

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3618  
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UPGRADATION OF AYUSH CENTRES/COLLEGES  
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**Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to upgrade some Ayurveda Colleges in the country as the National Institutes;
- (b) if so, the names of these colleges, State/UT-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has any proposal to declare certain Homoeo Research Centres in various States including Kurichy in Kottayam, Kerala as Centre of Excellence;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the funds earmarked and allocated for the upgradation of ayush colleges and research centres during the last three years and the current year?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE(SHRI S. GANDHI SELVAN)

(a) & (b) Yes. The details of these colleges are given below:

1. Institute of Post Graduate Teaching & Research in Ayurveda, Jamnagar (Gujarat)
2. Government Ayurvedic College, Thiruvananthapuram (Kerala)
3. Govt. R.A. Poddar Ayurvedic College, Worli, Mumbai, Maharashtra
4. Government Ayurvedic College, Patna (Bihar)
5. Rajiv Gandhi Govt. PG Ayurveda College, Paprola (Himachal Pradesh)
6. Government Ayurvedic College, Guwahati (Assam)
7. Govt. Ayurveda & Unani Tibbiya College, Karol Bagh, New Delhi

(c) & (d) Four non-governmental/non-profit organizations in the Homoeopathy stream have been given grants under the Central Sector Scheme for upgradation to Centre of Excellence during 2008-10 as per details below:  
(Figures in Rupees in Lakhs)

S.No Name of organisation Amount sanctioned Amount released

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|----|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| 1. | M.L.Dhawale Trust, Maharashtra                                                            | 295.92 | Nil    |
| 2. | M.B.Barwalia Foundation's<br>Spandan Holistic Institute<br>of Applied Homoeopathy, Mumbai | 100.00 | 40.00  |
| 3. | Soukya Foundation (Charitable<br>trust), Bangalore                                        | 320.00 | 128.00 |
| 4. | Society of Welfare of the<br>Handicapped persons, Durgapur,<br>(BHAROSHA)                 | 200.00 | 80.00  |

No proposal from any Homoeo Research Centres in Kurichy, Kerala has been received under the Scheme for declaring as Centre of Excellence.

(e) Under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme "Development of AYUSH Institutions" funds were released for upgradation of AYUSH colleges. The details of funds earmarked, released etc. are as under:  
(Figures in Rupees in Lakhs)

S.No. Financial Year Funds earmarked at Funds earmarked at Funds released  
BE stage FE stage

1 2007-08 4700.00 4336.96 4336.96

2 2008-09 6500.00 4000.00 4000.00

3 2009-10 4500.00 2000.00 2000.00

4 2010-11 4500.00 - -