

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

MINISTRY OF AYUSH

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Establishment of AYUSH Dispensaries in Tamil Nadu

4738. Shri Durai Vaiko:

Will the Minister of AYUSH be pleased to state:

(a) whether any AYUSH dispensaries and wellness centres are presently functioning in Tamil Nadu, particularly in Thiruverumbur and Srirangam in Tiruchirappalli district and Gandharvakottai in Pudukottai district;

(b) if so, the details thereof along with the details of such dispensaries including the AYUSH system of medicine being provided, stream and location-wise;

(c) whether the Government has any proposal to establish new AYUSH dispensaries or AYUSH Health and Wellness Centres in Tamil Nadu, district-wise, especially in Thiruverumbur, Srirangam and Gandharvakottai locations; and

(d) if so, the details thereof along with the proposed timeline for their establishment in this regard?

ANSWER

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

(SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV)

(a) & (b) Yes. As reported by State of Tamil Nadu, 172 Ayush wellness centres and 48 Dispensaries are presently functioning in the State. Details of Wellness Centres and Ayush dispensaries in Tamil Nadu including Tiruchirappalli district and Pudukottai district is furnished at **Annexure I & II** respectively.

(c) & (d) Public health being a State subject, the primary responsibility to establish new Ayush dispensaries and Ayush Health and Wellness Centres in Tamil Nadu including Thiruverumbur, Srirangam and Gandharvakottai locations comes under the purview of respective State Government. However, Ministry of Ayush is implementing the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of NAM through State/UT Governments and supporting their efforts in overall development of Ayush system. The State/UT Governments may avail financial assistance by submitting suitable proposals through their State Annual Action Plans as per the provisions of NAM guideline. Since implementation of the NAM scheme comes under the purview of respective State/UT Governments, the prime responsibility to fix timeline lies with respective Governments including Tamil Nadu.

Details of Wellness Centres in Tamil Nadu, particularly in Tiruchirappalli district and Pudukottai district

Sl. No	District	Location	Facility Name
1	Ariyalur	Sendhurai	Government Hospital
2		Udayarpalayam	Government Hospital
3	Chengalpattu	Madhuranthagam	Government Hospital
4		Thiruporur	Government Hospital
5		Thirukazhukundram	Government Hospital
6		Cheyyur	Government Hospital
7		Saidapet	Government Hospital
8	Chennai	Adayar Dispensary,	Yoga & Naturopathy
9		Secretariat Campus	Yoga & Naturopathy
10	Coimbatore	Sulur	Government Hospital
11		Annur	Government Hospital
12		Sundakkamuthur	Government Hospital
13		Mettupalayam,	Government Taluk Hospital
14		Irugur	Government Primary Health Centre
15	Cuddalore	Panrutti	Government Hospital
16		Thittakudi	Government Hospital
17		GTHos, Chidambaram,	Yoga & Naturopathy
18		GPHC, Puliur	Siddha
19		Nellikuppam	Siddha
20	Dharmapuri	Palacode	Government Hospital
21		GH, Harur,	Yoga & Naturopathy
22	Dindigul	Batalagundu	Government Hospital
23		Kodaikanal	Government Hospital
24		Ottanchatram	Government Hospital
25		Nilakottai	Government Hospital
26		Vedasandhur	Government Hospital
27		Palani	Government Taluk Hospital
28		S.Thumalapatti	Government Primary Health Centre
29	Erode	Perundurai	Government Hospital
30		Bhavani	Government Hospital
31		Kodumudi	Government Hospital
32		Sathiyamangalam,	Government Taluk Hospital
33		Perunthurai	Government Hospital
34		Ammappettai	Government Hospital
35	Kallakurichi	Ulundurpet	Government Hospital
36		Chinnasalem	Government Hospital
37	Kancheepuram	Sriperumbudur	Government Hospital
38		Uthiramerur	Government Hospital
39		Arignar	Arignar Anna Memorial Cancer Hospital And Regional Research Cancer Centre
40		Tambaram	Government Hospital of Thoracic Medicine
41		Injapakkam	Government Taluk Hospital
42		Sirugundram	Government Taluk Hospital
43		Kanyakumari	Colachal

