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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE

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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3011
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19TH AUGUST, 2025

STATUS OF CGHS WELLNESS CENTRES IN KARNATAKA

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

(a) the details of criteria fixed for selection of cities under CGHS wellness centres;
(b) the details of CGHS wellness centres located in Karnataka;
(c) the total number of sanctioned posts of doctors and paramedical staff in these CGHS wellness centres of Karnataka and number of vacant posts, CGHS wellness centres-wise;
(d) whether any action has been taken for filling up these vacant posts of doctors and allied and healthcare staffs and if so, the details thereof; and
(e) whether Government proposes to establish wellness centers in other cities of Karnataka, namely Mangalore, Hubli and Gulbarga and if so, the details thereof?

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

(a) to (e) The extant norms for opening of a new CGHS Wellness Centre, inter-alia, include minimum 2500 principal CGHS Cardholders or 6000 CGHS beneficiaries subject to availability of resources, suitable accommodations, creation of posts of Medical Officers, Pharmacists, Staff Nurse, Clerical Staff etc. The sanction of posts and allocation of funds for opening of these Wellness Centres is under the ambit of Department of Expenditure, Ministry of Finance.

At present, there are **15 CGHS Wellness Centres**, including **4 AYUSH Centres**, functioning in Karnataka. In addition, **01 CGHS Polyclinic** is also functioning in Bengaluru, Karnataka.

The details regarding total number of sanctioned posts of doctors and paramedical staff in these CGHS Wellness Centres of Karnataka along with number of vacant posts, CGHS Wellness Centre-wise, are at **Annexure**.

Filling up posts of Doctors and Paramedical staff is a continuous process. To fill up these vacant posts of Doctors and Paramedical Staff, the requisitions are sent to **UPSC** and **SSC** respectively. Based on the recommendation from UPSC and SSC, they are posted against

vacant posts. Some retired Government specialist doctors are appointed on contractual basis to bridge the shortfall of Specialists.

This Ministry has approved opening of 22 new CGHS Wellness Centres across the country including Mangaluru, Udupi and Shivamogga in Karnataka state. Further, the sanction of posts and allocation of funds for these WCs are under the purview of the Department of Expenditure.

ANNEXURE

Wellness Centre-wise (including Polyclinic and Addl. Director office) Details of CGHS Staff posted in Karnataka state.

S. No.	District	WC Name	Name of Post	Filled	Vacant
1.	BANGALORE	WC No.01 Shivajinagar	GDMO	5	-
			Ayush Doctors	3	-
			Ayush Pharmacists	3	-
			Nursing Officer	1	-
			Pharmacist	3	-
			MTS/MA/LMA	3	1
2.		WC No.02 Sheshadripuram	GDMO	4	-
			Nursing Officer	1	-
			Pharmacist	2	1
			MTS/MA/LMA	3	1
3.		WC No.03 Banashankari	GDMO	3	-
			Ayush Doctors	2	-
			Ayush Pharmacists	1	1
			Nursing Officer	1	-
			Pharmacist	3	-
			MTS/MA/LMA	4	1
4.		WC No.04 HBR Layout	GDMO	3	-
			Nursing Officer	1	-
			Pharmacist	3	-
			MTS/MA/LMA	3	1
5.		WC No.05 Vijaynagar	GDMO	4	-
			Nursing Officer	1	-
			Pharmacist	3	-
			MTS/MA/LMA	3	1
			MLT	1	-
6.		WC No.06 Jayanagar	GDMO	4	-
			Nursing Officer	1	-
			Pharmacist	3	-
			MTS/MA/LMA	3	1
7.		WC No.07 Koramangala	GDMO	4	-
			Nursing Officer	1	-
			Pharmacist	3	-
			MTS/MA/LMA	3	1
8.		WC No.08 Domlur	GDMO	3	-
			Ayush Doctors	2	-
			Ayush Pharmacists	1	1
			Nursing Officer	1	-
			Pharmacist	3	-
			MTS/MA/LMA	4	2
			MLT	2	-
9.		WC No.09 Ganganagar	GDMO	4	-
			Nursing Officer	1	-
			Pharmacist	3	-
			MTS/MA/LMA	3	1
10.		WC No.10 CV Ramannagar	GDMO	6	-
			Nursing Officer	0	1

			Pharmacist	3	1
			MTS/MA/LMA	3	1
11.		Polyclinic Shivajinagar	Specialists	3	-
			Nursing Officer	1	-
			Dental Surgeon	1	-
			Dental Technician	1	-
			MLT/Technician	2	2
			MTS/MA/LMA	3	1
12.		Office Koramangala	GDMO	4	-
			Pharmacists	3	-
			AO/Accountant	0	2
			Hindi Translator	1	-
			Office Supdt	1	1
			SHAA/JHAA/Steno	17	12
			MTS/MA/LMA	7	7
13.	MYSORE	CGHS WC Mysuru	GDMO	1	-
			Nursing Officer	1	-
			Pharmacist	1	-
			JHAA	1	-
			MTS/MA/LMA	0	-

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