GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1680
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27TH JULY, 2018

CONTRACTUAL DOCTORS IN CGHS

1680. SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR:

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

(a) whether the Government has engaged medical officers on contractual basis in CGHS dispensaries;

(b) if so, the number of such doctors appointed during the last three years, State/ UT-wise including Delhi;

(c) whether a large number of qualified MBBS doctors in the country are unemployed and if so, the details thereof and the response of the Government thereto; and

(d) the steps taken/proposed to be taken to facilitate permanent appointment of doctors in CGHS dispensaries?

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

(a):Yes; retired GDMOs/Specialists of the Central Government/State Government/PSUs are engaged on contractual basis in CGHS dispensaries on certain terms and conditions.

(b): The number of doctors appointed on contractual basis under CGHS during the last three years is at **Annexure.**

(c):Details of qualified MBBS doctors in the country, who are unemployed, is not maintained centrally.

(d):   Following steps have been taken by the Govt. to facilitate permanent appointment of doctors in CGHS dispensaries:-

ᴑ Every year on the basis of vacancies projected by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Union Public Service Commission (UPSC) conducts Combined Medical Services Examination for recruitment of Medical Officers of GDMO sub cadre of Central Health Services.
ᴑ In order to encourage more doctors to join CGHS, posting of Doctors is normally being made after due consideration of their residence/domicile.
ᴑ Promotion upto the SAG level has been made time bound under the Dynamic Assured Career Scheme.
ᴑ The retirement age of CHS Doctors has recently been enhanced upto 65 years.

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NUMBER OF DOCTORS APPOINTED ON CONTRACT BASIS DURING THE

LAST THREE YEARS

SI. No.	CGHS CITY	NUMBER OF DOCTORS
1.	Ahmedabad	12
2.	Allahabad	12
3.	Bangalore	01
4.	Bhopal	02
5.	Bhubaneswar	01
6.	Chandigarh	00
7.	Chennai	10
8.	Delhi	157
9.	Dehradun	02
10.	Guwahati	05
11.	Hyderabad	00
12.	Jabalpur	19
13.	Jaipur	04
14.	Jammu	01
15.	Kolkata	10
16.	Lucknow	05
17.	Meerut	04
18.	Mumbai	16
19.	Patna	02
20.	Pune	08
21.	Ranchi	02
22.	Shillong	02
23.	Trivendrum	00
24.	Nagpur	07
25.	Kanpur	11
26.	Aizwal	01