

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

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2052#
TO BE ANSWERED ON 18.03.2025**

LEPROSY PATIENTS IN DIFFERENT STATES

2052 # DR. RADHA MOHAN DAS AGRAWAL:

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

the details of the number of leprosy patients in different States across the country and the arrangements made for their residence?

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

National Leprosy Eradication Programme (NLEP) is a centrally sponsored scheme under umbrella of National Health Mission (NHM). NLEP focuses its activity on providing medical services like diagnosis, treatment, management of complications. The state-wise details of the leprosy cases detected across the country during Financial Year 2023-24 is at **annexure**.

Annexure

**Annexure referred to in reply to Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2052 for
answer on 18.03.2025**

The state -wise details of the leprosy cases detected across the country during Financial Year 2023-24

S. No.	State	Cases
1	Andhra Pradesh	4116
2	Arunachal Pradesh	33
3	Assam	988
4	Bihar	13049
5	Chhattisgarh	7855
6	Goa	70
7	Gujarat	4381
8	Haryana	452
9	Himachal Pradesh	131
10	Jharkhand	8492
11	Jammu & Kashmir	64
12	Karnataka	2635
13	Kerala	407
14	Madhya Pradesh	8336
15	Maharashtra	20001
16	Manipur	72
17	Meghalaya	5
18	Mizoram	4
19	Nagaland	31
20	Odisha	8396
21	Punjab	481
22	Rajasthan	1244
23	Sikkim	21
24	Tamil Nadu	3093
25	Telangana	2478
26	Tripura	12
27	Uttar Pradesh	13478
28	Uttara khand	280
29	West Bengal	5562
30	A & N Island	5
31	Chandigarh	174
32	DNH & DD	90
33	Delhi	1383
34	Lakshadweep	3
35	Ladakh	11
36	Puducherry	18

Source: Central Leprosy Division, DGHS, MoHFW.
