

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4787
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23rd MARCH, 2018**

MOUS BETWEEN INDIA AND JORDAN

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SHRI MOHITE PATIL VIJAYSINH SHANKARRAO:
DR. HEENA VIJAYKUMAR GAVIT:
SHRIMATI SUPRIYA SULE:
SHRI DHANANJAY MAHADIK:**

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

- (a) whether India has signed Memorandum of Understandings (MoUs) for enhanced cooperation in the field of health and medical science with various countries including Jordan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the aims and objectives and the key areas identified for cooperation in such MoUs, country-wise;
- (c) the benefit that India will accrue out of these MoUs; and
- (d) the details of MoU with Senegal along with the time by which the said MoU will be implemented along with the present status thereof?

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

(a) to (c) : The Ministry of Health & Family Welfare has signed bilateral Memorandum of Understanding (MoUs) / Agreements with fifty-five (55) other countries, including with Jordan, for cooperation covering various areas in the field of health and medicine. A list of countries with whom MoUs / Agreements have been signed is in **Annexure**.

The objective of the MoUs / Agreements is to establish comprehensive inter-ministerial and inter-institutional cooperation in the field of health and medicine with the aims and objectives of upgrading the quality and reach of human, material and infrastructural resources involved in healthcare, training and research on the basis of equality, reciprocity and mutual benefit. The MoUs will encourage joint initiatives and technology development in the health sector. To further elaborate the details of cooperation and to oversee the implementation of the MoUs / Agreements, joint meetings are held at appropriate times as mutually decided upon.

(d) : An MoU between India and Senegal on cooperation in the field of Health and Medicine has been finalized and the Cabinet has approved signing of the MoU. The MoU with Senegal is awaiting signature and the Ministry of External Affairs has been requested to facilitate signing of the said MoU.

LIST OF COUNTRIES
with whom Ministry of Health & Family Welfare has signed
Agreements / Memorandum of Understanding (MoUs) /
Memorandum of Cooperation (MoC) / Statement of Intent (Sol)

Sl.No	Name of country	Date of signing	Subject
1.	Afghanistan	28-08-2005 (Agreement)	Healthcare & Medical Science
2.	Australia	10-04-2017 (MoU)	Health & Medicine
3.	Austria	17-02-2005 (Agreement)	Health
4.	Bangladesh	12-02-2013 (MoU)	Health & Medical Science
5.	Brazil	05-05-1998 (Agreement)	Health & Medicine
6.	Brunei	02-02-2016 (MoU)	Health
7.	Bulgaria	28-11-2011 (Agreement)	Health & Medicine
8.	Burundi	18-09-2012 (MoU)	Health & Medicine
9.	Cuba	06-12-2017 (MoU)	Health & Medicine
10.	Cyprus	08-10-2002 (Agreement)	Public Health & Medical Sciences
11.	China	03-09-1994 (Agreement)	Health & Medicine
12.	Colombia	19-01-2010 (Agreement)	Health
13.	Croatia	09-06-2010 (Agreement)	Health & Medicine
14.	Egypt	18-11-2008 (MoU)	Health & Medicine
15.	Fiji Islands	10-10-2005 (Agreement)	Health & Medicine
16.	Germany	01-06-2017 (JDI)	Health
17.	Iran	17-02-2018 (MoU)	Health and Medicine
18.	Japan	01-09-2014 (MoC)	Healthcare
19.	Jordan	01-03-2018 (MoU)	Health and Medical Science
20.	Hungary	18-01-2008 (Plan of Cooperation)	Public Health
21.	India-Brazil-South Africa (IBSA)	17-10-2007 (MoU)	Health & Medicine
22.	Indonesia	11-10-2013 (MoU)	Health
23.	Israel	09-09-2003 (Agreement)	Health & Medicine
24.	Italy	29-11-2017 (MoU)	Health & Medical Sciences
25.	Kazakhstan	16-04-2011 (Agreement)	Healthcare
26.	Kuwait	23-04-2012 (MoU)	Medical cooperation
27.	Latvia	28-02-2012 (Agreement)	Healthcare & Medical Science
28.	Malawi	03-11-2010 (MoU)	Health & Medicine
29.	Maldives	02-01-2014 (MoU)	Health
30.	Mauritius	12-03-2013 (MoU)	Health & Medicine
31.	Mongolia	14-09-2009 (Agreement)	Health & Medical Science
32.	Morocco	14-12-2017 (MoU)	Health
33.	Mozambique	22-02-2004 (Agreement)	Health & Medicine
34.	Myanmar	06-09-2017 (MoU)	Health & Medicine
35.	Netherlands	30-01-2014 (MoU)	Health Care & Public Health
36.	New Zealand	26-10-2016 (Arrangement)	Food Safety
37.	Oman	11-02-2018 (MoU)	Health and Medicine
38.	Palestine	16-05-2017 (MoU)	Health and Medicine
39.	Papua New Guinea	29-04-2016 (MoU)	Healthcare and Medical Science
40.	Philippines	05-10-2007 (MoU)	Health & Medicine
41.	Poland	24-04-2009 (Agreement)	Health & Medicine

42.	Qatar	05-06-2016 (MoU)	Health
43.	Russia (FSSHSD and CDSCO, MoHFW)	16-12-2011 (MoU)	Drug quality & safety standards
44.	Rwanda	12-11-2010 (MoU)	Health & Medicine
45.	Saudi Arabia	20-11-2006 (Executive Programme)	Health & Family Welfare
46.	Seychelles	10-09-2003 (MoU)	Health
47.	Spain (Dte.GHS)	31-05-2017 (MoU)	Transplant Services
48.	Sweden	24-02-2009 (MoU)	Health Care and Public Health
49.	Tajikistan	03-09-2012 (Agreement)	Health & Medicine
50.	Tanzania (Zanzibar)	16-12-2002 (Agreement)	Health & Medicine
51.	United Kingdom	19-05-2013 (MoU)	Health
52.	USA	25-06-2015 (MoU)	Cancer Research, Prevention, Control and Management
53.	Vietnam	03-09-2016 (MoU)	Health
54.	Yemen	09-06-2013 (Agreement)	Health & Medicine
55.	US-FDA	10-02-2014 (Sol)	Medical Products