

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

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 444
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.02.2026**

STRENGTHENING RURAL HEALTHCARE SYSTEM IN THE COUNTRY

444. SHRI NEERAJ SHEKHAR:

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

- (a) whether Government has taken various steps to strengthen the rural healthcare system in the country during the last five years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the details of funds allocated and utilized for strengthening rural healthcare in the country during the last three years and the current year, till date, year-wise and schemewise?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b): Under the National Health Mission (NHM), the Government of India supports States/UTs to strengthen public health infrastructure and service delivery in rural areas. States/UTs submit their proposals through the annual Programme Implementation Plan (PIP), and based on the available resource envelope (RE), the Government of India grants approvals in the Record of Proceedings (ROP) as per the link provided below:

<https://nhm.gov.in/index1.php?lang=1&level=1&sublinkid=1377&lid=744>

Further, under **Pradhan Mantri Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission (PM-ABHIM)**, support is being provided to States/UTs for the development of Ayushman Arogya Mandirs (SHC), Urban Ayushman Arogya Mandirs (U-AAM), Block Public Health Units (BPHUs), Integrated Public Health Laboratories (IPHLs) and Critical Care Blocks (CCBs).

Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojna (PMSSY): It aims at correcting regional imbalances in the availability of affordable tertiary healthcare services and to augment facilities for quality medical education in the country. The scheme has two components, namely, (i) Setting up of All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS); and (ii) Up-gradation of existing Government Medical Colleges/Institutions (GMCIIs).

Under Centrally Sponsored Scheme for '**Establishment of new Medical Colleges attached with existing district/referral hospitals**', a total of 157 Medical Colleges have been approved in the country.

(c): The details of Funds released and Expenditure under NHM and PM- ABHIM for strengthening rural healthcare in the country during the last four years starting from FY 2021-22 to FY 2024-25 is attached at **Annexure-I & Annexure-II** respectively.

Annexure-I**State/UT-wise Central Release & Expenditure under National Health Mission for the
FY 2021-22 to FY 2024-25**

(Rs. in Cr.)

S. N o.	Name of the State/UT	2021-22		2022-23		2023-24		2024-25	
		Central Release	Expenditure						
1	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	43.68	31.20	45.26	42.28	37.84	40.71	49.99	44.41
2	Andhra Pradesh	1,199.37	2,448.67	1,489.45	1,914.34	1,096.01	2,833.44	1,319.61	2,439.82
3	Arunachal Pradesh	188.53	248.51	233.82	424.78	404.55	399.44	388.86	472.93
4	Assam	1,955.93	2,194.36	1,981.83	2,307.00	2,257.06	2,626.87	2,076.25	2,607.54
5	Bihar	1,748.76	1,905.35	1,586.57	3,717.81	2,032.95	4,010.97	2,367.18	4,466.31
6	Chandigarh	17.47	26.86	38.09	26.98	30.58	31.85	43.43	37.29
7	Chattisgarh	969.61	1,833.45	1,195.08	2,152.45	875.80	1,743.79	969.11	1,784.09
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu	38.59	45.02	58.28	41.61	39.92	41.96	40.96	40.47
9	Delhi	127.37	237.79	35.15	298.11	150.54	338.41	240.39	365.44
10	Goa	26.01	60.56	55.42	84.64	48.97	84.53	55.06	95.17
11	Gujarat	1,094.48	1,835.81	1,120.06	2,292.35	1,506.96	4,040.00	1,324.86	3,198.15
12	Haryana	577.07	879.91	681.21	1,185.43	524.01	1,221.41	562.49	1,127.06
13	Himachal Pradesh	555.09	525.09	494.65	567.83	470.36	629.76	523.70	654.52
14	Jammu & Kashmir	459.10	779.61	651.52	917.02	805.22	956.95	1,040.76	1,110.30
15	Jharkhand	640.18	1,176.55	810.30	1,495.17	958.06	1,992.91	964.31	1,986.59
16	Karnataka	1,274.71	2,200.92	1,246.67	2,376.94	1,187.60	2,741.98	1,295.81	2,478.23
17	Kerala	771.47	1,230.96	1,036.76	1,592.96	189.15	1,246.25	1,351.78	1,422.88
18	Ladakh	44.79	62.81	94.95	109.67	120.44	119.67	135.98	150.50
19	Lakshadweep	8.41	7.26	9.97	9.29	3.79	7.10	9.68	10.00
20	Madhya Pradesh	2,295.66	3,714.92	2,582.10	4,489.15	2,545.68	5,202.61	2,430.91	5,225.77
21	Maharashtra	1,769.67	4,227.31	2,187.13	4,501.75	2,729.30	5,001.70	2,417.95	4,364.86
22	Manipur	95.59	154.09	61.40	214.69	169.12	159.32	279.16	295.79
23	Meghalaya	282.46	227.08	261.56	319.08	261.39	305.83	297.95	393.01
24	Mizoram	93.82	153.16	111.82	135.33	134.42	179.84	159.96	174.67
25	Nagaland	126.66	192.16	91.38	161.93	184.84	196.69	204.47	243.60
26	Odisha	1,263.07	2,587.72	1,284.69	3,402.50	1,901.77	3,356.68	1,916.79	3,585.01

