

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3759  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2017**

**CGHS BENEFICIARIES**

**3759. SHRI RAKESH SINGH:**

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

- (a) whether the number of Central Government Health Scheme (CGHS) beneficiaries is more than 1.25 lakh in Jabalpur and the number of CGHS dispensaries is less in comparison to the number of CGHS beneficiaries;
- (b) if so, whether difficulties are being faced in opening new dispensaries in Jabalpur;
- (c) whether the Government is likely to set up a fully equipped hospital in Jabalpur in view of the large number of CGHS beneficiaries; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND  
FAMILY WELFARE  
(SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE)**

- (a): Number of CGHS beneficiaries in Jabalpur is 83,937 and there are four CGHS wellness centres and one extension counter, which are adequate.
- (b): Question does not arise in view of (a) above.
- (c) & (d): There is no such proposal at the moment.

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