

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

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 911
TO BE ANSWERED ON 3RD DECEMBER, 2024**

STATUS OF EXPENDITURE OF HEALTHCARE INFRASTRUCTURE

911: SHRI MUKUL BALKRISHNA WASNIK:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that the National Health Policy, (NHP) 2017 recommends Central and State Governments combined expenditure on health to be 2.5 per cent of GDP;
- (b) if so, the details of expenditure on health since 2017, year-wise and State-wise;
- (c) whether the NHP, 2017 envisages a bed capacity of two beds per 1,000 persons;
- (d) if so, the status in this regard, State-wise; and
- (e) the population coverage norms provided by Indian Public Health Standards for each level of primary health care and the current status at the national level and in each of the States and Union Territories?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY
WELFARE
(SHRIMATI ANUPRIYA PATEL)**

(a) & (b) As per the National Health Policy 2017, public investment on health is envisioned to reach 2.5% of GDP by 2025. As per the available National Health Accounts Estimates for India, the Government Health Expenditure (GHE) since 2017-2018 are given below:

Year	Government Health Expenditure (GHE) (Rs.in crore)
2017-18	2,31,104
2018-19	2,42,219
2019-20	2,71,544
2020-21	3,16,554
2021-22	4,34,163

The available State-wise Government Health Expenditure since 2017-18 is placed at **Annexure-I**.

(c) & (d) : Yes Sir. National Health Policy 2017 recommends the availability of 2 beds per 1000 population. As per available data, Health Dynamics of India (Infrastructure & Human Resources) 2022-23, the number of 8,18,661 beds at PHC, CHC, SDH, DH & Medical Colleges in India (Rural + Urban) are available as on 31.03.2023. The State-wise details are placed at **Annexure-II**. Further, Central Government has also provided substantial support for strengthening of Healthcare infrastructure including beds under National Health Mission, India Covid-19 Emergency Response and Health Systems Preparedness Package-II, Pradhan Mantri Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission & Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana. Under AYUSH system of medicine, beds are also available in the country.

(e) : As per Indian Public Health Services (IPHS) norms, Primary Health Centre (PHC) with 6 indoor/ observation beds is to be established to cover 20,000 to 30,000 population, Community Health Centres (CHC) with 30 beds to cover population of 80,000-1,20,000, Sub-District Hospitals with 31-100 beds to cover population of 1,00,000 - 5,00,000 and District Hospital with 101-500 beds to cover population upto 30,00,000.

Annexure referred in reply to parts (a) and (b) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 911 for answer on 03.12.2024.

ANNEXURE: I

As per the available National Health Accounts Estimates for India, The State-wise Government Health Expenditure since 2017-18 is as under:-

S.No	State	Government Health Expenditure (GHE) (Rs. in crore)				
		2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
1	Assam	4733	4849	5798	6514	9634
2	Arunachal Pradesh	945	1132	1018	1237	1565
3	Andhra Pradesh	7182	8194	9005	11393	16582
4	Bihar	6561	8090	8477	10428	16374
5	Chhattisgarh	4244	4155	5190	6333	8819
6	Delhi	6839	8002	8451	8886	14576
7	Goa	971	1011	1148	1316	1659
8	Gujarat	10064	11910	12843	13460	19385
9	Haryana	3997	4884	6107	7110	9710
10	Himachal Pradesh	2224	2523	2680	2909	3907
11	Jammu and Kashmir	2183	2023	2020	4120	6071
12	Jharkhand	2963	3717	3853	4460	9056
13	Karnataka	9594	10926	10920	14563	21837
14	Kerala	7951	8676	9066	10533	15618
15	Madhya Pradesh	7941	8458	10364	10576	17708
16	Maharashtra	16406	17934	20606	26754	35895
17	Manipur	602	513	690	1245	1698
18	Meghalaya	1483	1136	940	1658	2307
19	Mizoram	677	733	720	714	957
20	Nagaland	615	636	683	737	1098
21	Odisha	5312	6043	6723	9165	14108
22	Puducherry	525	616	754	1461	1786
23	Punjab	3258	4082	4624	5128	6900
24	Rajasthan	10407	13061	12963	14826	22041
25	Sikkim	466	415	436	658	780
26	Tamil Nadu	12155	15365	15494	22696	26257
27	Tripura	797	952	934	919	1389
28	Uttar Pradesh	17773	19418	21688	23109	34720
29	Uttarakhand	1788	2302	2500	2883	4341
30	West Bengal	10442	11729	13191	15688	24051
31	Telangana	6281	6242	8374	9742	11427

Annexure referred in reply to parts (c) and (d) of Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 911 for answer on 03.12.2024.

ANNEXURE-II

NUMBER OF BEDS AT PHC, CHC, SDH, DH & MEDICAL COLLEGES IN INDIA (Rural + Urban)							
S.No.	State/UT	(As on 31st March 2023)					Total No. of Beds
		PHC	CHC	SUB DISTRICT/ SUB DIVISIONAL HOSPITAL	DISTRICT HOSPITAL	MEDICAL COLLEGE	
1	Andhra Pradesh	8712	6400	5400	2600	12583	35695
2	Arunachal Pradesh	397	594	N App	1151	350	2492
3	Assam	3166	6218	844	3677	9343	23248
4	Bihar	5596	8039	2459	4575	7251	27920
5	Chhattisgarh	5015	6726	629	3542	4458	20370
6	Goa	183	210	253	600	1342	2588
7	Gujarat	9422	11167	4492	3257	17899	46237
8	Haryana	2183	3079	1581	3647	3660	14150
9	Himachal Pradesh	1005	969	3665	1924	2632	10195
10	Jharkhand	1229	3647	534	3215	2900	11525
11	Karnataka	15112	6500	14530	6174	13712	56028
12	Kerala	5727	6371	8347	15113	7175	42733
13	Madhya Pradesh	8640	10590	9721	16650	5850	51451
14	Maharashtra	18276	15004	7903	4108	16998	45291
15	Manipur	420	365	10	551	1449	2795
16	Meghalaya	1127	867	40	1960	594	4588
17	Mizoram	655	240	70	903	500	2368
18	Nagaland	706	325	N App	1017	N App	2048
19	Odisha	1501	6290	1946	7288	9291	26316
20	Punjab	1688	3711	2509	3931	3160	14999
21	Rajasthan	13866	23820	2500	9474	17131	66791
22	Sikkim	257	28	N App	400	N App	685
23	Tamil Nadu	10025	12582	21978	7695	29888	82168
24	Telangana	4662	3320	5400	2270	5960	21612
25	Tripura	918	630	900	1260	727	4435
26	Uttarakhand	2111	1699	2035	1511	1850	9206
27	Uttar Pradesh	13548	26157	N App	22812	14726	77243

28	West Bengal	7640	11205	13110	7599	25086	64640
29	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	230	210	N App	220	700	1360
30	Chandigarh	23	120	100	527	3096	3866
31	Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu	177	132	100	240	589	1238
32	Delhi	12	N App	431	9789	12060	22292
33	Jammu & Kashmir	3955	2769	N App	1862	5420	14006
34	Ladakh	320	190	N App	370	N App	880
35	Lakshadweep	40	90	70	50	N App	250
36	Puducherry	185	120	N App	1853	2794	4952
	All India/Total	148729	180384	111557	153815	224176	818661

Note: N App - Not Applicable

Source: As per Health Dynamics of India (Infrastructure & Human Resources) 2022-23