



Ashwini Kumar Choubey

Minister of State

Father's Name	Late Shri Sahadeo Prasad Choubey
Mother's Name	Late Smt. Sudevi Devi
Date of Birth	2 nd Jan,1953
Place of Birth	Dariyapur, Bhagalpur, Bihar
Marital Status	Married
Date of Marriage	8 th May,1978
Spouse's Name	Smt. Neeta Choubey
No. of Sons	Two (Elder- Mr. Arjit Shashwat & Younger - Mr. Aviral Shashwat)
Educational Qualifications	B.Sc.(Hons.) Zoology Educated at Science College, Patna University, Patna, Bihar
Profession	Political and Social Worker Agriculturist
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Positions Held	
1995 - 2014	Member, Bihar Legislative Assembly (5 Terms) Chairperson, Private Members Bill & Resolution Committee and Nature Conservation & Pollution Control Committee, Bihar Legislative Assembly
2004 - 2005	Leader of BJP Legislative Party, Bihar Vidhan Mandal
Nov.2005 - 2008	Minister, Urban Development, Govt. of Bihar
2008 - 2010	Minister, Public Health Engineering Department, Govt. of Bihar
2010 - June2013	Minister, Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of Bihar
May,2014	Elected to 16 th Lok Sabha
14th Aug.2014 - 3rd Sept.2017	Member, Committee on Estimates
1st Sep. 2014 - 3rd Sept. 2017	Member, Standing Committee on Energy
	Member, Consultative Committee, Ministry Of Health and Family Welfare
	Member, Central Silk Board
	Permanent Special Invitee, Consultative Committee, Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation
3rd July 2015	Member, Sub Committee-I, Committee on Estimates
3rd Sept, 2017 - 25th May, 2019	Union Minister of State, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare Re-elected to 17 th Lok Sabha (2 nd term)
30th May, 2019 - 06 -July, 2021	Union Minister of State, Health and Family Welfare

**07th July, 2021
onwards**

Minister of State in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution; and Minister of State in the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change□

Books Published

1. Souvenir Book –‘**Char dhamki Avismarniya Yatra**’ (year 2014); based on disaster of Kedarghati, Uttaranchal.
2. ‘**Trinetra**’(year 2016); based on the reasons behind deluge and flood disaster in Kedarnath, Uttarakhand, on 16th- 17th June 2013.
3. ‘**Mujhme Ram**’ (year 2022); based on Shri Ram’s sustainable development model of Ram Rajya during his visit and works of Bal Ram in his learning place and his first battle field (Sri Ram’s first Karmbhumi) historically named as Siddhashram and currently Buxar, Bihar.

Awards and Accolades

1. World record to make biggest ever human made Indian Map(75X75 mtr) with Waving Indian Flags by more than 2000 participants in Buxar, Bihar on 14th August 2022 celebrating Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav. Adjudicated, registered and certified by World Records India.
2. World Record to make the biggest Parakrami Ram by coloured earthen lamps (Diyas) over an area of more than 10,000 sqft on 8th November 2022. Adjudicated, registered and certified by World Records Union.
3. Not to name all but he has been awarded by hundreds of organizations for his works and got recognition for his selfless social activities.

Special Resolution

- To build **Worlds biggest Mighty Sri Ram’s Statue**(Parakrami Shri Ram ki vishwa ki sabse Vishal Pratima) in Buxar with Centre for Sri Ram’s Sustainable Development Model inculcated from Ram Rajya concept, Building Ramayana Centre, Museum, Vishwamitra Vedic yagya Centre, Ved Vigyan Mahavidyalaya,Vedic Sports stadium to promote Archery, Gaushala, Vridhashram, anathashram, Ramayana Research & Development Centre and to connect all relevant places wherever Shri Ram visited etc. Centre of excellence to promote Gau, Geeta, Ganga and Gayatri.
- To restore and build places of spiritual interest like Rameshwar Nath

Temple (where Sri Ram himself made the Shiva Linga from Ganga Mud), VaamanAvtar Temple, Vishwamitra Ashram etc. in Buxar, Bihar.

- To restore and Build **Mandareshwar Kaashi Vishwanath Mandir** on the top of Mandar Parvat, Baunsi, Banka, Bihar and to develop Mandarkshetrain terms of development of forest and making Peacock interpretation Centre and museum. To get resistered Mandar Parvat's name under **World's Heritage Site** for global appreciation and tourism.

