

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMEOPATHY (AYUSH)
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AYUSH System of Medicines

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

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

- (a) the details of the hospitals/medical institutions/dispensaries providing AYUSH medical facility/treatment in the country, State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether a large number of posts of doctors, paramedical staff and other employees sanctioned in AYUSH hospitals/dispensaries are lying vacant in the country;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken/being taken by the Government to fill up the various vacant posts;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to increase the number of hospitals/ dispensaries providing AYUSH medical facility/treatment in the country; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

(a): The details of the hospitals/dispensaries medical institutions providing AYUSH medical facility/ treatment in the country, State/UT-wise are furnished at Annexure.

(b) & (c): The data of vacant posts of employees in AYUSH hospitals under State/UT Governments are not maintained by Government of India. However, at present 208 posts of AYUSH Physicians are sanctioned in the Ministry of AYUSH to be posted in the Ministry itself and Central Government Health Scheme (CGHS) Dispensaries. Out of 208 posts sanctioned 147

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posts are filled and 61 are vacant. From time to time, Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) is being consulted for filling up the vacant posts.

(d) & (e): Government of India has approved and notified the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National AYUSH Mission (NAM) on 29.09.2014, which inter-alia includes the component of AYUSH Services, where there is provision for co-location of AYUSH facilities at Primary Health Centres (PHCs), Community Health Centres (CHCs) & District Hospitals (DHs) and setting up of 50 bedded integrated AYUSH Hospitals in the States/UTs. The State/UT Governments are eligible for submitting the proposals through State Annual Action Plan (SAAP) as per the guidelines of NAM. During the financial year 2014-15, Grant -in-aid for setting up 50 bedded integrated AYUSH Hospitals has been provided to the States of Andhra Pradesh and West Bengal.
