

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

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1707
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06.08.2024**

**SETTING UP OF HOSPITALS / TRAUMA CENTRES ALONG NATIONAL AND STATE
HIGHWAYS**

1707: SHRI C. VE. SHANMUGAM:

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

- (a) whether Government is considering to set up hospitals / trauma centres along the National Highways and State Highways;
- (b) if so, the details of such facilities set up and proposed to be set up particularly in the State of Tamil Nadu;
- (c) whether Government has acquired lands for this purpose;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether such facilities are set up / going to be set up in coordination with the corporate hospitals; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY
WELFARE
(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)**

(a) to (f): During 11th Five Year Plan (2007-2012) and 12th Five Year Plan (2012-2017) under the “National Programme for Prevention & Management of Trauma and Burn Injuries” (NPPMT&BI), 196 Trauma Care Facilities (TCFs) were sanctioned in Government Hospitals/ Medical Colleges across the country. Many of them are located close to National Highways. Out of 196,13 TCFs were sanctioned in Tamil Nadu and details are as below:

- (i) Kilpauk Medical College, Chennai
- (ii) Government Medical College, Vellore
- (iii) Taluk Hospital, Krishnagiri
- (iv) Government District Headquarter Hospital, Karur
- (v) District Hospital, Dindigul
- (vi) Government Rajaji Hospital & Medical College, Madurai
- (vii) District Headquarter Hospital, Kovilpatti
- (viii) Government Medical College & Hospital, Tirunelveli
- (ix) Government District Headquarter Hospital, Kallakurichi

- (x) Government District Headquarter Hospital, Kumbakonam
- (xi) Chengalpattu Government Medical College & Hospital
- (xii) Kanyakumari Government Medical College, Kanyakumari
- (xiii) Coimbatore Medical College

Apart from 13 TCFs, 06 Burn Units have also been sanctioned in Tamil Nadu and details are as below:

- (i) Thanjavur Medical College Hospital
- (ii) Madurai Medical College, Madurai
- (iii) Government Vellore Medical College & Hospital, Vellore
- (iv) Government Mohan Kumaramangalam Medical College & Hospital, Salem
- (v) K.A.V.P Government Medical College & Mahatma Gandhi Memorial Government Hospital, Tiruchirappalli
- (vi) Coimbatore Medical College & Hospital, Coimbatore

Beyond 12th Five Year Plan, there is no provision of identification of new trauma care facilities under this scheme.
