Pradesh -

SI. No.	District	Total
1	Anakapalli	1
2	Anantapur	3
3	Annamaya	1
4	Annamayya	1
5 .	Bapatla	2
6	Chittoor	19
7	Cuddapah	1
8	East Godavari	2
9	Guntur	11
10	Kakinada	1
11	Krishna	1
12	Kurnool	4
13	Nandyal	1
14	Nellore	14
15	NTR	1
16	Palnadu	1
17	Prakasam	17
18	Sri Satya Sai	1
19	Tirupati	5
20	Visakhapatnam	1
21	Vizianagaram	1
22	West Godavari	1
23	YSR	3
	Total	93

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State-wise details of funds released (in lakhs) and number of beneficiaries covered during last three years under IPSrC:-

Sl. No.	States/UTs	2022-	23	2023	-24	2024-	
31. 110.	Statesre 15	Funds Released	Number of Beneficiaries	Funds Released	Number of Beneficiaries	Funds Released	Number of Beneficiaries
1	Andhra Pradesh	1058.69	25850	1663.32	22900	1764.34	23200
2	Bihar	0	0	36.64	400	98.21	350
3	Chhattisgarh	27.36	50	118.61	225	140.85	325
4	Goa	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	Gujarat	53.57	175	106.61	425	123.17	275
6	Haryana	169.86	925	244.1	1700	168.2	1625
7	Himachal Pradesh	11.58	25	26.54	75	46.5	100
8	Jharkhand	48.86	150	84.89	250	93.61	300
9	Karnataka	641.99	920	943.17	2340	1059.21	2415
10	Kerala	8.75	50	41.5	200	21.41	75
11	Madhya Pradesh	152.62	375	261.3	750	292.34	675
12	Maharashtra	527.39	5835	963.3	12160	991.76	11670
13	Odisha	1090.01	7350	1649.53	14550	2109.16	19850
14	Punjab	4.83	600	0	0	0	0
15	Rajasthan	121.95	375	355.49	975	194.46	600
16	Tamil Nadu	1089.23	16795	1563.32	32940	1636.25	33715
17	Telangana	166.71	350	509.27	15550	527.08	10875
18	Uttar Pradesh	623.66	1295	797.25	2290	875.96	2215
19	Uttarakhand	23.41	50	35.7	100	24.02	75
20	West Bengal	332.8	10100	720.87	20900	395.54	5875
21	A & N Island	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	Chandigarh	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	Dadra Nagar Haveli & Daman and Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	Delhi	47.25	125	74.6	200	72	200
26	Pondicherry	33.96	100	69.67	200	36.46	100
27	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	8.25	50	0	
28	Assam	609.32	15475	710.05	25690	769.9	20865
29	Jammu and Kashmir	0	0	56.57	650	25.54	200
30	Ladakh	0	0	0	0	0	C
31	Manipur	349.37	700	772.55	1975	968.94	16425
32	Meghalaya	0	0	0	0	0	(
33	Mizoram	0	0	0	0	3.35	0
34	Nagaland	20.77	50	52.6	275	61.85	32:
35	Sikkim	0	0	0	0	0	(
36	Tripura	17.44	25	29.91	50	42.66	100
- 30	Total	7231.38	87745	11895.61	157820	12542.77	152430

State-wise details of funds released (in crores) during last three years under SAPSrC

