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

RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 604
TO BE ANSWERED ON 07th FEBRUARY, 2023

HEALTHCARE EXPENDITURE

604. SHRI M. MOHAMED ABDULLA:

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

(a) whether it is a fact that the Union Government spends the least on healthcare in the country, particularly on per-capita basis from the year 2014 and if so, the reasons therefor;

(b) whether it is fact that the Union Government's expenditure on healthcare in the country was only around 1.2 per cent of GDP since 2014 except 2020-21 because of COVID-19 pandemic; and

(c) the details about the Healthcare expenditure by the Union Government, State-wise and year-wise from the year 2019?

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

(a) & (b) As per the available National Health Accounts Estimates (NHA) Report, the details of the Government Health Expenditure (GHE) from 2014-15 is as under:

Indicator	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Government Health Expenditure (GHE) (Rs. In crores)	1,39,949	1,61,863	1,88,010	2,31,104	2,42,219
Union Government as % of GHE	37.0%	35.6%	31.4%	40.8%	34.3%
State Government as % of GHE	63.0%	64.4%	68.6%	59.2%	65.7%
Per Capita Government Health Expenditure	1,108	1,261	1,418	1,753	1,815
GHE as % of GDP	1.13	1.18	1.20	1.35	1.28

(c) As per the available National Health Accounts Estimates (NHA) report, the State-wise Government Health Expenditure (Central+State) for the year 2018-19 is as under:

S. No.	State	Government Health Expenditure (In crores)
1.	Assam	4,849
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	1,132
3.	Andhra Pradesh	8,194
4.	Bihar	8,090
5.	Chhattisgarh	4,155
6.	Delhi	8,002
7.	Goa	1,011
8.	Gujarat	11,910
9.	Haryana	4,884
10.	Himachal Pradesh	2,523
11.	Jammu and Kashmir	2,023
12.	Jharkhand	3,717
13.	Karnataka	10,926
14.	Kerala	8,676
15.	Madhya Pradesh	8,458
16.	Maharashtra	17,934
17.	Manipur	513
18.	Meghalaya	1,136
19.	Mizoram	733
20.	Nagaland	636
21.	Odisha	6,043
22.	Puducherry	616
23.	Punjab	4,082
24.	Rajasthan	13,061
25.	Sikkim	415
26.	Tamil Nadu	15,365
27.	Tripura	952
28.	Uttar Pradesh	19,418
29.	Uttarakhand	2,302
30.	West Bengal	11,729
31.	Telangana	6,242

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