

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3231
TO BE ANSWERED ON 12TH JULY, 2019**

ANM & GNM UNDER NRHM

3231. SHRI RAHUL KASWAN:

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

- (a) whether the Government has recruited Auxiliary Nursing Midwifery (ANM) and General Nursing and Midwifery (GNM) workers on temporary/ contractual basis to work for healthcare services in the country under National Rural Health Mission (NRHM);
- (b) if so, the details thereof, Statewise including Rajasthan;
- (c) the district-wise number of employees working on temporary/ contractual basis particularly in Rajasthan;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to make such employees permanent; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (c): Public Health and Hospital being a State Subject, all the administrative and personnel matters, including that of recruitment of Auxiliary Nursing Midwifery (ANM) and General Nursing and Midwifery (GNM), lies in the jurisdiction of the respective State Governments. Under National Health Mission, technical and financial support is provided for States/UTs for strengthening their healthcare system including support for engagement of nursing staff on contractual basis, based on requirements posed by the States in their Programme Implementation Plans (PIPs), within their overall resource envelope. Accordingly, State/UT wise, details of ANM and Staff Nurses supported under NHM for FY 2019-20 is given at **Annexure**. The district-wise number of NHM employees working on temporary/contractual basis including the State of Rajasthan is not maintained centrally.

(d) & (e): As stated above, public health being a state subject, all the administrative and personnel matters, falls within the purview of respective State Governments.

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Annexure

Details of ANM and Staff Nurses supported under NHM (Both Rural and Urban) for FY 2019-20

Sl. No.	Name of State/UT	ANM	Staff Nurse
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	88	77
2	Andhra Pradesh	6408	2379
3	Arunachal Pradesh	392	510
4	Assam	5251	5366
5	Bihar	10856	4957
6	Chandigarh	173	109
7	Chhattisgarh	2761	2163
8	Dadar and Nagar Haveli	89	89
9	Daman & Diu	30	29
10	Delhi	686	435
11	Goa	118	96
12	Gujarat	3485	3140
13	Haryana	3576	2484
14	Himachal Pradesh	205	525
15	J&K	3561	1806
16	Jharkhand	6063	1463
17	Karnataka	1961	6960
18	Kerala	1671	1929
19	Lakshadweep	33	39
20	Maharashtra	9084	4516
21	Manipur	519	281
22	Meghalaya	567	325
23	Mizoram	360	338
24	Madhya Pradesh	5790	3256
25	Nagaland	324	366
26	Odisha	2405	3847
27	Puducherry	100	119
28	Punjab	2011	2085
29	Rajasthan	4182	5389
30	Sikkim	101	76
31	Tamil Nadu	2126	14953
32	Telangana	5332	3365
33	Tripura	58	49
34	Uttar Pradesh	17813	16551
35	Uttarakhand	423	655
36	West Bengal	9316	1108