Sl. No.	State/UT	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	-	-	-
2	Andhra Pradesh	-	0.74	1.02
3	Arunachal Pradesh	-	-	_
4	Assam	_	7.79	-
5	Bihar	7.58	-	3.525
6	Chandigarh	-	-	-
7	Chhattisgarh	-	1.55	0.05
8	Dadra Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu	-	-	0.1042
9	Goa	•	-	0.075
10	Gujarat	-	-	-
11	Haryana	-	-	-
12	Himachal Pradesh	-	-	0.22055
13	Jammu & Kashmir	1.50	<u>-</u>	0.05
14	Jharkhand	-	-	0.83505
15	Karnataka	-	-	1.52265
16	Kerala	-	0.56	0.345
17	Lakshadweep	-	<u>-</u>	-
18	Ladakh	-	0.08	0.05
19	Madhya Pradesh	-	1.30	1.7483
20	Maharashtra	-	-	-
21	Manipur	0.96	3.83	-
22	Meghalaya	•	-	-
23	Mizoram	-	-	-
24	Nagaland	0.82	1.23	0.775
25	NCT of Delhi	-	-	-
26	Odisha	-	0.18	1.2642
27	Puducherry	-		
28	Punjab	-	•	
29	Rajasthan	-	-	0.26
30	Sikkim	0.88	-	0.275
31	Tamil Nadu	-	0.15	-
32	Telangana	-	3.78	0.28745
33	Tripura	-	-	0.0948
34	Uttar Pradesh	-	-	1.50
35	Uttarakhand	-	-	0.10
36	West Bengal	-	-	2.81
1	Total	11.74	21.19	16.91

Annexure referred to in reply to part (d) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question no. 1567 to be answered on 09.12.2025

<u>List of NGOs implementing Senior Citizen Homes and Mobile Medicare Units in state of Andhra Pradesh</u>

Sr. No.	District	Name of NGO	Project Type
1	Anakapalli	Pavani Society For The Multiple Handicapped And Spastics	Senior Citizen Home
2	Anantapur	Rupa Educational Society	Senior Citizen Home
3	Anantapur	Sree Venkateswara Convent Educational Society	Senior Citizen Home
4	Anantapur	Sri Rakesh Educational Welfare Society	Senior Citizen Home
5	Annamaya	Sarvodaya Women Welfare Society	Senior Citizen Home
6	Annamayya	Archana Vignan Educational Rural Development Society	Senior Citizen Home
7	Bapatla	Infant Welfare Society	Senior Citizen Home
8	Bapatla	Spurthy Welfare Society	Senior Citizen Home
9	Chittoor	Mother India Community Development Association	Senior Citizen Home
10	Chittoor	Mother India Community Development Association	Senior Citizen Home
11	Chittoor	People's Action For Social Service	Senior Citizen Home
12	Chittoor	People's Action For Social Service	Senior Citizen Home
13	Chittoor	People's Action For Social Service	Mobile Medicare Unit
14	Chittoor	Rashtriya Seva Samithi	Senior Citizen Home
15	Chittoor	Rashtriya Seva Samithi	Senior Citizen Home
16	Chittoor	Rashtriya Seva Samithi	Senior Citizen Home
17	Chittoor	Rashtriya Seva Samithi	Senior Citizen Home
18	Chittoor	Rashtriya Seva Samithi	Senior Citizen Home
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21	Chittoor	Rashtriya Seva Samithi	Senior Citizen Home
22	Chittoor	Rashtriya Seva Samithi	Senior Citizen Home
23	Chittoor	Rashtriya Seva Samithi	Senior Citizen Home
24	Chittoor	Sarvodaya Women Welfare Society	Senior Citizen Home
25	Chittoor	Sarvodaya Women Welfare Society,	Senior Citizen Home
26	Chittoor	Seva	Senior Citizen Home
27	Chittoor	Velugu	Senior Citizen Home
28	Cuddapah	Padmavathi Mahila Mandalil	Senior Citizen Home
29	East Godavari	Pushkara Matha Convent Committee	Senior Citizen Home
30	East Godavari	Sanjay Gandhi Memorial Orphanages Boarding Home	Senior Citizen Home
31	Guntur	Indira Memorial Weaker Section Dev.society	Senior Citizen Home
32	Guntur	Indira Priyadarsini Girijana Backward Class Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
33	Guntur	Kandrika Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
34	Guntur	Kothapeta Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
35	Guntur	Narasaraopet Taluka Scheduled Tribes Youth Club	Senior Citizen Home
36	Guntur	Naveena Adarsya Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
37	Guntur	Omkar Rural Development Society	Senior Citizen Home
38	Guntur	Pragthi Youth Sangam	Senior Citizen Home
39	Guntur	Sonia Gandhi Harijana Girijana Balheena Vargamula Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
40	Guntur	Sri Venkateswara Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
41	Guntur	Udayasri Mahila Samajam	Senior Citizen Home
42	Kakinada	Swathi Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
43	Krishna	Senior Citizens Forum	Senior Citizen Home

