

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYUSH
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.-3137

ANSWERED ON 9th AUGUST, 2024

“Ayurvedic Nursing Course”

3137. Shri Ravindra Shukla Alias Ravi Kishan:

Will the Minister of **AYUSH** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to start Ayurvedic Nursing Degree course as an add-on of Allopathy Nursing Programme;
- (b) if so, the details thereof indicating the guidelines, duration and syllabus regarding the said course;
- (c) whether the currently working Allopathy nurses are eligible to enroll for the said Ayurvedic Nursing Degree; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b) The Indian Nursing Council (INC) has notified the Post Basic Diploma in Ayurveda Nursing-Residency Programme as an add-on of Allopathic Nursing Programme under the INC Act, 1947 vide Gazette notification dated 22.02.2023 namely, Indian Nursing Council (Post Basic Diploma in Ayurveda Nursing-Residency Programme) Regulations 2022. The duration of the course is one year and its curriculum is conceptualised encompassing major speciality courses for speciality nursing practice. The details of guidelines, duration and syllabus etc. are available on website of the Indian Nursing Council at <https://www.indiannursingcouncil.org/uploads/pdf/1677482291187586111663fc593397603.pdf>

(c) & (d) Any Registered Nurse (GNM/B.Sc(N)) and registered midwife is eligible to apply for the Post Basic Diploma in Ayurveda Nursing-Residency Program. The diploma will be awarded by respective examination board/SNRC (Staff Nurse and Midwives Registration Council)/University approved by the Indian Nursing Council.
