

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1867
TO BE ANSWERED ON 29TH DECEMBER, 2017**

SWASTH UTTAR PURVA

1867. SHRI PREM DAS RAI:

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

- (a) whether the Public Health Foundation of India (PHFI) in collaboration with development of North Eastern (NE) Region has launched 'Swasth Uttar Purva' to boost healthcare in NE;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the salient features of the said programme; and
- (c) whether the collaboration has been beneficial in achieving the objectives of the programme and if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY)**

(a) to (c): As reported by Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region, a project for strengthening Human Resource and System Capacity in the North Eastern Region has been sanctioned, which is underway in collaboration with Public Health Foundation of India. Under this project, 20 Primary Care Physician are undergoing Capacity Building, while 31 Medical Officers and 71 in Service Senior Government Officials from the Health & Family Departments of the NER States have been nominated for training so far.

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