

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

**RAJYA SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 918  
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 30<sup>th</sup> JULY, 2024**

**IMPACT OF THE CONFLICT ON THE MENTAL HEALTH OF THE POPULATION IN  
MANIPUR**

**918: SMT. PHULO DEVI NETAM**

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

- (a) where Manipur stands vis-à-vis other States on the implementation of the healthcare services as per the Indian Public Health Standards (health care facility and staffing);
- (b) the steps being taken to address the impact of the ongoing conflict and violence on the mental health of the population in Manipur; and
- (c) the number of mental health professionals in the country, including Manipur and Kashmir, State-wise?

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

(a) As per Rural Health Statistics, 2021-22, the details of healthcare services in Manipur vis-à-vis other States/UTs, as per the Indian Public Health Standards (health care facility and staffing) are available on the website of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare at the Uniform Resources Locator (URL) as under: [https://main.mohfw.gov.in/sites/default/files/RHS%202021-22\\_2.pdf](https://main.mohfw.gov.in/sites/default/files/RHS%202021-22_2.pdf)

- (b) The State of Manipur has informed that the following steps are being taken to address the impact of the ongoing conflict and violence on the mental health of the population in Manipur:
- Since the beginning of the crisis in May 2023, the District Mental Health Program (DMHP) team under the National Mental Health Program (NMHP) regularly makes scheduled visits as and when required.
  - Follow-up care of patients is planned through the designated Medical Officers assigned for the relief camps, revisits by the district mental health team, through nearest DMHP OPDs, and through the 24/7 available toll-free Tele MANAS mental health helpline “14416”.
  - Apart from the routine visits by the mental health team, special outreach health camps, awareness programs on mental health, targeted intervention programs on

stress management, suicide prevention programs, and YOGA sessions in some of the relief camps are organized.

- Suicide prevention counseling is given to those identified with a high risk of suicide and is closely followed up along with psychoeducation to the family and camp volunteers.
- Interventions in the form of individual and group counseling for adolescents, programs on promotion of mental health, play therapy, drawing, and recreational activities such as recitation and singing programs for smaller children are conducted along with interactive sessions and medication in some of them.

(c) The State/UT-wise list of mental health professionals at DMHP units under NHM including Manipur and Jammu & Kashmir is at **Annexure**.

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**Annexure referred to the reply to part (c) of Rajya Sabha unstarred Question No. 918 for answer on 30.07.20224.**

**Annexure**

**State-wise List of Mental Health Professionals at DMHP Units under NHM**

Sl. No	Name of State/UT	Total Psychiatrists/ Trained MOs	Total No. of Clinical Psychologist/ Trained Psychologist	Total No. of Psychiatric Nurse/ Trained nurse in psychiatry	Total psychiatric Social workers/ Trained social workers in psychiatry
1	Andaman & Nicobar	2	2	0	3
2	Andhra Pradesh	16	7	11	21
3	Arunachal Pradesh	9	5	7	6
4	Assam	33	19	3	18
5	Bihar	31	13	38	6
6	Chandigarh	0	1	1	1
7	Chhattisgarh	32	21	14	23
8	Delhi	1	1	2	2
9	DNH_DD	7	5	12	2
10	Goa	3	1	0	1
11	Gujarat	108	54	274	46
12	Haryana	42	19	21	15
13	Himachal Pradesh	31	19	24	12
14	Jharkhand	40	16	31	13
15	Karnataka	261	32	29	37
16	Kerala	30	9	49	58
17	Ladakh	4	2	1	2
18	Lakshwadeep	1	2	9	4
19	Madhya Pradesh	49	15	51	0
20	Maharashtra	26	29	30	40
21	Manipur	30	9	26	14
22	Meghalaya	11	7	8	10
23	Mizoram	3	9	8	9
24	Nagaland	5	11	4	11
25	Odisha	61	31	10	30
26	Puducherry	1	1	1	1
27	Punjab	43	8	65	28
28	Rajasthan	32	0	16	0
29	Sikkim	4	4	0	3
30	Tamil Nadu	72	33	8	34
31	Telangana	43	11	36	7
32	Tripura	18	1	191	3
33	Jammu and Kashmir	8	11	9	9
34	Uttar Pradesh	75	61	60	61
35	Uttarakhand	13	7	0	13
36	West Bengal	33	37	9	22
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1178</b>	<b>513</b>	<b>1058</b>	<b>565</b>