44		Boothapandi	Government Hospital
45		Kuzhithurai	Government Hospital
46		Kaliyakkavilai	UPHC
47	Karur	Aravakurichi	Government Hospital
48		Velayudhampalayam	Government Hospital
49		Krishnarayapuram	Government Hospital
50		Manmangalam	Government Hospital
51		Mylampatti	Government Hospital
52		Thanthonimalai	Siddha
53	Krishnagiri	Pochampalli	Government Hospital
54		Oothankarai	Government Hospital
55		Denkanikottai,	Government Hospital
56		Nedungal	Government Primary Health Centre
57		Udanapalli	Government Hospital
58	Madurai	Paeraiyur	Government Hospital
59		Sholavandhan	Government Hospital
60		Melur	Government Hospital
61		Vadipatti,	Government Hospital
62	Mayiladuthurai	Vaitheeswarankovil	Government Hospital
63		Seerkazhi	Yoga & Naturopathy
64	Nagapattinam	Thirukuvalai	Government Hospital
65		Nagoor	Government Hospital
66		Thirukannapuram	Government Hospital
67	Namakkal	Sendhamangalam	Government Hospital
68		Kolli Hills	Government Hospital
69		Komarapalayam	Government Hospital
70		Rasipuram,	Government Hospital
71		Jedarpalayam	Government Hospital
72	Nilgiris	Manjur	Government Hospital
73		Pandhalur	Government Hospital
74	Perambalur	Karai	Government Hospital
75		Veppur	Government Hospital
76		GH,Arumbavur	Government Hospital
77		GPHC ,Athiyur	Government Primary Health Centre
78	Pudukottai	Iluppur	Government Hospital
79		Annavasal	Government Hospital
80		Gandarvakottai	Government Hospital
81		Aranthangi	Government Hospital
82		Alankudi,	Government Hospital
83		Mandayur	Government Hospital
84	Ramanathapuram	Rameshwaram	Government Hospital
85		Thiruvadana	Government Hospital
86		Kamudhi	Government Hospital
87		Paramakudi	Government Hospital
88		Ramasamipatti	Government Hospital
89	Ranipet	Sholingar	Government Hospital
90		Arcot	Government Hospital
91	Salem	Vazhapadi	Government Hospital
92		Omalar	Government Hospital
93		Gangavalli	Government Hospital
94		Yercaud	Government Hospital
95		Sankagiri	Government Hospital

96		Edapadi,	Government Hospital
97		Koneripatty	Government Hospital
98		Thumbal	Government Primary Health Centre
99	Sivagangai	Thirubuvanam	Government Hospital
100		Singampunari	Government Hospital
101		Thirupathur	Government Hospital
102		O.Siruvayal	Government Primary Health Centre
103		Manamadurai	Government Hospital
104	Tenkasi	Verakeralamputhur	Government Hospital
105		Kadayanallur	Government Hospital
106	Thanjavur	Papanasam	Government Hospital
107		Thiruvidadimarudhur	Government Hospital
108		Orathanadu	Government Hospital
109		Peravurani,	Government Hospital
110		Perumagalur	Government Hospital
111	Theni	Aandipatti	Government Hospital
112		Cumbum	Government Hospital
113		Bodinayakanur,	Government Hospital
114		Vaigaidam	Government Hospital
115	Thiruvallur	Poonamallee	Government Hospital
116		Avadi	Government Hospital
117		Gumidipoondi	Government Hospital
118		Madhavaram	Government Hospital
119		Thiruvottiyur	Government Hospital
120		Thiruvelangadu	Government Primary Health Centre
121		Ponneri,	Government Hospital
122		Kadambathur	Government Primary Health Centre
123		Kollumedu	Government Primary Health Centre
124	Thiruvannamalai	Chetpet	Government Hospital
125		Chengam	Government Hospital
126		Vembakam	Government Hospital
127		Polur,	Government Hospital
128		Arani,	Government Hospital
129		Kunnagampoondi	Government Hospital
130		Mamandur	Government Hospital
131	Thiruvarur	Valangaiman	Government Hospital
132		Nannilam	Government Hospital
133		Idumbavanam	Government Hospital
134	Thoothukudi	Ettayapuram	Government Hospital
135		Srivaikundam	Government Hospital
136		Kayalpatinam	Government Hospital
137		Thiruchendur,	Government Taluk Hospital
138		Vilathikulam,	Government Taluk Hospital
139	Thriuvallur	Thiruvetriyur,	Government Taluk Hospital
140	Tirunelveli	Naanguneri	Government Hospital
141		Radhapuram	Government Hospital
142		Koodangulam	Government Hospital
143		Ambasamuthiram,	Government Hospital
144		Senkottai	Government Taluk Hospital
145		Vikramasingapuram	Government Hospital
146	Tirupathur	Vaniyampadi	Government Hospital
147		Natrampalli	Government Hospital

