

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

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3133  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 28<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2023**

**REGISTERED DOCTORS IN THE COUNTRY**

**3133 SHRI NEERAJ SHEKHAR:**

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

- (a) the details of number of registered doctors in the country as on date, state-wise;
- (b) the details of shortage of doctors in the country, State-wise; and
- (c) the details of doctor patient ratio in the country from 2019 to till date?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND  
FAMILY WELFARE  
(DR. BHARATI PRAVIN PAWAR)**

(a) to (c):As informed by the National Medical Commission (NMC), there are 13,08,009 allopathic doctors registered with the State Medical Councils and the National Medical Commission (NMC) as on June, 2022. Assuming 80% availability of registered allopathic doctors and 5.65 lakh AYUSH doctors, the doctor-population ratio in the country is 1:834. The total number of allopathic doctors registered with the respective State and National Councils is placed at Annexure-I.

The Government has increased number of medical colleges and subsequently increased MBBS seats. There is an increase of 71% in Medical Colleges from 387 before 2014 to 660 as of now. Further, there is an increase of 97% in MBBS seats from 51,348 before 2014 to 101,043 as of now, there is also an increase of 110% in PG seats from 31,185 before 2014 to 65,335 as of now, including, Diplomate of National Board (DNB) / Fellowship of National Board (FNB) PG seats and PG seats in College of Physicians and Surgeons (CPS).

As per information available, the details of doctor patient ratio in the country since 2019 is as under:-

|                       |       |
|-----------------------|-------|
| As on September, 2019 | 1:848 |
| As on December, 2020  | 1:845 |
| As on December, 2021  | 1:834 |
| As on June, 2022      | 1:834 |

**STATE/ UT-WISE LIST OF DOCTORS POSSESSING RECOGNISED MEDICAL QUALIFICATIONS AND REGISTERED WITH STATE MEDICAL COUNCILS / THE ERSTWHILE MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA/ NATIONAL MEDICAL COMMISSION AS ON JUNE, 2022**

| <b>SI. No.</b> | <b>Name of State Medical Council</b>   | <b>Total number of allopathic doctors</b> |
|----------------|--|---|
| 1.             | Andhra Pradesh Medical Council         | 105799                                    |
| 2.             | Arunachal Pradesh Medical Council      | 1461                                      |
| 3.             | Assam Medical Council                  | 25561                                     |
| 4.             | Bihar Medical Council                  | 48192                                     |
| 5.             | Chattisgarh Medical Council            | 10020                                     |
| 6.             | Delhi Medical Council                  | 30817                                     |
| 7.             | Goa Medical Council                    | 4035                                      |
| 8.             | Gujarat Medical Council                | 72406                                     |
| 9.             | Haryana Medical Council                | 15687                                     |
| 10.            | Himachal Pradesh Medical Council       | 5038                                      |
| 11.            | Jammu & Kashmir Medical Council        | 17574                                     |
| 12.            | Jharkhand Medical Council              | 7374                                      |
| 13.            | Karnataka Medical Council              | 134426                                    |
| 14.            | Madhya Pradesh Medical Council         | 42596                                     |
| 15.            | Maharashtra Medical Council            | 188545                                    |
| 16.            | Erstwhile Medical Council of India     | 52669                                     |
| 17.            | Mizoram Medical Council                | 156                                       |
| 18.            | Nagaland Medical Council               | 141                                       |
| 19.            | Orissa Council of Medical Registration | 26924                                     |
| 20.            | Punjab Medical Council                 | 51689                                     |
| 21.            | Rajasthan Medical Council              | 48232                                     |
| 22.            | Sikkim Medical Council                 | 1501                                      |
| 23.            | Tamil Nadu Medical Council             | 148217                                    |
| 24.            | Travancore Medical Council             | 72999                                     |
| 25.            | Uttar Pradesh Medical Council          | 89287                                     |
| 26.            | Uttaranchal Medical Council            | 10243                                     |
| 27.            | West Bengal Medical Council            | 78740                                     |
| 28.            | Tripura Medical Council                | 2681                                      |
| 29.            | Telangana Medical Council              | 14999                                     |

Source: The National Medical Commission

**Note:- Erstwhile MCI had stopped the registration since 2015.**

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