

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

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3619
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24.03.2026**

BUDGET ALLOCATION FOR HEALTH IN YEARS

3619 SHRI JAVED ALI KHAN:

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

- (a) the details of the total Union budget allocation for the health in Union Budget 2024-25, 2025-26 and 2026-27, year-wise;
- (b) the details of actual utilisation of allocated budget for the health in comparison to total Union budget estimates during 2024-25, 2025-26 and 2026-27 till date, year-wise;
- (c) the percentage of Gross Domestic Product (GDP) allocated to the health at budget estimate stage and actually utilised during 2024-25, 2025-26 and 2026-27 till date, year-wise; and
- (d) the details of budget allocation for health in G-8 and SAARC countries during the last three years, year-wise and country-wise?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): The details of total budget allocation for health, actual utilisation of allocated budget for the health in comparison to the total union budget estimates and the percentage of Gross Domestic Product (GDP) allocated to the health at the budget estimate stage and actually utilised during 2024-25, 2025-26 and 2026-27 are given as under:

Ministry of Health & Family Welfare

(Rs. in crore)

Year	Total Union Budget Estimates*	Total GDP of India at current prices	BE Allocation (MoHFW)\$	Actual Expenditure (MoHFW)\$	% of BE Allocation w.r.t GDP	% of Actual Expenditure w.r.t GDP
2024-25	4820512.00	33068145^	90958.63	90684.10	0.28	0.27
2025-26	5065345.00	35713886^	99858.56	85492.76@	0.28	0.24
2026-27	5347315.00	39300393*	106530.42	0	0.27	0.00

* As per Budget at a glance, Document of Ministry of Finance.

URL: <https://www.indiabudget.gov.in/>

^ As per e-Sankhyiki Portal

\$ As per Statement of Budget Estimates

@ Actual Expenditure till 13.03.2026

GDP Estimates with Base Year 2011-12, Source: GDP from Ministry of Statistics and Programme Implementation (MoSPI),

URL i.e. <https://esankhyiki.mospi.gov.in/macroindicators?product=nas>

Total GDP for 2024-25 as per Final Revised Estimates (FRE), Total GDP for 2025-26 Second Advance Estimates (SAE).

(d): As per the latest available National Health Accounts (NHA) 2021-22 estimates and WHO's Global Health Expenditure Database, the Government Health Expenditure (GHE)/ Domestic General Government Health Expenditure (GGHED) as a share of GDP for India, G8 and SAARC countries for 2021 are provided below:

GHE/GGHED in USD Millions

Country Group/Countries	2019	2020	2021
G8			
Canada	1,33,964	1,59,200	1,82,049
France	2,26,834	2,45,130	2,74,412
Germany	3,52,064	3,89,022	4,40,151
Italy	1,27,441	1,38,335	1,50,740
Japan	4,71,410	4,94,175	5,25,161
Russian Federation	58,287	87,764	89,449
United Kingdom	2,26,882	2,74,518	3,18,096
United States of America	18,51,767	22,50,817	22,78,628
SAARC			
Afghanistan	94	239	108
Bangladesh	1,262	1,329	1,610
Bhutan	65	81	61
Maldives	337	340	309
Nepal	378	514	651
Pakistan	2,754	3,054	3,810
Sri Lanka	1,544	1,818	2,003
India	38,560	42,720	58,736

Notes: GGHED values for G8 and SAARC countries in USD Millions are taken from GHED. For India, GHE values are taken from NHA reports and converted to USD Millions using the exchange rate provided in GHED.
