

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2817
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20TH MARCH, 2018**

SHORTAGE OF SPECIALISTS WITH CGHS

2817. SHRI SANJAY SETH:

Will the Minister of **HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE** be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is acute shortage of specialists/surgeons in various departments of CGHS wings in Government hospitals in Delhi;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (c) the average waiting period for patients for getting treatment due to this shortage;
- (d) the details of sanctioned posts and filled up posts in CGHS wing hospitals;
- (e) the time by which the vacant posts are proposed to be filled up; and
- (f) whether there is any proposal to review the strength of specialist doctors in CGHS wing due to increased number of patients from Delhi?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY)**

- (a) & (b): No.
- (c): The average waiting period for patients for getting treatment is 15-30 minutes.
- (d): The details are at **Annexure**.
- (e): Filling up of vacant posts through UPSC is done on regular basis by this Ministry and it is not possible to specify the time period.
- (f): No.

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ANNEXURE

STATEMENT SHOWING DETAILS OF SANCTIONED POSTS AND FILLED UP POSTS IN CGHS DELHI AS ON 13.02.2018

Sl.N o.	Designation	Sanctioned/U p-graded Posts	Filled up Posts	Vacant Posts
1.	Consultant in Surgery	07	06	01
2.	Consultant in Medicine	29	30	+01
3.	Consultant in Obst. & Gynae	13	14	+01
4.	Consultant in Dermatology	10	12	+02
5.	Consultant in Ophthalmology	13	13	00
6.	Consultant in Paediatrics	08	11	+03
7.	Personal Physician for VVIP	01	01(Contractual)	01
8.	Neurologist	01	00	01
9.	Consultant in Psychiatry	04	04	00
10.	Consultant in ENT	10	06 (03 Contractual)	04
11.	Radiologist Gr. I & II	04	03	01
12.	Consultant in Pathology	07	07	00
13.	Spl. Gr. II (Biochemistry)	06	02	04
14.	PMR Specialist	01	01	00
15.	Cardiologist	01	00	01
16.	Ortho. Surgeon (Gr. I)	01	01	00
	Ortho. Surgeon (Gr. II)	01	02	+01