Spiritual And Cultural Events

1. Organised biggest ever socio, spiritual and cultural event as Founder of Shri Ramkarmbhumi Nyas '**Sanatan, Sanskriti Samagam- Ram Rajya ki ore**', and '**Antarrashtriya Sant Sammelan**'.
2. Organised **Vishwa Shanti Mahayagya and Vishwa Guru Dharm Yagya**"as a Founder of Shri Ramkarmbhumi Nyas with a theme of "**Sanatan Sanskriti Samagam- - Ram Rajyaki ore**"

Social Awareness Activities

*Organized '**Mega Blood DonationCamps**',(1972to1987) and donated 64 units blood in 15 years time out of total 98 units blood donated in total by himself.

*Organised '**Bihar Gram Gaurav Yatra**' in whole Bihar, 2008, 2009 & 2010(Awareness campaign for sanitation and cleanliness) Constructed over 11 thousand toilets for Mahadalit families with by voluntary contribution of labour i.e. people's contribution. Raised the slogan"**Ghar Gharme ho shouchalaya ka nirman, tabhi hoga ladli bitiya ka kanyadaan**";

*Organised '**Jan Swasthya Chetana Yatra**' (Health Awareness Programme)in the whole State of Bihar (the theme of this yatra was "**Chikitsha-ChikitshakAapkeDwar**") 2010 –2012;

*Organized '**Swasthaya Mahakumbha Mela**' (National Level Mega Health Camps for health and hygiene)in all Districts, Sub-centre level Health Camps (Swasthya Kumbh) 3 times in Bihar in the year 2010-2012 treating more than 3 Crore people(11000 Health Camps in 3 years)of Bihar.

* Awareness Programmes '**Swachh evam Nirmal Ganga**'(Vande Mataram, Gange Mataram)for cleaning Ganga and pure drinking water for All.

* Awareness Programme '**Swasthya Chuno, Tambaku Nahi**' to reduce tobacco consumption (choose health; not tobacco) for fight against Cancer.

* Awareness Program '**Vriksha lagao, Prithwi Bachao**'to plant 1 crore trees in India (Plant Trees, Save Earth) saving mother Earth with a theme- '1vriksha, 10putronkesaman'

* Awareness Program '**Beti Bachao, Shrishti Bachao**' to save girl child and to promote planting trees on girl's birth (save girl, save universe).

Special Interests

- Upliftment of the poor (Antim Paydan par baithe vyakti ka utthan, tabhi hoga rashtra ka nirman) incarnated from his idol Late Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhyay. He Uplifted Scavengers at his residence in Patna on 14th April 2008 after washing their feet and giving sarees, rice turmeric, Betel and Pan in their hands by his wife. It was performed by the inspiration of Sanitation Man Padmabhusan Dr Bindeshwar Pathak, the founder of Sulabh International who started Malin Mukti Abhiyan.
- Nature conservation;
- Health, Hygiene & Sanitation;
- Conservation of the Ganges & other Indian rivers;
- Working for disables
- Fight for eradication of dowry systems & Drug addiction;
- Cow conservation
- Cancer awareness

Other Information

- Member, Rashtriya Swayam sewak Sangh (RSS) since 1964;
- President, Student`s Union, Patna University (1978-79);
- Participated in the Student Movement, against the Chief Minister, Govt. of Bihar in the year 1967-68;
- Part of All India Student Leaders Conference held at Thiruvananthapuram (Kerala) 1972-73;
- Participated in J.P. Movement, (Bihar Student Leaders Conference) Feb. 17 – 18, 1973;
- Was active member of Bihar Chatra Sangharsh Samiti formed before JP Movement.
- Was imprisoned in 1974 Aandolan (Student Movement) DIR and MISA Act during J.P. Movement for several months;
- Was taken in to Custody under DIR and MISA (second time) Phulwari Sharif, Bihar Jail Kand on 2 July 1974, where he was heavily beaten by police inside the jail, fought for his life and was admitted in PMCH, Patna for nearly Six months and was imprisoned for 21 months in different jails of Bihar.
- Organised All India Student`s Union Leaders Conference, Patna in 1979;
- Full time Member of Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad from 1974 to 1987; and Member, National Executive; ABVP.

Favourite Pastime and Recreation

Yoga, Aasan & Pranayam, Listening to classical & devotional music, Watching Kathak Dance and Kavi Sammelan

Sports, Clubs and Organisation

Association as a member of- Rashtriya Swayam sevak Sangh, Sanskar Bharti, Akhil Bhartiya Vidyarthi Parishad, Bharat vikas parishad, Sewa Bharti, Swadeshi Jagran Manch, Vanvasi Kalyaan Kendra etc.

Games:- Swimming, Kabaddi, Kho-Kho and Athletics.

Countries Visited

United Kingdom, Germany, Australia, Singapore, Brazil, Belgium, Mauritius, Madagascar, Fiji, Tuvalu, Bahrain, Dubai and Nepal.