

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3146
TO BE ANSWERED ON 5TH JANUARY, 2018**

PHCs/CHCs

**3146. SHRI B.V. NAIK:
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SHRI SIRAJUDDIN AJMAL:**

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

- (a) the number of Primary Health Centres (P HCs)/Community Health Centres (CHCs) running in the country, State/UT-wise including the tribal areas;
- (b) whether the Government is contemplating to release funds for setting up PHCs in the States;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, State/ UT-wise including Maharashtra and Andhra Pradesh;
- (d) the amount of funds proposed to be released under this scheme;
- (e) the number of people visiting PHCs and sub-centres in the rural areas; and
- (f) whether PHCs in the country fulfil the infrastructural requirements as per the Indian public health standards, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

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

(a): As per Rural Health Statistics (RHS) 2017, the number of Primary Health Centres (PHCs)/Community Health Centres (CHCs), functioning in the country, State/UT-wise, including the tribal areas is given at Annexure-I.

(b) to (d): Public Health being a State subject, the primary responsibility to provide health care services to the citizens as per requirements lies with the respective State/UT Governments. However, under National Health Mission (NHM), financial and technical support is extended to States/UTs to strengthen their healthcare system for provision of accessible, affordable and quality health care to all the citizens based on proposals submitted by the States / UTs in their Programme Implementation Plans.

Funds are released to the States/UTs pool-wise and not activity-wise. As such, there is no separate release of funds for setting up of PHCs. The details of funds approved during 2015-16 to 2017-18 for Hospital Strengthening and new construction/renovation and setting up of PHCs and CHCs is given at Annexure-II.

(e): The number of people visiting PHCs and sub-centres in the rural areas during 2016-17, is given at Annexure-III.

(f): As per Rural Health Statistics (RHS) 2017, the number of PHCs functioning as per Indian Public Health Standards (IPHS) norms, States/ UT wise, is given at Annexure-IV. Primary responsibility of bringing up facilities to IPHS norms is that of State/ UT Governments. Under NHM, financial and technical support is extended to States, interalia, for strengthening facilities to IPHS.

The reasons for non- fulfillment of infrastructure requirements as per IPHS norms are shortages of skilled Human Resource and lack of public investment in health care.

NUMBER OF PHCs and CHCs, FUNCTIONING					
S. No.	State/UT	(As on 31st March 2017)			
		PHCs		CHCs	
		Total no. of PHCs functioning in the States	No. of PHCs in tribal areas	Total no. of CHCs functioning in the States	No. of CHCs in tribal areas
1	Andhra Pradesh	1147	155	193	19
2	Arunachal Pradesh #	143	143	63	63
3	Assam	1014	283	158	31
4	Bihar^^	1899	6	150	0
5	Chhattisgarh	785	392	169	80
6	Goa	24	8	4	1
7	Gujarat	1392	406	363	92
8	Haryana *	366	0	112	0
9	Himachal Pradesh	538	43	89	8
10	Jammu & Kashmir	637	48	84	11
11	Jharkhand	297	165	188	104
12	Karnataka	2359	64	206	7
13	Kerala	849	137	232	12
14	Madhya Pradesh	1171	332	309	104
15	Maharashtra	1814	315	360	67
16	Manipur	85	45	17	7
17	Meghalaya #	109	109	27	27
18	Mizoram #	57	57	9	9
19	Nagaland #	126	126	21	21
20	Odisha	1280	425	370	132
21	Punjab *	432	0	151	0
22	Rajasthan	2079	209	579	65
23	Sikkim	24	12	2	0
24	Tamil Nadu	1362	65	385	20
25	Telangana	689	93	114	23
26	Tripura	93	47	21	8
27	Uttarakhand	257	24	60	9
28	Uttar Pradesh	3621	NA	822	NA
29	West Bengal	914	300	349	104
30	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	22	4	4	1
31	Chandigarh *	3	0	2	0
32	Dadra & Nagar Haveli #	9	7	2	0
33	Daman & Diu	4	0	2	0
34	Delhi *	5	0	0	0
35	Lakshadweep # (2)	4	4	3	3
36	Puducherry *	40	0	4	0
	All India	25650	4024	5624	1028

Notes: The requirement is calculated using the prescribed norms on the basis of rural population from Census, 2011. All India shortfall is derived by adding state-wise figures of shortfall ignoring the existing surplus in some of the states.

** : Surplus, * : State/ UT has no separate Tribal Area/ Population;

: States are predominantly tribal areas

(2) The population is less than the norm (CHC) of 80,000.

^^ Data for year 2010 used

NA – Data not available

Statement of Approval accorded for the activity Hospital Strengthening & New Constructions/ Renovation and Setting up (CHCs/PHCs) for the FY 2015-16 to 2017-18

