

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY,
UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(AYUSH)**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2145
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11TH DECEMBER, 2015**

IMPARTING AYUSH MEDICATION THROUGH ANGANWADI CENTRES

2145. SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR SINGH:

Will the Minister of **AYURVEDA, YOGA AND NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY (AYUSH)** be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government plans to integrate Anganwadi centres in villages for imparting AYUSH medication; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA,
YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)**

(a) & (b): No. However, under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National AYUSH Mission (NAM), there is a sub-component of AYUSH Gram wherein one village per block is selected for adoption of method and practice of AYUSH way of life and interventions of health care. In AYUSH village AYUSH based lifestyles are promoted through behavioural change communication, training of village health workers including Anganwadi workers towards identification and use of local medicinal herbs and provision of AYUSH health services. Government of India has provided financial assistance for AYUSH Gram during the year 2014-15 and 2015-16 to States/UTs as per **Annexure**.

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Annexure

**Status of releases to State/UT for AYUSH Gram under National AYUSH Mission
(NAM)**

Sl. No.	State/UT	2014-15		2015-16	
		No. of units	Grant released (Rs. in Lakhs)	No. of units	Grant released (Rs. in Lakhs)
1.	Jammu & Kashmir	2	20.00	12	36.00
2.	Kerala	-	-	8	80.00
3.	Madhya Pradesh	-	-	15	150.00
4.	Meghalaya	11	27.50	-	-
5.	Odisha	-	-	2	20.00
6.	Telangana	4	40.00	4	40.00
7.	Punjab	1	10.00	-	-
8.	Andhra Pradesh	1	10.00	2	20.00
9.	Tripura	4	9.60	2	20.00
10.	Arunachal Pradesh	-	-	2	10.00
11.	Manipur	3	10.00	2	10.00
12.	Nagaland	2	20.00	-	-
13.	West Bengal	1	8.05	-	-
14.	Maharashtra	6	60.00	-	-
15.	Uttar Pradesh	-	-	15	138.785
16.	Mizoram	-	-	1	10.00
	Total	35	215.15	65	148.785