

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 167
TO BE ANSWERED ON 02.02.2018

SUPPLEMENTARY NUTRITION TO CHILDREN IN ANGANWADIS

167. SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN:

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government provides supplementary nutrition to children in Anganwadis under the Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) Scheme;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether the Government proposes to make some changes in food items provided under the scheme and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
(Dr. VIRENDRA KUMAR)

- (a) & (b) Yes, Supplementary Nutrition under the Anganwadi Services of the Umbrella ICDS Scheme is provided to children under-6 years of age as the nutritional norms proposed under Schedule II of National Food Security Act, 2013, the details of which are as under:

S.No.	Category	Type of meal	Calories (Kcal)	Protein (g)
1.	Children (6 m to 3 years)	Take Home Ration	500	12-15
2.	Children (3 to 6 years)	Morning snack and Hot Cooked Meal	500	12-15
3.	Malnourished Children (6 m to 6 years)	Take Home Ration	800	20-25

- (c) No, Madam.