Rs. In lakhs

S.No.	State	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18
		SPIP Approval	SPIP Approval	SPIP Approval
A. High Focus States				
1	Bihar	657.69	3444.06	8063.00
2	Chattisgarh	0.00	1843.41	1046.24
3	Himachal Pradesh	1356.78	424.46	1111.25
4	Jammu & Kashmir	2957.02	1505.05	1189.72
5	Jharkhand	2010.00	1656.00	0.00
6	Madhya Pradesh	5098.01	5248.50	7335.00
7	Orissa	0.00	4885.73	4628.00
8	Rajasthan	10394.77	15579.85	18691.10
9	Uttar Pradesh	3828.40	7717.70	4001.90
10	Uttarakhand	3.44	206.14	0.00
	Sub Total	26306.11	42510.90	46066.21
B. NE States				
11	Arunachal Pradesh	223.55	178.51	584.89
12	Assam	5810.15	4468.00	4745.10
13	Manipur	674.05	681.51	0.00
14	Meghalaya	1714.52	13.00	60.00
15	Mizoram	0.00	0.00	0.00
16	Nagaland	181.08	77.09	140.20
17	Sikkim	332.92	90.00	272.44
18	Tripura	200.00	650.00	0.00
	Sub Total	9136.27	6158.11	5802.63
C. Non-High Focus States				
19	Andhra Pradesh	10148.00	0.00	0.00
20	Goa	0.00	1.85	22.50
21	Gujarat	4040.00	0.00	0.00
22	Haryana	400.00	0.00	0.00
23	Karnataka	2286.34	2621.98	6077.00
24	Kerala	200.00	582.00	532.00

25	Maharashtra	5791.95	3488.77	9737.02
26	Punjab	210.78	0.00	0.00
27	Tamil Nadu	3583.27	5044.00	2861.00
28	Telangana	0.00	0.00	200.00
29	West Bengal	377.85	204.50	0.00
	Sub Total	27038.19	11943.10	19429.52
D. Small States/UTs				
30	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	5.00	36.10	17.00
31	Chandigarh	0.00	0.00	0.00
32	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0.00	0.00	0.00
33	Daman & Diu	0.00	0.00	0.00
34	Delhi	180.00	0.00	0.00
35	Lakshadweep	0.00	0.00	0.00
36	Puducherry	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Sub Total	185.00	36.10	17.00
	Grand Total	62665.57	60648.21	71315.36

Note:

1. SPIP stands for State Program Implementation Plan.
2. The above data comprises of 1. Hospital Strengthening – (i) Up-gradation of CHCs, PHCs, 2. New Constructions/ Renovation and Setting up – (i) CHCs (ii) PHCs.

Number of People Visiting[#] Sub Centre (SC) and Primary Health Centre (PHC) in rural areas during 2016-17

States/ UTs	Sub Centre	Primary Health Centre
All India	150,998,738	413,313,272
A & N ISLANDS	206,426	609,726
ANDHRA PRADESH	12,997,934	26,313,551
ARUNACHAL PRADESH	152,700	245,771
ASSAM	2,692,449	12,386,116
BIHAR	22,050,080	41,158,108
CHANDIGARH	120,014	212,103
CHHATTISGARH	3,119,737	5,731,279
DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	23,702	329,971
DAMAN & DIU	45,116	224,719
DELHI	42,300	320,183
GOA	169,256	776,491
GUJARAT	4,118,689	14,492,283
HARYANA	2,349,756	7,292,302
HIMACHAL PRADESH	1,086,016	3,275,427
JAMMU & KASHMIR	3,146,631	6,709,659
JHARKHAND	4,603,460	1,384,539
KARNATAKA	3,624,281	24,570,680
KERALA	6,495,947	23,336,272
LAKSHADWEEP	2,731	81,353
MADHYA PRADESH	6,364,482	9,329,789
MAHARASHTRA	9,654,959	32,755,173
MANIPUR	108,406	473,904
MEGHALAYA	621,212	1,425,398
MIZORAM	201,513	167,458
NAGALAND	182,480	166,330
ODISHA	3,889,729	16,637,004
PUDUCHERRY	169,693	2,012,057
PUNJAB	1,906,869	4,152,552
RAJASTHAN	11,410,610	26,441,675
SIKKIM	196,402	221,470
TAMIL NADU	5,607,824	70,834,935
TELANGANA	8,730,146	16,033,795
TRIPURA	968,816	1,184,050
UTTAR PRADESH	2,406,824	35,611,151
UTTARAKHAND	890,203	1,438,682
WEST BENGAL	30,641,345	24,977,316

Number of people visiting the facilities include both IPD and OPD patients only

Data as uploaded by States/ UTs on HMIS Portal (Status as on 1/1/2018)

PRIMARY HEALTH CENTRES FUNCTIONING AS PER IPHS			
(As on 31st March, 2017)			
S.No.	States / UT	Number of PHCs Functioning	No. of PHCs Functioning as per IPHS norms
		(1)	(2)
1	Andhra Pradesh	1147	514
2	Arunachal Pradesh	143	0
3	Assam	1014	0
4	Bihar	1899	NA
5	Chhattisgarh	785	0
6	Goa	24	24
7	Gujarat	1392	0
8	Haryana	366	3
9	Himachal Pradesh	538	0
10	Jammu & Kashmir	637	NA
11	Jharkhand	297	0
12	Karnataka	2359	0
13	Kerala	849	0
14	Madhya Pradesh	1171	0
15	Maharashtra	1814	770
16	Manipur	85	0
17	Meghalaya	109	0
18	Mizoram	57	0
19	Nagaland	126	0
20	Odisha	1280	0
21	Punjab	432	NA
22	Rajasthan	2079	0
23	Sikkim	24	24
24	Tamil Nadu	1362	1271
25	Telangana	689	0
26	Tripura	93	66
27	Uttarakhand	257	69
28	Uttar Pradesh	3621	170
29	West Bengal	914	308
30	A& N Islands	22	21
31	Chandigarh	3	3
32	D & N Haveli	9	7
33	Daman & Diu	4	4
34	Delhi	5	5
35	Lakshadweep	4	4
36	Puducherry	40	40
	All India/Total	25650	3303

Notes:

NA: Not Available.