

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4398
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19TH JULY, 2019**

INCREASE IN MEDICAL SEATS

**4398. SHRI P. RAVEENDRANATH KUMAR:
SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has received any proposal from States/UTs particularly from Tamil Nadu and Odisha for increasing seats for MBBS/Medical education;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the action taken thereon along with the number of seats likely to be increased, State/UT-wise including Tamil Nadu and Odisha?

**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 and Board of Governors in Supersession of Medical Council of India after considering the proposals from the applicant Colleges for establishment of new College, increase of intake capacity in existing College and increase of seats under EWS Quota, increased 10590 MBBS seats in the country including Tamil Nadu and Odisha for the academic year 2019-20. State/UT-wise details are given in **Annexure**.

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Annexure

State/UT-wise number of MBBS seats increased in 2019-20

Sl. No.	State	Total
1	Andhra Pradesh	460
2	Assam	174
3	Bihar	440
4	D& N Haveli	150
5	Chhattisgarh	120
6	Delhi	215
7	Goa	30
8	Gujarat	840
9	Haryana	310
10	Himachal Pradesh	120
11	Jammu & Kashmir	485
12	Jharkhand	80
13	Karnataka	300
14	Kerala	155
15	Madhya Pradesh	670
16	Maharashtra	1120
17	Manipur	25
18	Orissa	100
19	Pondicherry	30
20	Punjab	150
21	Rajasthan	750
22	Tamilnadu	600
23	Telangana	990
24	Tripura	25
25	Uttar Pradesh	1126
26	Uttarakhand	75
27	West Bengal	1050
	Total	10590