

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

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2186  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 01<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY, 2019**

**STATE-OF-THE-ART TECHNOLOGY FOR HOSPITALS IN GUJARAT**

**2186. SHRI NARANBHAI J. RATHWA:**

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that no funds have been allocated to the State of Gujarat under State Programme Implementation Plan (SPIP) during last two years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the efforts made by Government to equip the hospitals with state-of-the-art technology in the State of Gujarat, during last three years?

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

(a) & (b): Under National Health Mission Rs 863.66 Crore & Rs 1,221.83 Crore have been released to the State of Gujarat for the FY 2016-17 & 2017-18 respectively.

(c): Public Health and Hospital being a state subject, the primary responsibility to equip the hospitals with state-of-the-art technology is that of respective State Government. Under National Health Mission (NHM), the central government provides technical and financial support to States/UTs to strengthen their healthcare system including for provision of accessible, affordable and quality healthcare to the population based on the proposals of the State/ UT Governments. The support under NHM also includes support for equipment & use of modern technologies based on proposals received from respective States/UTs in their Programme Implementation Plan (PIPs).