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

RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 894 TO BE ANSWERED ON 11TH FEBRUARY, 2025

AYUSHMAN VAY VANDANA CARD UNDER AB-PMJAY

894. SHRI NARAYANA KORAGAPPA:

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

- (a) the number of enrollment as on date for Ayushman Vay Vandana Card under Ayushman Bharat Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB-PMJAY), State-wise and in Karnataka, district-wise;
- (b) the details of the States which have implemented Ayushman Vay Vandana Scheme;
- (c) whether it is fact a that, Ayushman Vay Vandana Scheme is not implemented in Karnataka; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV)

- (a): As on 06.02.2024, more than 47.2 lakh eligible senior citizens have enrolled for Ayushman Vay Vandana cards. State/UT-wise details of number of Ayushman Vay Vandana cards enrollment are at **Annexure-I**. District-wise details of number of Ayushman Vay Vandana cards enrollment in Karnataka are at **Annexure-II**.
- (b): On 29.10.2024, the Government of India expanded Ayushman Bharat Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB-PMJAY) to provide free treatment benefits of up to Rs. 5 lakh per year to all senior citizens aged 70 years and above, irrespective of their socio-economic status through Ayushman Vay Vandana card. All States/UTs across the country have on-boarded the scheme except for West Bengal and NCT of Delhi.
- (c): The Government of India has issued directions to all AB-PMJAY implementing States/UTs, including Karnataka, for the implementation of Ayushman Vay Vandana. As on 06.02.2025, more than 1.39 lakh Ayushman Vay Vandana card beneficiaries have been enrolled under the scheme.
- (d): In view of (c) above, the question does not arise.

State/UT-wise details of number of Ayushman Vay Vandana cards

State/UT	No. of Ayushman Vay Vandana cards
Andaman And Nicobar Islands	3,079
Andhra Pradesh	56,118
Arunachal Pradesh	119
Assam	12,130
Bihar	1,86,196
Chandigarh	8,020
Chhattisgarh	2,49,221
Goa	4,760
Gujarat	4,08,369
Haryana	1,10,828
Himachal Pradesh	36,609
Jammu And Kashmir	67,112
Jharkhand	23,028
Karnataka	1,39,949
Kerala	6,07,083
Ladakh	116
Lakshadweep	43
Madhya Pradesh	13,57,998
Maharashtra	1,69,577
Manipur	8,348
Meghalaya	100
Mizoram	725
Nagaland	224
Puducherry	8,031
Punjab	79,139
Rajasthan	2,10,338
Sikkim	2,316
Tamil Nadu	1,27,369
Telangana	15,905
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Diu	1,400
Tripura	16,649
Uttar Pradesh	8,02,564
Uttarakhand	9,411

Annexure-II

<u>District-wise details of number of Ayushman Vay Vandana cards in Karnataka</u>

District	No. of Ayushman Vay Vandana cards
Bagalkote	874
Ballari	1,112
Belagavi	3,739
Bengaluru Rural	1,592
Bengaluru Urban	59,864
Bidar	696
Chamarajanagara	671
Chikkaballapura	843
Chikkamagaluru	1,575
Chitradurga	1,401
Dakshina Kannada	11,383
Davangere	2,478
Dharwad	5,080
Gadag	703
Hassan	2,374
Haveri	825
Kalaburagi	930
Kodagu	1,546
Kolar	1,231
Koppal	326
Mandya	1,635
Mysuru	11,845
Raichur	578
Ramanagara	976
Shivamogga	5,250
Tumakuru	2,251
Udupi	12,910
Uttara Kannada	3,572
Vijayanagar	594
Vijayapura	1,017
Yadgir	78
