

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

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1876
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04.08.2026**

PROGRESS UNDER ABDM IN CHHATTISGARH

1876 # SMT. LAXMI VERMA:

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

- (a) whether the 'Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission' (ABDM) successfully established a robust digital ecosystem for paperless and accessible health services in Chhattishgarh;
- (b) the total number of 'ABHA' (Ayushman Bharat Health Account) health ID cards created in the State so far;
- (c) whether digitally linking patients' health records ensured rapid and transparent treatment in hospitals; and
- (d) the progress of the State's hospitals and healthcare professionals in adopting this digital initiative?

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

(a) to (d): ABDM was launched by the Government of India in September 2021 to support the development of an integrated, citizen-centric national digital health ecosystem. As on 28th July 2026, 2.62 crore ABHAs have been created, and 2.42 crore health records have been linked with ABHA in Chhattisgarh. A total of 6,794 public and 1,092 private health facilities are using ABDM-enabled software in the State. ABDM enables citizens to securely access and share their digital health records with consent through ABHA-enabled Personal Health Record (PHR) applications, supporting continuity of care. The 'Scan & Register' service under ABDM enables paperless OPD registration by sharing demographic details through QR code scanning.