148	Tiruppur	Uthukuli	Government Hospital
149		Dharapuram	Government Hospital
150		Avinashi	Government Hospital
151		Palladam	Government Hospital
152		Mangalam	Government Hospital
153		Poolavadi,Udumalpet	Government Hospital
154	Tiruchirappalli	Thuraiyur	Government Hospital
155		Srirangam	Government Hospital
156		Thuvarankurichi	Government Hospital
157		Manachanallur	Government Hospital
158		Lalkudi	Government Hospital
159		Peruvalappur	Government Primary Health Centre
160		Pettavaithalai	Government Primary Health Centre
161	Vellore	Anaicut	Government Hospital
162		Melsanakuppam	Government Hospital
163		Kudiyatham,	Government Taluk Hospital
164	Villupuram	Thumbur	Government Primary Health Centre
165		Ginjee	Government Hospital
166		Marakkanam	Government Hospital
167		Vikkaravandi	Government Hospital
168		Sathur	Government Hospital
169		Srivilliputhur	Government Hospital
170		Erichanatham	Government Hospital
171		Rajapalayam	Government Taluk Hospital
172		Sivakasi	Government Hospital

Details of Ayush Dispensaries in Tamil Nadu, particularly in Tiruchirappalli district and Pudukottai district

Sl. No.	Name of the Institution	System	District
1	Rural Dispensary, Kalampalayam	Siddha	Coimbatore
2	Rural Dispensary, Sultanpet	Siddha	
3	Rural Dispensary, Keeranatham	Siddha	
4	Rural Dispensary, Tholampalayam	Ayurveda	
5	Rural Dispensary, Mathakalirmanickam	Siddha	Cuddalore
6	Rural Dispensary, Menasi	Siddha	Dharmapuri
7	Rural Dispensary, Kottapatti	Siddha	
8	Rural Dispensary, Pannanthur	Siddha	Krishnagiri
9	Rural Dispensary, Avalpoondurai	Siddha	Erode
10	Rural Dispensary, Myilrangam	Siddha	Tiruppur, Erode
11	Rural Dispensary, Uthukadu	Siddha	Kancheepuram
12	Rural Dispensary, Poovancode	Siddha	Kanniyakumari
13	Rural Dispensary, Pothumbu	Siddha	Madurai
14	Rural Dispensary, Lakshmiapuram	Siddha	Theni
15	Rural Dispensary, Vizhunthamavadi	Siddha	Nagapattinam
16	Rural Dispensary, Vanathirajapuram	Siddha	Mayiladuthurai
17	Rural Dispensary, Kudumianmalai	Siddha	Pudukottai
18	Rural Dispensary, Perunazhi	Siddha	Ramnad
19	Rural Dispensary, Narippaiyur	Siddha	
20	Rural Dispensary, Kidathirukkai	Siddha	
21	Rural Dispensary, Rettaiyurani	Siddha	
22	Rural Dispensary, Koravalli	Siddha	
23	Rural Dispensary, Siruvachur	Siddha	Salem
24	Rural Dispensary, Periyathanda	Siddha	
25	Rural Dispensary, Maramangalathupatti	Siddha	
26	Rural Dispensary, Semmandapatti	Siddha	
27	Rural Dispensary, K. Morur	Siddha	Sivagangai
28	Rural Dispensary, Madagupatti	Siddha	
29	Rural Dispensary, Natchiapuram	Siddha	
30	Rural Dispensary, Pudukurichi	Siddha	Thanjavur
31	Rural Dispensary, Karuppur	Siddha	
32	Rural Dispensary, Anaikarai	Siddha	The Nilgiris
33	Rural Dispensary, Yedapalli	Siddha	
34	Rural Dispensary, Kinnakorai	Siddha	
35	Rural Dispensary, Ponnakudi	Siddha	Tirunelveli
36	Rural Dispensary, Seevalaperi	Ayurveda	
37	Rural Dispensary, Suthamalli	Ayurveda	Tenkasi
38	Rural Dispensary, Uthumalai	Siddha	
39	Rural Dispensary, Kurukkal Patti	Siddha	
40	Rural Dispensary, Nettur	Siddha	Tiruchirappalli
41	Rural Dispensary, Uthamarseeli	Siddha	
42	Rural Dispensary, Pavithram	Siddha	Karur
43	Rural Dispensary, Irumbulikulurichi	Siddha	Ariyalur
44	Rural Dispensary, Thirukalappur	Siddha	
45	Rural Dispensary, Varathalampattu	Siddha	Vellore
46	Rural Dispensary, Cholapuram	Siddha	Virudhu Nagar
47	Rural Dispensary, Kalayar Karisalkulam	Siddha	
48	Rural Dispensary, Irunchirai	Siddha	