

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

RAJYA SABHA
UN STARRED QUESTION NO 477
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.07.2022

‘PREVENTABLE CHILD DEATHS’

477 DR. V. SIVADASAN:

Will the Minister of Women and Child Development be pleased to State:

- (a) The number of preventable child deaths in the country during the last five years, year-wise, State wise;
- (b) The number of preventable child deaths in the country during the last five years, community-wise data i.e. Dalit/Adivasi/OBC;
- (c) The number of preventable child deaths in the country during the last five years community-wise data i.e. Dalit/Adivasi/OBC and category-wise data APL, BPL categories; and
- (d) The number of deaths among children under age five in the country due to Diarrhoea during the last five years, year-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
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(a) to (c) As per the information received from the National Crime Records Bureau (NCRB), no information is available in NCRB in respect of preventable child deaths in the country. Also, as per the information received from Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Sample Registration System of Registrar General of India (RGI) does not provide disaggregated number of preventable child deaths (Children under age 5 Mortality Rate) State/ UT wise, community wise (Dalit/Adivasi/OBC) and category-wise (APL, BPL). As per SRS-RGI Report, Children under age 5 Mortality Rate has declined from 45 per 1000 live births in 2014 to 35 per 1000 live births in 2019.

(d) As per the information received from Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, the number of deaths among children under age five in the country due to Diarrhoea during the last five years, year-wise is placed at Annexure-I.

ANNEXURE-I

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN PART (D) OF REPLY TO RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 477 TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.07.2022 ASKED BY DR. V. SIVADASAN INDICATING STATE/UTS-WISE NUMBER OF CHILDREN(< 5 YEARS) DEATHS DUE TO DIARRHOEA FROM 2017-18 TO 2021-22

Sl. No.	States/Uts	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
	All India	4184	2715	2309	1964	2852
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	0	1	0	0	1
2	Andhra Pradesh	77	28	28	25	17
3	Arunachal Pradesh	10	6	1	0	1
4	Assam	60	53	61	49	21
5	Bihar	241	141	101	54	66
6	Chandigarh	8	4	2	3	0
7	Chhattisgarh	138	56	56	36	31
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	2	0	0		
9	Daman & Diu	0	1	1		
10	Delhi	69	69	59	62	116
11	Goa	1	0	0	0	0
12	Gujarat	927	485	318	301	131
13	Haryana	63	196	188	185	183
14	Himachal Pradesh	24	16	24	10	20
15	Jammu And Kashmir	4	11	5	12	14
16	Jharkhand	92	77	131	21	43
17	Karnataka	124	65	82	89	57
18	Kerala	114	17	22	5	1
19	Ladakh				2	3
20	Lakshadweep	0	0	0	0	0
21	Madhya Pradesh	328	314	222	185	139
22	Maharashtra	81	100	121	73	102
23	Manipur	9	4	3	2	2
24	Meghalaya	153	98	86	95	75
25	Mizoram	11	2	7	8	1
26	Nagaland	8	8	2	0	1
27	Odisha	83	57	40	28	38
28	Puducherry	0	2	1	0	2
29	Punjab	82	35	46	37	17
30	Rajasthan	128	260	267	182	1126
31	Sikkim	2	1	8	0	0
32	Tamil Nadu	129	51	94	187	108
33	Telangana	116	166	37	28	76
34	The Dadra And Nagar Haveli And Daman And Diu				1	1
35	Tripura	5	1	4	2	1
36	Uttar Pradesh	550	313	251	206	386
37	Uttarakhand	31	22	17	24	27
38	West Bengal	514	55	24	52	45

Source: HMIS portal, Data as uploaded by States/UTs on HMIS portal. Status as on 15 July 2022. Data for 2021-22 is provisional
