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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 482 TO BE ANSWERED ON 20TH JULY. 2018

SHORTAGE OF MEDICINES INFRASTRUCTURE HOSPITALS

482. SHRI KIRTI AZAD:

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

- (a) whether there is a shortage of life saving medical instruments/diagnostic instruments and medicines in All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) and Safdarjung Hospital in Delhi including other Central Government medical colleges/hospitals and associated hospitals; and
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor along with the measures taken/proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

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

(a) & (b): As reported by various Central Government hospitals/institutes/medical colleges, i.e., All India Institute of Medical Sciences(AIIMS), New Delhi, Safdarjung Hospital, Delhi, Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital, New Delhi, Lady Harding Medical College, New Delhi, Jawaharlal Institute of Postgraduate Medical Education and Research, Puducherry, other AIIMS at Rishikesh, Raipur, Jodhpur, Patna, Bhopal, Bhubaneshwar, North Eastern Indira Gandhi Regional Institute of Health and Medical Sciences, Shillong, Regional Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal, Postgraduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh and Vallabhbhai Patel Chest Institute, Delhi, there is no shortage of life saving medical instruments/diagnostic instruments and medicines.
