

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF AYUSH**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 1923
TO BE ANSWERED ON 18.03.2025**

AYUSH institutes in Maharashtra

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

- (a) the number of Scheduled Caste AYUSH doctors practicing Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha and Homeopathy, added/registered in the country in the last five years;
- (b) the total number of AYUSH hospitals and dispensaries functioning across the country, State-wise, especially in Maharashtra in the last five years; and
- (c) whether Government proposes to set up new naturopathy hospitals and All India Institute of Ayurveda in the country, especially in Maharashtra?

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

(a): As public health is a state subject, the primary responsibility of maintaining the caste-wise record of Ayush Registered Practitioners (Doctors) comes under the purview of respective State/UT-Governments. However, the total number of Ayush Registered Practitioners (Doctors), system-wise, in the country from 2019 to 2023, as reported by State/UT Boards/Councils is furnished at **Annexure-I**.

(b): The State/UT-wise total number of Ayush hospitals and dispensaries in the country including Maharashtra from 2019 to 2023, as per the data received from State/UT Governments is furnished at **Annexure-II**.

(c): Currently, one National Institute of Naturopathy, under Ministry of Ayush is operational at Pune (Maharashtra) and an All India Institute of Ayurveda (AIIA) is operational at New Delhi. Further, a Satellite Centre of AIIA, New Delhi has been established in Goa. As public health is a State subject, setting up of new Ayush hospitals in the country, comes under the purview of respective State/UT Governments. However, under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National Ayush Mission (NAM) of the Ministry of Ayush, there is a provision of financial assistance to States/UTs for setting up of 50/30/10 bedded integrated Ayush hospitals for which they have to submit suitable proposals through State Annual Action Plans (SAAPs) as per the provision of NAM guidelines.

Annexure-I**System-wise total number of Ayush Registered Practitioners (Doctors) in the country
from 2019 to 2023****(As on 01.01.2023)**

Year	Ayurveda	Unani	Siddha	Naturopathy	Sowa- rigpa	Homoeopa thy	Total
2019	309980	43959	7345	2383	-	2872349	646016
2020	364640	48248	8670	4102	47	286430	712137
2021	379945	50011	9033	4158	53	312580	755780
2022	346240	50053	9164	3933	54	320873	730317
2023	355416	51969	9531	4379	66	330407	751768

Source: State/UT Boards/Councils

State/UT-wise total number of Ayush hospitals and dispensaries in the country from 2019 to 2023

(As on 1st April)

S. No.	State/UT	2019		2020		2021		2022		2023	
		Hospitals	Dispensaries	Hospitals	Dispensaries	Hospitals	Dispensaries	Hospitals	Dispensaries	Hospitals	Dispensaries
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)
A. States/Union Territories											
1	Andhra Pradesh	8	729	8	730	8	729	8	735	8	735
2	Arunachal Pradesh	12	130	12	133	12	136	11	174	11	174
3	Assam	4	625	4	611	4	611	4	611	2	573
4	Bihar	8	1589	8	1590	8	1590	8	1590	8	1590
5	Chhattisgarh	16	1094	16	1094	16	1094	16	1094	16	1094
6	Delhi	5	172	6	174	6	178	6	180	6	197
7	Goa	2	177	2	177	2	186	2	207	2	207
8	Gujarat	43	850	39	840	40	840	40	852	40	852
9	Haryana	15	541	15	555	15	555	17	830	17	830
10	Himachal Pradesh	34	1176	34	1204	34	1204	34	1206	35	1206
11	Jammu & Kashmir	2	617	11	571	11	571	10	594	10	594
12	Jharkhand	3	634	1	634	1	634	1	634	1	781
13	Karnataka	224	724	296	1467	269	7640	274	7641	274	7641
14	Kerala	164	1486	164	1486	165	2170	165	2170	165	2170
15	Madhya Pradesh	70	1773	77	1773	77	1773	77	1773	77	1773
16	Maharashtra	139	486	141	486	141	486	149	486	160	486
17	Manipur	14	1	17	1	25	1	25	1	25	1
18	Meghalaya	10	95	10	95	12	97	12	95	12	95
19	Mizoram	2	27	2	30	2	30	10	21	10	21
20	Nagaland	4	43	6	43	6	46	6	46	6	46
21	Odisha	14	1191	14	1191	10	1191	9	1191	9	1191
22	Punjab	42	949	25	1034	25	1034	25	932	25	932
23	Rajasthan	137	4101	137	4095	138	4094	138	4096	139	4337
24	Sikkim	5	14	5	13	6	13	6	11	6	13
25	Tamil Nadu	294	1231	294	1236	295	1238	295	1238	295	1238
26	Tripura	7	110	7	110	7	110	7	110	7	101
27	Uttar Pradesh	1980	3760	1982	3761	1982	3761	1982	3761	1982	3761

28	Uttarakhand	430	564	434	561	434	561	433	562	433	562
29	West Bengal	25	2436	25	2436	25	2436	20	2668	20	2668
30	A&N Islands	5	37	3	37	3	37	3	37	3	37
31	Chandigarh	2	31	2	32	2	32	2	33	2	30
32	D&N Haveli and Daman & Diu	0	15	6	19	6	19	4	20	4	20
33	Ladakh	6	5	0	44	0	44	0	47	0	48
34	Lakshadweep	2	18	2	18	2	18	2	18	2	18
35	Puducherry	0	75	1	75	1	75	1	75	6	80
36	Telangana	11	834	11	834	11	834	11	834	11	834
TOTAL(A)		3739	28340	3817	29190	3801	36068	3813	36573	3829	36936
B. CGHS & Central Government Organizations		42	751	42	761	43	780	46	812	56	868
TOTAL(A+B)		3781	29091	3859	29951	3844	36848	3859	37385	3885	37804

Source: State/UT Governments & Concerned agencies.