

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

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2561
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17TH MARCH, 2020**

RESEARCH PROJECTS ON AYUSH MEDICINES

2561. SHRI VIJAY GOEL:

Will the Minister of **AYURVEDA, YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Ministry has been undertaking any research project pertaining to medicines in AYUSH; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE (IC) OF THE MINISTRY OF AYURVEDA,
YOGA & NATUROPATHY, UNANI, SIDDHA AND HOMOEOPATHY
(SHRI SHRIPAD YESO NAIK)**

(a) & (b): There are four autonomous Research Councils under the Ministry of AYUSH viz. Central Council for Research in Ayurvedic Sciences (CCRAS), Central Council for Research in Unani Medicine (CCRUM), Central Council for Research in Siddha (CCRS) and Central Council for Research in Homoeopathy (CCRH) which undertake research projects pertaining to medicines in AYUSH systems. These Councils are engaged in research activities inter alia related to standardization, validation, clinical verification and development of medicines of Ayurveda, Unani, Siddha and Homoeopathy systems in intramural and collaborative modes. Ministry of AYUSH also runs a Central Sector Scheme of Extra Mural Research (EMR) since 11th Five Year Plan to support Research & Development projects undertaken by various reputed institutions pertaining to specific areas prioritised from time to time. Details of the research activities related to AYUSH medicines are given in the **annexure**.

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Annexure

Number of AYUSH medicines related research projects in five years