Sr.	District	Name of NGO	Project Type
No.			G. i. C'ti Home
44	Kurnool	Mn Rural And Urban Developmental Society	Senior Citizen Home
45	Kurnool	Pratibha Educational Society	Senior Citizen Home
46	Kurnool	Priyadarshini Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
47	Kurnool	Rural Tribal Development Society	Senior Citizen Home
48	Nandyal	Mispah Old Age Home Educational & Rural Development Society	Senior Citizen Home
49	Nellore	Arya Dayananda Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
50	Nellore	Asthana-a-chistia Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
51	Nellore	Asthana-a-chistia Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
52	Nellore	Bharathi Mahila Voluntary Service Orgn.	Senior Citizen Home
53	Nellore	Haritha Mahila Mandali Society	Senior Citizen Home
54	Nellore	Health Care & Social Welfare Society	Senior Citizen Home
55	Nellore	Indiramma Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
56	Nellore	Indiramma Mahila Mandali	Mobile Medicare Unit
57	Nellore	Lakshmi Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
58	Nellore	Nehru Bharathi Educational Institution	Senior Citizen Home
59	Nellore	Polymers Educational Society	Senior Citizen Home
60	Nellore	Polymers Educational Society	Senior Citizen Home
61	Nellore	Sri Lakshmi Parvathi Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
62	Nellore	The Divine India	Senior Citizen Home
63	.NTR	Health Care And Social Welfare Society	Senior Citizen Home
64	Palnadu	Hands Of Compassion	Senior Citizen Home
65	Prakasam	Adarsha	Senior Citizen Home
66	Prakasam	Arunodaya Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
67	Prakasam	Chandra Vamsa Organisation For Rural	Senior Citizen Home
		Development	
68	Prakasam	Indira Priyadarsini Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
69	Prakasam	Lakshmi Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
70	Prakasam	Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
71	Prakasam	Netaji Yuva Kendra	Senior Citizen Home
72	Prakasam	Priyadarsini Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
73	Prakasam	Sabari Girijana Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
74	Prakasam	Samatha Mahila Vedika	Senior Citizen Home
75	Prakasam	Sree Mahalakshmi Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
76	Prakasam	Sri Bhavani Mahila Mandali	Senior Citizen Home
77	Prakasam	Sri Kastajeevula Jatheya Seva Sangham	Senior Citizen Home
78	Prakasam	Three Men Academics	Senior Citizen Home
79	Prakasam	Valmiki Seva Sangham,	Senior Citizen Home
80	Prakasam	Vasavi Educational Society	Senior Citizen Home
81	Prakasam	Vutukuri Venkata Subbamma Welfare Society	Senior Citizen Home
82	Sri Satya Sai	Sri Thulasidhama Vrudhashramam	Senior Citizen Home
83	Tirupati	Giving Hands Foundation	Senior Citizen Home
84	Tirupati	Rastra Kavula Kalakarula Vruddasramam	Senior Citizen Home
85	Tirupati	Rastra Kavula Kalakarula Vruddasramam	Senior Citizen Home
86	Tirupati	Sarvodaya Women Welfare Society	Senior Citizen Home
87	Tirupati	Swayamkrushi Rural And Urban Development Society	Senior Citizen Home
88	Visakhapatnam	Sri Venkateswara Yuvajana Sangham	Senior Citizen Home
89	Vizianagaram	Awards Yuva Tech Authorised Computer Centre,	Senior Citizen Home
90	West Godavari	Shri Sachidananda Venkateswara Avd. Varuddha,	Senior Citizen Home
		West Godawari,	
91	YSR	Dr. Ambedkar Dalithavarga Abhivruddi Sangam	Senior Citizen Home
92	YSR	Lawrence Weaker Sections Welfare Society	Senior Citizen Home
93	.YSR	Leelavati Charitable Trust	Senior Citizen Home