

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

**LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 20
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 21ST JUNE, 2019
HEALTH MELAS UNDER NRHM**

**†*20. SHRI SUMEDHANAND SARSWATI:
SHRI P.P. CHAUDHARY:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has released funds for organizing Health Melas in every Parliamentary Constituency in the country under the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM);
- (b) if so, the details of the amount released in this regard, State-wise;
- (c) the details of funds utilized for organizing health Melas so far in State/District/Constituency-wise particularly in Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra and Uttar Pradesh;
- (d) whether any directives have been issued by the Government to the States which have not utilized the said funds; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
(DR. HARSH VARDHAN)**

(a) to (e): A statement is laid on the Table of the House

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA
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(a) and (b): The Government approves activity of organising Health Melas in Parliamentary Constituencies based on proposals received from the State Government and normally releases lump sum funds for activities approved under the NHM including for Health Melas, wherever approved.

In addition, during the F.Y. 2018-19 in February 2019 specific funds have been given to States for organising Health Melas in Parliamentary Constituencies under the National Health Mission (NHM). Details at Annexure-I.

(c): The details of funds utilised under NHM during 2018-19, as reported by the States under the activity of Targeting Naturally Occurring Gathering of People/ Health Mela is at Annexure-II.

(d) and (e): The Government regularly reviews the expenditure on approved activities including Health Melas through regular correspondence, video conferences and meetings with the State Governments officials so as to improve the utilisation of funds.

Annexure -I

Statement showing State wise release of funds under NHM for Health Mela		
Rs. In crore		
S.N.	States	2018-19 Release
1	Andhra Pradesh	1.72
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0.30
3	Assam	1.49
4	Bihar	2.65
5	Delhi	0.43
6	Goa	0.20
7	Gujarat	1.79
8	Haryana	0.73
9	Himachal Pradesh	0.46
10	Jammu & Kashmir	0.66
11	Jharkhand	0.93
12	Karnataka	1.92
13	Kerala	1.46
14	Maharashtra	3.31
15	Manipur	0.40
16	Meghalaya	0.30
17	Nagaland	0.02
18	Orissa	1.52
19	Puducherry	0.08
20	Punjab	0.93
21	Tamil Nadu	2.71
22	Tripura	0.30
23	Uttar Pradesh	5.36
24	Uttarakhand	0.53
25	West Bengal	2.91
Grand total		33.09

Statement Showing Statewise Expenditure on Targeting Naturally Occurring Gathering of People / Health Mela under NHM during the F.Y. 2018-19

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Sl. No.	States	Utilization Reported by States /UTs
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	0.00
2	Andhra Pradesh	0.00
3	Arunachal Pradesh	11.65
4	Assam	163.97
5	Bihar	75.46
6	Chandigarh	0.00
7	Chhattisgarh	9.86
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	1.99
9	Daman & Diu	0.00
10	Delhi	0.00
11	Goa	0.06
12	Gujarat	199.36
13	Haryana	11.24
14	Himachal Pradesh	229.16
15	Jammu & Kashmir	0.00
16	Jharkhand	29.97
17	Karnataka	0.00
18	Kerala	7.37
19	Lakshadweep	0.00

20	Madhya Pradesh	0.00
21	Maharashtra	259.51
22	Manipur	0.20
23	Meghalaya	13.20
24	Mizoram	0.00
25	Nagaland	7.50
26	Orissa	0.76
27	Puducherry	0.00
28	Punjab	26.20
29	Rajasthan	48.30
30	Sikkim	0.95
31	Tamil Nadu	0.00
32	Tripura	4.34
33	Uttar Pradesh	38.65
34	Uttarakhand	0.00
35	West Bengal	0.06
36	Telangana	0.00
	Total	1139.76

Note:

1. Expenditure includes expenditure against Central Release, State share & unspent balances at the beginning of the year. It is updated upto 31-03-2019. .

2. The above figures are as per Financial Management Report (FMR) reported by State/UTs, hence Provisional.