

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYUSH**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2402
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.12.2024**

AYUSH Health Centres in Sikkim

2402 Shri Dorjee Tshering Lepcha:

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

- (a) the details of salient features of AYUSH health centres in North Eastern (NE) States particularly in Sikkim;
- (b) the details of set up/proposed and running AYUSH health centres in NE region, particularly in Sikkim, State/UT-wise; and
- (c) the details of steps taken for the development of AYUSH centers at district level in the State of Sikkim, district wise?

ANSWER

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

(a) The Union Cabinet approved the proposal to operationalize 12,500 Ayush Health and Wellness Centres (AHWCs) [now renamed as Ayushman Arogya Mandir (Ayush)] under Ayushman Bharat through State/UT Governments including North Eastern (NE) States under the broad umbrella of the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of the National Ayush Mission (NAM) in a phased manner from the year 2019-20 to 2023-24, now extended up to 2024-25. The salient features of Ayush Health & Wellness Centres [Now renamed as AAM (Ayush)] are furnished at **Annexure-I**.

(b) & (c) The status of available Ayush hospitals & Dispensaries in the NE region including Sikkim is furnished at **Annexure-II**. Further Public Health being a State subject, setting up of AYUSH health centres at district level in North Eastern (NE) region including Sikkim comes under the purview of respective State Governments. However, under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National Ayush Mission (NAM), there is a provision of financial assistance to the NE State Governments for the establishment of 50/30/10 bedded Integrated Ayush Hospitals and operationalization of Ayush Health Wellness Centres (AHWCs) by upgrading existing Ayush Dispensaries and Health Sub Centers, now renamed as Ayushman Arogya Mandir (Ayush). As per the proposals received from NE State Governments through State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs), the Ministry of Ayush has approved 40 Integrated Ayush Hospitals and 829 AAM (Ayush) in entire North Eastern (NE) region. Among these 02 Integrated Ayush Hospitals & 18 AAM (Ayush) are in Sikkim. The State-wise & District-wise details of Ayushman Arogya Mandir (Ayush) & Integrated Ayush Hospitals in the North Eastern (NE) region, including Sikkim is furnished at **Annexure-III & Annexure-IV** respectively.

Salient Features of Ayush Health & Wellness Centres [Now renamed AAM (Ayush)]

Background:

The Union Cabinet approved the proposal to operationalize 12,500 Ayush HWCs through State/UTs in Centrally Sponsored Scheme mode and under the broad umbrella of the National Ayush Mission (NAM) in a phased manner from the year 2019-20 to 2023-24.

Vision:

- To establish a holistic wellness model based on Ayush principles and practices.

Objectives:

- To provide comprehensive primary healthcare through Ayush using a team-based approach
- To establish a holistic wellness model based on Ayush principles and practices focusing on preventive, promotive, curative and rehabilitative healthcare by establishing integration with existing public healthcare systems
- To provide informed choice to the needy public by making Ayush services available.

Strategy of Implementation:

The Ministry of Ayush has been given the task of developing 12,500 HWCs under Ayushman Bharat. This will be achieved in a phased manner through State Governments and Union Territories. The funding will be through the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National Ayush Mission (NAM).

The Ministry of Ayush, in consultation with States/UTs and the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare has proposed two following models for up-gradation as Ayush Health and Wellness Centres:

- Up-gradation of Ayush dispensaries
- Up-gradation of existing Sub Health Centres (SCs)

The funding for both the above models would be through National Ayush Mission.

(i) State/ UT-wise Total Number of Ayush Hospitals in North Eastern (NE) region including Sikkim as on 01.04.2023

S. No.	State/UT	Ayurveda	Unani	Siddha	Yoga	Naturopathy	Homoeopathy	Sowa-Rigpa	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
A. States/UTs									
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	10	0	0	0	0	1	0	11
2.	Assam	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
3.	Manipur	6	5	0	5	0	9	0	25
4.	Meghalaya	4	0	0	0	0	8	0	12
5.	Mizoram	2	0	0	0	0	8	0	10
6.	Nagaland	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	6
7.	Sikkim	2	0	0	1	0	2	1	6
8.	Tripura	3	0	0	1	0	3	0	7
TOTAL(A)		30	5	0	9	0	34	1	79
B. CGHS & Central Government Organizations		3	1	0	0	0	1	0	5
TOTAL(A+B)		33	6	0	9	0	35	1	84

Source: State / UT Governments & Concerned agencies.

