

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 977
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22ND NOVEMBER, 2019**

AYUSH MEDICINES

977. SHRI ARUN SAO:

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

- (a) whether the AYUSH medicines are available in all the hospitals and dispensaries of the country including Chhattisgarh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has chalked out any scheme to provide AYUSH treatment facility in all the hospitals and dispensaries, if so, the details thereof, State/ UT-wise; and
- (d) the details of AYUSH hospitals/ dispensaries in Chhattisgarh?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): As Health is a State subject the information regarding availability of AYUSH medicines in all the hospitals and dispensaries of the country including Chhattisgarh is not maintained by the Central Government. Further, the primary responsibility to provide AYUSH treatment facility in all the hospitals and dispensaries comes under the purview of respective State/UT Governments. However, under Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National AYUSH Mission (NAM), State/UT Governments including State Govt. of Chhattisgarh are eligible to avail Grant-in-aid for co-location of AYUSH facilities at Primary Health Centres (PHCs), Community Health Centre (CHCs) & District Hospitals (DHs), upgradation of State Government AYUSH hospitals & dispensaries, setting up of new upto 50 bedded integrated AYUSH hospital and supply of medicines to AYUSH Hospitals and Dispensaries. In this regard, the State/UT Governments are required to submit their proposal through the State Annual Action Plan (SAAP) as per the guidelines of NAM Scheme. There are 16 AYUSH Hospitals and 1094 Dispensaries available in Chhattisgarh as on 01.04.2018.

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