

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF AYUSH**

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-1772  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 14.12.2021**

**AYUSH HOSPITALS AND DISPENSARIES IN RURAL AREAS OF WEST BENGAL**

**1772. SHRI BIKASH RANJAN BHATTACHARYYA:**

Will the Minister of AYUSH be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of AYUSH hospitals or dispensaries operating in the rural and remote areas of West Bengal;
- (b) the number of AYUSH doctors working under the National Health Mission (NHM) and the National AYUSH Mission (NAM); and
- (c) the number of posts of doctors lying vacant, the details thereof in West Bengal, district-wise, pathy-wise?

**ANSWER  
THE MINISTER OF AYUSH  
(SHRI SARBANANDA SONOWAL)**

(a):The details of Ayush hospitals and dispensaries operating in the rural areas in West Bengal are furnished at **Annexure-I**.

(b):The State/UT-wise number of Ayush doctors under National Health Mission (NHM), as per NHM MIS Report, as on June 2021, is furnished at **Annexure-II**. The State/UT wise number of doctors approved for deployment under Ayush Health & Wellness Centres and the number of Ayush doctors approved for deployment in 50 bedded integrated Ayush hospitals, upgradation of Ayush hospitals under Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National Ayush Mission (NAM) is furnished at **Annexure-III(A)** and **Annexure-III(B)** respectively.

(c):The number of posts of doctors lying vacant in West Bengal, as per Rural Health Statistics 2019-20, is furnished at **Annexure-IV**.

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**Annexure- I**

**The details of Ayush hospitals and dispensaries operating in the rural areas in West Bengal as on 01.04.2020**

System Facility	Ayurveda	Unani	Sowa-Rigpa	Homoeopathy	Total
<b>Hospitals</b>	2	1	1	2	6
<b>Dispensaries</b>	236	5	2	1785	2028

**Source:** Ayush Directorate of Indian System of Medicine and Homoeopathy, West Bengal

**Annexure-II****State/UT-wise number of Ayush doctors under National Health Mission (NHM) as on June, 2021**

S. No.	State/UT	Ayush Doctors
1.	Andhra Pradesh	130
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	116
3.	Assam	710
4.	Bihar	2564
5.	Chhattisgarh	587
6.	Delhi	0
7.	Goa	78
8.	Gujarat	2418
9.	Haryana	613
10.	Himachal Pradesh	243
11.	Jammu & Kashmir	872
12.	Jharkhand	559
13.	Karnataka	1490
14.	Kerala	742
15.	Madhya Pradesh	1452
16.	Maharashtra	2344
17.	Manipur	177
18.	Meghalaya	220
19.	Mizoram	60
20.	Nagaland	51
21.	Odisha	2151
22.	Punjab	596
23.	Rajasthan	1796
24.	Sikkim	10
25.	Tamil Nadu	418
26.	Telangana	584
27.	Tripura	154
28.	Uttar Pradesh	4095
29.	Uttarakhand	362
<b>30.</b>	<b>West Bengal</b>	<b>1987</b>
31.	A&N Islands	33
32.	Chandigarh	29
33.	D&N Haveli and Daman & Diu	20
34.	Lakshadweep	12
35.	Puducherry	45
36.	Ladakh	19
	<b>ALL INDIA</b>	<b>27737</b>

Source: NHM-MIS Report as on June, 2021

## Annexure-III(A)

**State/UT wise number of doctors approved for deployment under Ayush Health & Wellness  
Centres during 2019-20 and 2020-21**

S.No.	Name of State/UT	Number of Doctors
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	6
2	Andhra Pradesh	0
3	Bihar	63
4	Chandigarh	0
5	Goa	9
6	Gujarat	0
7	Haryana	138
8	Himachal Pradesh	0
9	Jammu & Kashmir	0
10	Jharkhand	0
11	Karnataka	0
12	Kerala	0
13	Maharashtra	0
14	Manipur	4
15	Mizoram	24
16	Madhya Pradesh	337
17	Nagaland	44
18	Puducherry	0
19	Punjab	0
20	Tamil Nadu	0
<b>21</b>	<b>West Bengal</b>	<b>0</b>
22	Arunachal Pradesh	32
23	Sikkim	18
24	Uttar Pradesh	0
25	Rajasthan	0
26	Uttarakhand	0
27	Chhattisgarh	0
28	Lakshadweep	0
29	Assam	49
30	Tripura	4
31	Odisha	0
32	Meghalaya	35
33	Ladakh	14
	<b>Total</b>	<b>777</b>

**State/UT wise number of Ayush doctors approved for deployment in 50 bedded integrated Ayush hospitals and upgradation of Ayush hospitals under National Ayush Mission (NAM)**

Sl. No.	Name of State/UT	Number of Ayush Doctors	
		50 bedded integrated Ayush hospital	Up gradation of Ayush hospital
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	0	3
2	Andhra Pradesh	0	0
3	Bihar	0	0
4	Chandigarh	0	0
5	Goa	0	0
6	Gujarat	0	10
7	Haryana	0	4
8	Himachal Pradesh	0	0
9	Jammu & Kashmir	0	3
10	Jharkhand	0	0
11	Karnataka	0	160
12	Kerala	0	189
13	Maharashtra	0	0
14	Manipur	13	9
15	Mizoram	7	7
16	Madhya Pradesh	0	0
17	Nagaland	14	0
18	Puducherry	0	0
19	Punjab	0	0
20	Tamil Nadu	0	0
21	West Bengal	6	0
22	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0
23	Sikkim	5	0
24	Uttar Pradesh	14	0
25	Rajasthan	0	0
26	Uttarakhand	0	0
27	Chhattisgarh	0	0
28	Lakshadweep	7	3
29	Assam	0	0
30	Tripura	10	2
31	Odisha	0	0
32	Meghalaya	0	0
33	D&N Haveli and Daman & Diu	0	1
34	Telangana	0	0
	<b>Total</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>382</b>

**The number of posts of doctors lying vacant in West Bengal as on 31.03.2020**

**Rural Areas**

State /UT	Doctors at PHCs	Ayush Doctors at PHCs	Surgeons at CHCs	Obstetricians & Gynecologists at CHCs	Physicians at CHCs	Paediatricians at CHCs	Anaesthetists at CHCs	Eye Surgeons at CHCs	General Duty Medical Officers (GDMOs) - Allopathic at CHCs	Ayush Specialists at CHCs	General Duty Medical Officers (GDMOs) - Ayush at CHCs
West Bengal	292	196	241	56	233	251	39	53	138	138	645

**Urban Areas**

State/UT	Doctors at PHCs	Total Specialists At CHCs	Anaesthetists at CHCs	Eye Surgeons at CHCs	General Duty Medical Officers (GDMOs) - Allopathic at CHCs
West Bengal	381	0	0	0	0