



REPORT

ON

OBSERVANCE OF NATIONAL YOUTH DAY

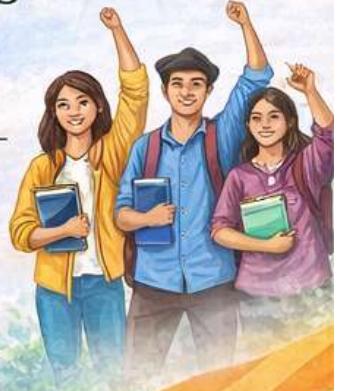
AND

ORGANISATION OF AWARENESS ACTIVITIES

UNDER THE NALSA

(DAWN – Drug Awareness and Wellness Navigation –
For a Drug-Free India) SCHEME

FOR THE PERIOD FROM
5th TO 12th JANUARY, 2026



M.P. STATE LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY, JABALPUR



सशक्त युवा, स्वस्थ भारत





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Awareness Activities under the DAWN Scheme for the period of 5th – 12th January 2026

As per the directions issued by the National Legal Services Authority, New Delhi, awareness activities were undertaken in accordance with the relevant NALSA Schemes for the observance of the International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking. In pursuance of the said directions, necessary instructions were issued by the State Legal Services Authority to all District Legal Services Authorities for compliance and implementation of the activities as prescribed.

In continuation thereof, all District Legal Services Authorities were directed to take appropriate action and to organize awareness programmes/campaigns in their respective jurisdictions in accordance with the instructions issued by NALSA, New Delhi. The directions also emphasized implementation of activities under the **NALSA (Victims of Trafficking and Commercial Sexual Exploitation) Scheme, 2015**, the **NALSA (Legal Services to the Victims of Drug Abuse and Eradication of Drug Menace) Scheme, 2015**, and other relevant guidelines issued from time to time.

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Pursuant to the directions so issued, the District Legal Services Authorities organized awareness campaigns at the district level. The activities included organization of awareness programmes, outreach initiatives, interaction sessions, and other sensitization activities aimed at spreading awareness regarding drug abuse, de-addiction, rehabilitation, and related social issues, in conformity with the directions issued by NALSA, New Delhi.

During the observance of National Youth Day and the organisation of awareness activities under the DAWN Scheme for the period from 5th to 12th January, 2026, awareness programmes were conducted across 51 districts. A total of 190 youth-focused sensitisation sessions were organized in educational institutions. In addition thereto, 02 rallies, 03 marathons, 17 debate competitions, 19 essay competitions, and 12 street plays were conducted at various locations. Through these activities, a total of 21,331 beneficiaries were covered across the State. The programmes were carried out with active participation of youth and stakeholders, thereby effectively fulfilling the objectives of awareness, sensitisation, and community engagement as envisaged under the DAWN Scheme.



HIGHLIGHTS OF THE CAMPAIGN ACTIVITIES



Awareness Camps Conducted in Jail Premises



Yoga and Wellness Awareness Camps

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Painting and Essay Competitions for Youth Sensitisation



School-based Awareness Programmes

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Outreach Programmes for Rural Communities



Student-oriented Awareness and Sensitisation Activities

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Awareness and Sensitisation Camp at De-addiction Centre



Youth-focused Sensitisation Activities

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