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UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1074
TO BE ANSWERED ON 9TH DECEMBER, 2025**

OPERATIONALISATION OF AAMs IN THE COUNTRY

1074. SHRI DHANANJAY BHIMRAO MAHADIK:

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

- (a) the total number of Ayushman Arogya Mandirs (AAMs) operationalized across the country, including Maharashtra;
- (b) the number of functional AAMs in Maharashtra and their district-wise distribution;
- (c) the key services being provided, such as diagnostics, NCD screening and teleconsultation;
- (d) whether specific targets were set for Maharashtra and the extent of achievement;
- (e) the details of funds allocated, released and utilized during the last three years;
- (f) the adequacy of human resources, medicines and equipment; and
- (g) whether any impact assessment has been conducted and if so, its findings thereof?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY
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(a) to (g): As reported by States/UTs on AAM portal, a total of 1,80,906 Ayushman Arogya Mandirs (AAMs) [erstwhile Ayushman Bharat Health and Wellness Centres (AB-HWCs)] have been operationalized by strengthening Sub Health Centres (SHCs) and Primary Health Centres (PHCs) in India, including 12,705 AAMs in Maharashtra, till 31.10.2025. The district-wise total number of AAMs operationalized in Maharashtra is enclosed as Annexure.

The AAMs incrementally provide 12 package of primary health care services encompassing Reproductive and child care services, Communicable diseases, Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs), Palliative Care and Elderly Care, Care for common mental disorders, neurological conditions (epilepsy, dementia) and substance use disorders management (tobacco, alcohol, drugs), oral health, ENT care, and basic emergency care. To complement the expanded services, the essential list of drugs & diagnostics has been expanded to make available 172 drugs & 63 diagnostics at PHC-AAMs and 106 drugs & 14 diagnostics at SHC-AAMs.

Screening services for five common NCDs i.e. Hypertension, Diabetes, Oral Cancer, Breast Cancer and Cervical Cancer are provided at AAMs. As per National Programme for Prevention and Control of Non-Communicable Diseases (NP-NCD) portal, 38.79 crore screenings for hypertension, 36.05 crore screenings for diabetes, 31.88 crore screenings for

oral cancer, 14.98 crore screenings for breast cancer and 8.15 crore screenings for cervical cancer have been conducted at SHCs & PHCs in rural & urban areas including AAMs till 31.10.2025.

The teleconsultation services, available at all operational AAMs across the country, enables people to access the specialist services closer to their homes addressing concerns of physical accessibility, shortage of service providers and to facilitate continuum of care. Total teleconsultations conducted at AAM are 41.14 crore as on 31.10.2025.

Details of State Program Implementation Plan (SPIP) approvals and expenditure for AAMs across the country under National Health Mission (NHM) during the last 3 years are as under:

(Rs. in crore)

FY	SPIP Approval	Expenditure
2022-23	4,346.60	2,233.53
2023-24	3,909.67	1,590.70
2024-25	3,051.15	1,211.02

Health Dynamics of India (HDI) (Infrastructure & Human Resources), is an annual publication, based on healthcare administrative data reported by States/UTs. Details of human resource and infrastructure facilities available in SHCs & PHCs including AAMs in the country, State/UT-wise, may be seen at the following link of HDI 2022-23:

https://mohfw.gov.in/sites/default/files/Health%20Dynamics%20of%20India%20%28Infrastructure%20%26%20Human%20Resources%29%202022-23_RE%20%281%29.pdf

Development Monitoring and Evaluation Office (DMEO), NITI Aayog has commissioned evaluation of AAM programme in July 2024 assessing its implementation and impact. The study highlights several encouraging outcomes, including significant improvements in infrastructure and increased community footfall because of wider access to Comprehensive Primary Health Care services—especially for NCD management, general Out-Patient Department (OPD) care, free medicines and diagnostics. The introduction of Community Health Officers has strengthened frontline service delivery and digital tools such as e-Sanjeevani have expanded access to specialist care. However, further strengthening is recommended with respect to HR availability and skill-based training, consistent availability of medicines & diagnostics, digital interoperability and data-driven planning, interdepartmental convergence and intensified community engagement to boost awareness and utilization of the full-service packages.

Under NHM, the performance of various health programmes is also regularly monitored in all the States/UTs, through review meetings, mid-term reviews of key deliverables, field visits of senior officials, promoting performance by setting up benchmarks for service delivery & rewarding achievements etc. Also, Common Review Missions (CRM) are conducted annually to assess and monitor the progress and implementation status under the scheme.

Annexure

District-wise, number of AAMs operationalized in Maharashtra, as on 31.10.2025:

S.No.	DISTRICT	Total no. of operational AAMs
1	Kolhapur	520
2	Palghar	371
3	Sangli	436
4	Ratnagiri	384
5	Sindhudurg	251
6	Wardha	222
7	Washim	146
8	Amravati	401
9	Nagpur	448
10	Bhandara	218
11	Jalgaon	513
12	Nandurbar	296
13	Dhule	261
14	Buldana	313
15	Akola	222
16	Jalna	248
17	Nanded	435
18	Hingoli	160
19	Parbhani	258
20	Aurangabad	358
21	Nashik	688
22	Chandrapur	375
23	Gondiya	284
24	Gadchiroli	374
25	Yavatmal	470
26	Osmanabad	247
27	Beed	333
28	Latur	283
29	Solapur	469
30	Satara	435
31	Raigarh	313
32	Thane	296
33	Mumbai (Suburban)	179
34	Mumbai	55
35	Pune	802
36	Ahmadnagar	641
	Total	12,705
