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

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3479 TO BE ANSWERED ON 01st APRIL, 2025

FUNDS TO DR. SHANKAR RAO CHAVAN HOSPITAL, NANDED

3479. SHRI ASHOKRAO SHANKARRAO CHAVAN:

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

- (a) whether Dr. Shankar Rao Chavan Government Medical College and Hospital in Nanded, Maharashtra caters the medical needs of not only the nearby districts of Maharashtra but also other States;
- (b) if so, whether despite having huge infrastructure and space, the hospital lacks Super Speciality facilities, Critical Care Unit, Maternal and Child Care Wing and Trauma Care Centre;
- (c) if so, whether Union Government proposes to infuse the said facilities in the Dr. Shankar Rao Chavan hospital; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the funds sanctioned/likely to be sanctioned for the said purpose and the time by which it is likely to be done?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): Dr. Shankar Rao Chavan Government Medical College in Nanded, Maharashtra is a State funded medical college. The operation & management of the college comes under the purview of the State Government of Maharashtra. As informed by the State Government, the college caters to the medical needs of Maharashtra and other States also. As per information available on National Medical Commission's website, the current intake capacity of college is 150 MBBS seats and 107 PG seats in 20 disciplines. The college has expert doctors of all broad specialties and some Super-specialities.

Further, under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) for Strengthening/Upgradation of existing State Government/ Central Government medical colleges to increase the number of PG seats, financial support has been provided to the college for increase of 62 PG seats at a total approved cost of Rs. 44.6 Crores. Entire Central Share of Rs.30.1 Crores has been released.
