

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

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2185  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2023**

**CHILDREN AFFECTED BY MEASLES AND RUBELLA**

**2185: SHRI KUMAR KETKAR**

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

- (a) the details of the coverage of measles and rubella cases in the year 2022, State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether it is a fact that there were a large number of measles and rubella cases in that year;
- (c) the total number of children recorded to have been affected and number of those who received treatments along with casualties with State/UT-wise segmentation; and
- (d) the measures undertaken by Government to fully eliminate the risks of measles and rubella?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY  
WELFARE  
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- (a) to (c) The number of Measles and Rubella cases and the number of those who received treatment along with casualties in the year 2022, State/UT wise is placed at Annexure I.
- (d) Following measures have been undertaken by Government for Measles and Rubella Elimination:

- Measles and Rubella Vaccination campaign has been conducted nationwide wherein children in the age group of 9 months to 15 years were vaccinated with an additional dose of Measles and Rubella Vaccine.
- A roadmap for Measles and Rubella (MR) Elimination has been prepared and disseminated to all the States/UTs with a focus to improve coverage of Measles and Rubella Vaccine and strengthen surveillance.
- States/UTs reporting Measles outbreaks have been directed to conduct Outbreak Response Immunization (ORI) and Supplementary Immunization Activities (SIA) to increase the coverage of the vaccine and contain outbreaks.

**Annexure I.**

**The number of cases of Measles and Rubella, number of those who received treatment along with casualties in the year 2022, State/UT wise is as below:**

S.NO.	State/UT	Number of cases		Number of cases received treatment		Number of casualties	
		Measles	Rubella	Measles	Rubella	Measles	Rubella
1.	A & N Islands	-	-	-		-	-
2.	Andhra Pradesh	101	39	101	39	-	-
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	24	03		115	-	-
4.	Assam	33	26	33	26	-	-
5.	Bihar	2,277	177	2,277	177	06	-
6.	Chandigarh	06	02	06	02	-	-
7.	Chhattisgarh	121	12	56	6	-	-
8.	Delhi	1,158	30		2,287	08	-
9.	Goa	08	08	08	08	-	-
10.	Gujarat	3,618	88	3,618	88	11	
11.	Haryana	2,225	37	2,225	37	03	
12.	Himachal Pradesh	33	14	33	14	-	-
13.	Jammu & Kashmir	120	104	120	104	-	-
14.	Jharkhand	3,515	41		242	10	-
15.	Karnataka	841	175		710	02	-
16.	Kerala	265	85	265	85	-	-
17.	Ladakh	05	03	05	03	-	-
18.	Lakshadweep	-	-	-	-	-	-
19.	Madhya Pradesh	348	177	348	177	02	-
20.	Maharashtra	2,306	416	2,306	416	21	-
21.	Manipur	50	04		206	-	-
22.	Meghalaya	17	07	17	07	-	-
23.	Mizoram	07	06	07	06	-	-
24.	Nagaland	69	01	69	01	-	-
25.	Odisha	203	119	203	119	-	-
26.	Puducherry	05	03	05	03	-	-
27.	Punjab	80	55	80	55	-	-
28.	Rajasthan	519	99	519	99	10	-
29.	Sikkim	03	03	03	03		
30.	Tamil Nadu	101	22		2,270	01	-
31.	Telangana	148	50	148	50	01	-
32.	The Dadra And Nagar Haveli And Daman And Diu	06	02	06	02	-	-
33.	Tripura	53	03	53	03	-	-
34.	Uttar Pradesh	4,175	474	3,208	320	17	01
35.	Uttarakhand	235	37	235	37	02	-
36.	West Bengal	2,187	189	2,187	189	05	-

**Data Source- As received from State/UTs**