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FOREWORD

The health care system under AYUSH is highly significant at various levels of care and is recognized globally. With the formation of a separate **Ministry of Ayush** in the year 2014, AYUSH system has got a further boost. For effective implementation of any schemes/programmes, there is a need of timely availability of authentic statistics. Accordingly, the Planning and Evaluation Division of the Ministry of AYUSH has been regularly bringing out a statistical annual publication "**AYUSH IN INDIA**".

I am happy that Planning and Evaluation Division has brought out the 31st issue of the publication "**AYUSH IN INDIA-2019**". This annual publication provides the comprehensive statistics on AYUSH system in the country, collected and compiled from various agencies including both the Centre and State Governments.

I place on record my appreciation for the excellent efforts and team work put in by the officers and staff of the Planning and Evaluation Division of the Ministry of Ayush in completing this stupendous task. I am sure that this will be extremely helpful to multi-stakeholders at all levels.

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