27	Puducherry	21.33	46.36	20.73	48.51	30.80	45.74	26.27	49.27
28	Punjab	349.21	918.96	448.89	1,054.39	91.49	1,428.94	878.21	1,027.72
29	Rajasthan	1,924.95	3,230.01	1,460.80	3,726.21	2,785.46	4,350.63	2,398.62	4,772.33
30	Sikkim	51.86	46.06	73.30	88.69	68.17	75.77	81.67	89.59
31	Tamil Nadu	1,631.91	3,039.39	1,652.24	3,191.84	1,996.06	3,104.16	1,742.67	3,461.74
32	Telangana	725.67	1,556.65	683.77	2,062.93	564.93	1,288.75	1,110.43	1,872.42
33	Tripura	217.95	237.24	231.90	287.20	264.31	309.62	268.67	279.35
34	Uttar Pradesh	3,235.46	6,210.20	5,133.59	8,828.29	4,928.14	10,572.60	5,853.43	10,377.16
35	Uttarakhand	553.47	606.07	505.01	647.13	711.33	709.79	604.05	760.15
36	West Bengal	1,654.26	2,229.46	1,252.32	3,509.86	890.42	3,641.98	688.44	3,583.07

Note:

1. Expenditure includes expenditure against Central Release, State release & unspent balances at the beginning of the year. Expenditure is as per FMRs submitted by States/UTs and is provisional.
2. The above releases relate to Central Govt. Grants & do not include State share contribution.

Annexure-II**State/UT-wise Central Releases and Expenditure under Pradhan Mantri Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission from 2021-22 to FY 2024-25****Rs. In Crore**

S. N o.	Name of the State/UT	2021-22		2022-23		2023-24		2024-25	
		Cent ral Release	Expendi ture						
1	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	0.00	0.00	1.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.05	1.57
2	Andhra Pradesh	3.75	0.00	15.76	6.25	35.78	28.85	39.07	65.16
3	Arunachal Pradesh	0.56	0.00	0.10	0.00	8.83	2.25	1.05	2.44
4	Assam	57.90	0.00	2.26	1.16	91.45	68.45	159.61	177.34
5	Bihar	125.86	0.00	7.17	0.00	0.00	50.69	15.92	185.61
6	Chandigarh	0.00	0.00	4.79	1.73	10.38	5.83	5.13	6.34
7	Chattisgarh	11.25	0.00	1.34	11.01	32.23	19.64	18.63	31.05
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu	0.00	0.00	0.24	0.00	0.28	0.21	0.53	0.51
9	Delhi	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
10	Goa	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.00	3.75	0.00	0.10	0.21
11	Gujarat	0.00	0.00	29.54	32.24	46.04	56.13	79.38	146.63
12	Haryana	11.06	0.00	1.31	0.00	17.67	16.63	36.00	88.63
13	Himachal Pradesh	0.00	0.00	28.05	9.98	15.69	15.27	44.81	52.92
14	Jammu & Kashmir	16.11	0.00	1.00	0.00	44.01	36.67	60.44	63.71
15	Jharkhand	44.70	0.00	183.04	240.87	102.27	454.05	65.27	289.16
16	Karnataka	11.25	0.00	37.10	18.75	100.57	104.47	118.91	198.19
17	Kerala	3.75	0.00	24.89	4.72	0.00	36.66	24.58	36.15
18	Ladakh	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.62	0.31	0.62	0.62
19	Lakshadweep	0.00	0.00	0.63	0.00	0.00	0.07	0.00	0.51
20	Madhya Pradesh	22.85	0.00	98.70	99.43	228.52	300.93	63.19	295.14
21	Maharashtra	17.45	0.00	4.07	0.00	31.76	34.47	65.48	86.82
22	Manipur	4.56	0.00	10.92	4.56	13.78	16.89	5.74	21.20
23	Meghalaya	9.65	0.00	43.28	8.80	4.42	28.02	10.50	27.34
24	Mizoram	0.28	0.00	1.52	0.27	4.52	1.32	3.82	7.27
25	Nagaland	0.28	0.00	0.08	0.00	4.42	0.60	0.00	1.71
26	Odisha	32.15	0.00	211.46	258.55	171.58	423.43	149.05	248.42
27	Puducherry	0.42	0.00	0.19	0.62	2.67	2.88	2.50	4.28
28	Punjab	0.00	0.00	24.16	0.00	0.00	2.07	8.92	45.33
29	Rajasthan	45.37	0.00	83.59	108.50	173.06	280.43	157.76	262.93

30	Sikkim	0.00	0.00	0.75	0.26	3.88	2.05	1.67	3.74
31	Tamil Nadu	17.45	29.08	150.4 2	183.35	279.3 6	389.37	224.9 9	512.33
32	Telangana	11.25	0.00	53.88	83.75	95.21	141.73	208.8 2	348.04
33	Tripura	0.00	0.00	0.90	0.38	2.48	1.43	2.12	2.94
34	Uttar Pradesh	124.6 3	0.00	173.7 1	254.04	247.9 6	252.69	400.9 5	544.74
35	Uttarakhand	1.56	0.00	32.31	1.60	0.00	16.35	26.89	31.07
36	West Bengal	9.95	0.00	0.00	9.75	30.91	49.78	78.40	92.35

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