

**ALI YAVAR JUNG NATIONAL INSTITUTE
OF SPEECH & HEARING DISABILITIES (DIVYANGJAN)**
(An Autonomous Organization under the
Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities,
Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India, New Delhi)
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MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT – June, 2026
(INFORMATION FOR MONTHLY D.O. LETTER TO CABINET SECRETARY)

A) Major activities under taken during the month including number of beneficiaries served and number of training programmes/activities :

(i) Services – Total No. of beneficiaries served under various clinical and/or other services

Services	Number of Beneficiaries	
	During the Month	Upto this Month
New Cases Served	2226	6433
Follow up Cases Served	8363	22545
Support Services Provided	31685	113242
No. of Persons Fitted with Aids/Appliances under ADIP Scheme	202	568
No. of Aids/Appliances Distributed under ADIP Scheme	326	835
Cochlear Implant Surgeries done	0	0
CDEIC (Cross Disability Early Intervention cum Identification & Preparatory School)		
(i) New Cases	23	70
(ii) Follow up Services	611	1528
(iii) Support Services	12152	35212

(ii) HRD – Regular Courses

Services	Number of Persons Trained/Oriented		
	Target for 2026-27	During the Month	Upto this Month
Long Term Courses	Admission under Process		
Short Term Courses/Webinars	---	1962	3413

B) Details of Conference, Job Fairs, Melas, Seminars, EC & GC Meetings conducted during the month :

1) AYJNISHD(D), Mumbai in collaboration with the MAA Institute of Speech & Hearing, organised the MAA Cochlear Implant Conference 2026 in Hyderabad on 20 and 21 June 2026. The conference was accorded international status and accredited with Continuing Rehabilitation Education by the Rehabilitation Council of India. A total of 135 participants attended the conference.

C) Skill Development Activities: Regional Centre, Kolkata is conducting a one-year Diploma in Computer Application affiliated with the Government of West Bengal. Against a total intake capacity of 20, 17 students with hearing impairment has been enrolled for the academic year 2025–26.

D) Awareness Generation/Distribution and other camps organised: During the reporting month, the institute conducted 2 screening camps at the various places in the country in which 161 persons were screened.

E) Action taken/progress made in –

(i) E-governance : The institute's website has been successfully migrated to the S3WAAS portal, a cloud service developed for government entities. Additionally, the digitization of APAR reports of staff has been completed, along with the digitization of patient case files from 2020 to 2024 now scanning of Patient Case files started from year 2015. All employees of the Institute, including those at Regional Centres and CRC Ahmedabad, have been onboarded on the SPARROW portal, and All staff members have successfully submitted their APARs for 2024–25 on the portal. APARs for the year 2025–26 have also been generated and successfully all staff members were submitted self APAR to their reporting Officer. The development of a clinical software system for AYJNISHD (D), Mumbai, and its four Regional Centers is currently underway.

(ii) Swachh Bharat Abhiyan : The “Swachhata Hi Seva” campaign was actively carried forward throughout the reporting month, with various initiatives focused on promoting cleanliness, hygiene, and environmental responsibility. Activities were conducted across the campus and surrounding areas, involving both staff and students. Their enthusiastic participation reaffirmed the Institute’s commitment to fostering a clean, safe, and inclusive environment for all.

(iii) Sugamya Bharat Abhiyan : Nil

(iv) Progressive use of Hindi (Rajbhasha) : During the reporting month, the institute issued 368 letters in Hindi, 99 documents in bilingual format, and sent 62 notes in Hindi.

F) Redressal of Public Grievances : Details of the grievances is given below –

Balance B/F	Receipt during the month	Disposed during the month	Balance
1	8	9	0

G) Major important Activities/ Achievements of the organization/institute:

1) On 3 June 2026, the **Standing Committee on Social Justice and Empowerment (2025–26)**, led by **Shri P. C. Mohan**, visited AYJNISHD(D), Mumbai. During the visit, the delegation reviewed the Institute's academic, clinical, research, and outreach initiatives, inaugurated the newly renovated Audiological Wing, and released Institute publications. The members also interacted with beneficiaries and appreciated the Institute's significant contributions to the education, rehabilitation, empowerment, and inclusion of persons with disabilities, while commending its commitment to providing accessible and quality services nationwide.

2) **Shri P.C. Mohan, Hon'ble Chairperson**, during the study tour of standing Committee of Social justice & Empowerment published a book “Growing Together, A Parent Handbook for Child Empowerment through Family Intervention” developed by CDEIC, AYJNISHD(D), Mumbai. Mrs. Punam Mhatre, Teacher, Dept. of Education is author of the book & Dr. Suni Mathew, Lecturer Education, is Editor of the book.

3) . On 12 June 2026, **Shri Girish C. Hosur, Joint Secretary, DEPwD, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment**, visited AYJNISHD(D), Mumbai. Welcomed by **Dr. Suman Kumar, Director**, the visit included a tree plantation ceremony, a tour of the Institute's key academic, clinical, and rehabilitation facilities, and the inauguration of the Tele-Rehabilitation and Voice Recording Room.

4) On 15 June 2026, **Dr. Virendra Kumar**, Hon'ble Union Minister for Social Justice and Empowerment, visited the under-construction building of CRC–Chhatarpur, functioning under AYJNISHD(D), Mumbai. During the visit, he reviewed the progress of construction, issued necessary directions for timely completion, and participated in a tree plantation drive to promote environmental conservation. The visit was attended by senior officials and representatives of CRC–Chhatarpur.

5) AYJNISHD(D), Mumbai, in collaboration with **New Age Institute**, celebrated the **12th International Day of Yoga on 21 June 2026** at **Juhu Beach** under the theme “**Yoga for Healthy Ageing.**” The event, graced by **Shri Devendra Fadnavis, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Maharashtra**, saw participation from over **1,400 people**, including **50 divyang individuals**, promoting inclusion and wellness. Coordinated by the Institute's **Department of Education**, the programme highlighted AYJNISHD(D)'s commitment to fostering accessible health, wellness, and inclusive participation for all.

6) AYJNISHD(D), Regional Centre, Secunderabad celebrated the **12th International Day of Yoga on 21 June 2026** under the theme “**Yoga for Healthy Ageing.**” Organized for senior citizens and pensioners, the programme featured yoga demonstrations, expert guidance on healthy ageing, and awareness on the physical and mental health benefits of yoga. Conducted under the guidance of **Dr. Suman Kumar, Director**, and **Mr. B. Srinivas Rao, In-Charge Assistant Director**, the event witnessed the enthusiastic participation of **75 participants**, promoting active and healthy ageing through yoga.

7) AYNISHD(D), Mumbai organized a **2-hour Interactive Session (STTP)** on **“Empowering Health Through Yoga Practice”** on **19 June 2026** for patients, caregivers, staff, and students. Conducted by **Ms. Seema Tiwari** and coordinated by **Ms. Gayatri Haryan**, the session included yoga postures, pranayama, breathing exercises for speech and voice disorders, meditation, and chair yoga specially suited for elderly persons and divyangjan. The programme, attended by 40 participants, promoted the physical, mental, and emotional benefits of yoga while encouraging healthy and inclusive wellness practices.

H) No. of new courses/any other activities initiated: Nil

I) New Initiatives, if any : Nil

Director