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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4019 TO BE ANSWERED ON 19TH March, 2021

YOGA CENTRES AT PANCHAYAT LEVEL

4019. SHRI BHOLANATH (B.P. SAROJ): SADHVI PRAGYA SINGH THAKUR:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up yoga centres at panchayat level in the country including Machhli Shahar district of Uttar Pradesh and Bhopal district of Madhya Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise, districtwise;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the number of these yoga centres currently operational across the country, State/UT-wise including Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS AND ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY (SHRI KIREN RIJIJU)

- (a) to (c): As Public Health is a State subject, setting up of yoga centres at panchayat level in the country including Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh comes under the purview of respective State/UT Governments. However, Central Government has approved 12,500 AYUSH Health and Wellness Centres which also includes Yoga component, to be operationalized by Ministry of AYUSH through State/UT Governments including Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh under Centrally Sponsored Scheme of National AYUSH Mission (NAM) in a phased manner by the year 2023-24.It is envisaged to upgrade AYUSH Dispensaries and Sub-Health Centres identified by State/UT Governments as AYUSH Health and Wellness Centres for providing AYUSH based preventive, promotive, curative and rehabilitative care. The details of State/UT-wise approved AYUSH Health and Wellness Centres (HWCs) are furnished as **Annexure I.**
- (d): A total of 522 AYUSH HWCs are functional under progressive category across the country. The details of State/UT-wise functional under progressive category AYUSH Health and Wellness Centres (HWCs) are furnished as **Annexure II**.

Annexure-I
Details of approved AYUSH Health and Wellness Centres (HWCs)

Sr. No.	Name of the State/UT	No. of units approved in 2019-20	No. of units approved in 2020-21
1	Andhra Pradesh	42	68
2	Andaman & Nicobar Island	0	6
3	Bihar	0	108
4	Chandigarh	5	0
5	Goa	0	9
6	Gujarat	190	75
7	Haryana	142	403
8	Himachal Pradesh	84	56
9	Jammu & Kashmir	94	100
10	Jharkhand	100	0
11	Karnataka	100	6
12	Kerala	40	50
13	Maharashtra	294	0
14	Manipur	1	4
15	Mizoram		12
16	Madhya Pradesh	25	337
17	Nagaland	2	47
18	Puducherry	3	0
19	Punjab	117	35
20	Tamil Nadu	48	92
21	West Bengal	20	80
22	Arunachal Pradesh	1	35
23	Sikkim	0	18
24	Uttar Pradesh	324	268
25	Rajasthan		500
26	Uttarakhand		70
27	Chhattisgarh		200
28	Lakshadweep		3
29	Assam		49
30	Tripura		38
31	Odisha		100
32	Meghalaya		35
		1632	2804
	Total units approved during 2019-20 and 2020-21		4436

State/UT-wise functional under progressive category AYUSH Health and Wellness Centres (HWCs)

Annexure-II

S.No.	Name of the States/UTs	Number of AYUSH HWCs under Progressive Category
1.	Jammu & Kashmir	75
2.	Karnataka	100
3.	Haryana	266
4.	Tamil Nadu	48
5.	Kerala	13
6.	Nagaland	2
7.	Chandigarh	5
8.	West Bengal	13
Total		522