

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1029
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21ST JULY, 2017**

TB CASES

**1029. SHRI V. ELUMALAI:
SHRI ARJUN LAL MEENA:
SHRI RAYAPATI SAMBASIVA RAO:
SHRIMATI K. MARAGATHAM:
SHRI RAM CHARITRA NISHAD:
SHRI DEVJI M. PATEL:
SHRI RAHUL KASWAN:
SHRI KAUSHALENDRA KUMAR:**

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

- (a) whether the number of cases of Tuberculosis (TB) and Multi-Drug Resistant TB (MDRTB) and attributable deaths reported in the country have increased during each of the last three years and the current year, State/ UT-wise;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government for identification, detection and treatment of TB/MDRTB/ XDR-TB cases along with the funds allocated and utilised during the said period, State/UT-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has finalised an aggressive national strategy to end Tuberculosis by 2025 and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether India plans a national strategy with the aim for new breakthrough at ending TB in eleven countries of the region through political and financial commitment and enhanced regional cooperation and if so, the details thereof?

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

(a) As per WHO's Global Tuberculosis Report 2016, the TB epidemic is larger than previously estimated, reflecting new surveillance and survey data from India. However, the number of TB deaths and the TB incidence rate continue to fall globally and in India.

The number of Tuberculosis (TB) and Multi-Drug resistant TB cases reported under the Revised National Tuberculosis Control Programme (RNTCP) are as under;

Year	TB Cases	MDR-TB cases	Deaths
2014	1550356	24073	61888
2015	1607983	26966	63226
2016	1754957	32682	63295
Till June 2017	747311		29457

Over the last 3 years, the increase in detection of Tuberculosis cases has been primarily due to the increase in notification of TB cases from the private sector. Similarly, the detection of MDR-TB cases has been increasing due to availability of more diagnostic facilities for MDR TB and coverage of the entire country through Programmatic Management of Drug Resistant TB under RNTCP.

(b): The RNTCP is being implemented under the aegis of the National Health Mission with the key focus areas as under :

- strengthening and improving quality of basic TB services,
- addressing TB HIV co-infection, other co-morbidities and MDR-TB
- engaging with care providers both in the public and the private sector
- targeted intervention in the vulnerable population and strengthening urban TB control along with active case finding activities
- scaling up of newer molecular diagnostics for TB (CBNAAT), in the health system, for early diagnosis of MDR TB
- leveraging of Information Communication Technology for enhancing TB notification and strengthening of monitoring.

The details of funds allocated and utilized during the said period is placed at Annexure.

(c): Yes, the National Strategic Plan (NSP) for Tuberculosis (2017-2025) has been finalised. In addition to the existing strategies under RNTCP, the NSP addresses requirements for achieving the SDG and End TB targets for India. The focus is on early diagnosis of all the TB patients, prompt treatment with quality assured drugs and treatment regimens along with suitable patient support systems to promote adherence. Emphasis has been on engaging with the patients seeking care in the private sector. This is supplemented by prevention strategies including active case finding and contact tracing in high risk / vulnerable population and airborne infection control.

(d): Yes, the “Ministerial Meeting towards Ending TB in the South East Asia Region by 2030” was held during 15-16th March 2017 in New Delhi, wherein a Call for Action Resolution to End TB was adopted by the Eleven Country Ministers / Vice Ministers. As per the resolution, the signatory Governments are committed to Ending TB through political, financial and regional cooperation.

**Revised National TB Control Programme
State wise Allocation and Utilization (Cash & Kind)**

(Rs. In lakhs)

Sl.No.	Name of the State / UT	2014-15		2015-16		2016-17	
		Allocation	Utilization	Allocation	Utilization	Allocation	Utilization
1	Andhra Pradesh	2861.96	2308.49	2200.34	2002.85	2194.68	2043.35
2	Andaman & Nicobar	87.15	88.34	90.90	110.86	90.90	110.48
3	Arunachal Pradesh	565.36	580.95	552.32	585.22	564.48	644.34
4	Assam	4303.74	1549.79	2527.13	2622.95	2776.33	2897.69
5	Bihar	4094.59	2589.91	2963.81	2757.19	2962.00	2268.8
6	Chandigarh	154.54	140.70	156.14	144.07	156.14	148.01
7	Chattisgarh	1440.6	1540.53	1401.08	1587.32	1398.15	2169.45
8	D & N Haveli	68.05	50.68	72.03	67.59	72.03	62.65
9	Daman & Diu	43.47	21.77	45.98	43.21	45.98	39.28
10	Delhi	1820.02	1350.22	1705.12	1605.19	1018.43	1694.01
11	Goa	116.34	104.74	127.78	105.25	127.61	121.87
12	Gujarat	4857.52	4698.01	3298.04	5056.34	3282.10	5100.79
13	Haryana	1292.26	1419.57	1207.93	1093.27	1204.96	1206.81
14	Himachal Pradesh	581.22	515.31	837.57	834.98	833.82	974.19
15	Jammu & Kashmir	943.43	552.05	1038.26	892.45	1036.78	700.61
16	Jharkhand	1783.56	1583.85	1512.16	1302.31	1511.23	1366.24
17	Karnataka	3195.23	2683.65	3186.19	3591.43	3177.65	4006.63
18	Kerala	1440.91	1253.73	1395.33	1056.88	1393.01	1082.1
19	Lakshadweep	35.39	8.33	37.95	27.31	37.95	24.22
20	Madhya Pradesh	3081.84	3893.81	2880.71	3287.48	2878.14	3089.98
21	Maharashtra	6657.74	9695.28	8085.75	8058.82	8059.40	8143.71
22	Manipur	657.22	398.06	524.57	398.77	548.31	485.79
23	Meghalaya	550.67	457.57	427.62	441.28	453.95	523.35
24	Mizoram	414.39	385.20	392.75	341.42	402.29	452.72
25	Nagaland	596.41	364.14	460.49	445.42	477.38	520.47
26	Orissa	2141.81	1856.30	1991.54	2053.24	1986.79	2524.08
27	Puducherry	183.56	172.27	187.88	163.47	110.57	206.31
28	Punjab	1207.19	1511.48	1273.22	1135.85	1270.01	1028.68
29	Rajasthan	3653.38	3375.79	2792.23	2741.05	2781.23	2842.78
30	Sikkim	242.98	428.77	426.92	442.29	474.88	511.46
31	Tamilnadu	3131.84	3850.35	3367.31	4028.96	3353.00	4191.06
32	Tripura	583.71	172.88	290.20	259.18	300.38	322.72
33	Uttar Pradesh	7631.54	10785.86	7350.90	11610.11	7337.90	13863.35
34	Uttrakhand	661.14	852.15	651.62	930.21	650.44	707.86
35	West Bengal	3834.82	3253.00	3187.70	3513.61	3183.10	4128.96
36	Telangana	2045.38	814.87	1672.53	2462.18	1667.00	2040.75
	Total	66960.96	65308.40	60320.00	67800.01	59819.00	72245.55

Year	Budget Estimate(BE)(in lakhs)	Expenditure (in lakhs)
2017-18(till 17 th July 2017)	1840.00	86.40