(ii) State/ UT-wise Total Number of Ayush Dispensaries in North Eastern (NE) region including Sikkim as on 01.04.2023

S. No.	State / UT	Ayurveda	Unani	Siddha	Yoga	Naturopathy	Homoeopathy	Sowa Rigpa	Total
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
A. States/UTs									
1.	Arunachal Pradesh	38	1	0	0	0	133	2	174
2.	Assam	505	0	0	0	0	68	0	573
3.	Manipur	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
4.	Meghalaya	39	0	0	2	0	54	0	95
5.	Mizoram	1	0	0	0	0	20	0	21

6.	Nagaland	10	0	0	2	0	34	0	46
7.	Sikkim	2	0	0	0	0	10	1	13
8.	Tripura	35	0	0	0	0	66	0	101
TOTAL (A)		630	1	0	4	0	386	3	1024
B. CGHS & Central Government Organizations		27	0	0	2	1	20	0	50
TOTAL(A+B)		657	1	0	6	1	406	3	1074

Source: State / UT Governments & Concerned agencies.

The details of Ayushman Arogya Mandir (Ayush) in the North Eastern (NE) region, including Sikkim

S. No.	Name of State	Total Approved	Total Functional
1	Arunachal Pradesh	89	89
2	Assam	500	500
3	Manipur	15	15
4	Meghalaya	45	22
5	Mizoram	41	41
6	Nagaland	49	49
7	Sikkim	18	18
8	Tripura	72	72
Total		829	806

The district-wise details of Ayushman Arogya Mandir (Ayush) in the State of Sikkim

Name of State/UT	Name of District	Total No. of AAM (Ayush) approved	Total No. of AAM (Ayush) functional
Sikkim	Gyalshing (West)	9	9
	Namchi (South)	9	9
Total		18	18

The details of Integrated Ayush Hospitals in the North Eastern (NE) region, including Sikkim

S. No.	State	Location	District	System of medicine	No. of beds	Status
1	Arunachal Pradesh	Yingkiong	Upper Siang	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	10	Under construction
2		Seppa	East Kameng	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	10	Construction not started
3		Ziro	Lower Subansiri	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	10	Construction not started
4		Bhalukpong	West Kameng	Ayurveda, Homoeopathy and Yoga	50	Under construction
5		Likabali	Lower Siang	Ayurveda, Homoeopathy and Yoga	50	Under construction
6	Assam	Goalpara	Goalpara	Ayurveda	50	Functional
7		Majuli	Majuli	Ayurveda	50	Functional
8		Kokrajhar	Kokrajhar	Ayurveda and Homoeopathy	50	Construction not started
9		Baksa	Baksa	Ayurveda and Homoeopathy	50	Construction not started
10		Morigaon	Morigaon	Ayurveda and Homoeopathy	50	Construction not started
11		Kaliabor	Nagaon	Ayurveda and Homoeopathy	50	Construction not started
12		Diphu	Karbi Anglong	Ayurveda and Homoeopathy	30	Construction not started
13		Bajali	Bajali	Ayurveda and Homoeopathy	10	Construction not started
14	Manipur	Moreh	Tengnoupal	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	50	Functional
15		Churachandpur	Churachandpur	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	50	Construction Completed
16		Kwakeithel Konjeng	Imphal West	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy	10	Functional

		Leikai		and Yoga & Naturopathy		
17		Keirao AC	Imphal East	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	50	Functional
18		Chandel	Chandel	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	10	Under construction
19		Jiribam	Jiribam	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	10	Under construction
20		Kangpokpi	Kangpokpi	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	10	Under construction
21		Bishnupur	Bishnupur	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	10	Under construction
22		Noney	Noney	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	10	Under construction
23		Thoubal	Thoubal	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	10	Under construction
24		Senapati	Senapati	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	10	Under construction
25	Meghalaya	Sohra (Cherrapunji)	East Khasi Hills	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	50	Construction Completed
26		Umtrew	Ri Bhoi	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	50	Functional
27		Jowai	West Jaintia Hills	Homoeopathy, Yoga, Ayurveda	30	Under construction
28	Mizoram	Aizwal	Aizwal	Ayurveda, and Homoeopathy	50	Under construction
29		Saitual	Saitual	Ayurveda, and Homoeopathy	10	Under construction
30	Nagaland	Noklak, Tuensang	Noklak	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga	30	Functional
31		Razha,	Kohima	Ayurveda, ,	50	Functional

		Chedema		Homoeopathy and Yoga		
32		Sapangya (Chungtia)	Mokokchung	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga	50	Under construction
33		Yachem	Longleng	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga	30	Under construction
34		Kiphire	Kiphire	Homeopathy	30	Construction not started
35		Tizit	Mon	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy	30	Construction not started
36		Akuhaito	Zunheboto	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy	30	Construction not started
37	Sikkim	Kyongsa, West Sikkim	Gyalshing	Ayurveda and Homoeopathy	50	Functional
38		NIT, Deorali	Gangtok	Sowa-Rigpa	30	Under construction
39	Tripura	Paradise Chowmuhani, Agartala	West Tripura	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga & Naturopathy	50	Functional
40		South Sabroom	South Tripura	Ayurveda, , Homoeopathy and Yoga	50	Construction Completed