

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

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 290
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22.07.2025**

SURGE IN RESPIRATORY ILLNESSES IN PUNE

290 DR. MEDHA VISHRAM KULKARNI:

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

- (a) whether Pune and Gujarat state particularly Ahmedabad city is seeing a surge in cold, cough, fever and corona-like symptoms due to climate change;
- (b) if so, the details of patients affected and hospital admissions;
- (c) whether alerts or advisories have been issued for the elderly, children and immunocompromised; and
- (d) what additional public health measures are planned ahead of monsoon 2025?

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

(a) & (b): Details of Influenza Like Illness (ILI) and Severe Acute Respiratory Illness (SARI) month wise in Pune and Ahmedabad during 2025 is annexed. Health effects of Climate Change are synergistic manifestations of factors, which include food habits, occupational habits, socioeconomic status, medical history, immunity, heredity etc. of the individuals.

(c) & (d) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHFW) has issued public health guidelines for respiratory diseases and advisories in view of monsoon, which can be accessed at the following links:

- https://ncdc.mohfw.gov.in/wp-content/uploads/2025/07/DO-to-CSs-of-States-and-Advisors-to-Administrators-of-UTs-dt-29-May-2025_CC-to-Pr-Secy-H-and-MD-NH M.pdf
- <https://ncdc.mohfw.gov.in/wp-content/uploads/2025/07/Advisory-Leptospirosis-DGHS-DO-letter-May2025.pdf>

ANNEXURE**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) & (b) OF THE RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 290 FOR 22.07.2025 REGARDING SURGE IN RESPIRATORY ILLNESSES IN PUNE**

Presumptive form data under IDSP-IHIP portal on Influenza Like Illness (ILI) and Severe Acute Respiratory Illness (SARI) reported in year 2025 are as under:

Year 2025		Pune (Maharashtra)		Ahmedabad (Gujrat)	
Sl.no	Months	ILI	SARI	ILI	SARI
1	Jan	14632	107	15576	22
2	Feb	11838	159	14825	26
3	Mar	10272	127	15519	38
4	April	7534	106	14287	72
5	May	7531	72	14289	56
6	June	7417	81	13196	127
7	July*	3770	36	6995	63
*Till 15 th July, 2025. Data retrieved from IDSP-IHIP Portal as on 15 th July, 2025 at 4.00 PM.					