

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1497
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10TH FEBRUARY, 2023**

HEALTH ACILITIES TO TRIBAL WOMEN

1497. SHRI NABA KUMAR SARANIA:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that tribal women and children die due to malnutrition and other health-borne reasons in the country and if so, the details thereof from 2014 to till date State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether more tribal women die during their pregnancy and if so, the details thereof, State/UT wise, district-wise;
- (c) the details of hospitals located in tribal areas, State/UT-wise;
- (d) the details of various diseases affecting tribal women, State/UT-wise, district-wise; and
- (e) the financial assistance granted by the Government to the pregnant women and children suffered from malnutrition during the last five years, State/UT-wise, district-wise?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY
WELFARE
(DR. BHARATI PRAVIN PAWAR)**

(a) to (b): Malnutrition is a multi-faceted problem and is not a direct cause of Maternal death but contributes to mortality and morbidity by reducing resistance to infections.

As per the Special Bulletin on MMR released by the Registrar General of India (RGI), the Maternal Mortality Ratio (MMR) of India has declined to 97/lakh live birth as per Sample Registration System (SRS) from 130 in 2014-16. As per the report of Sample Registration System (SRS 18-20) released by Registrar General of India (RGI), the details of State wise Maternal Mortality Ratio (MMR), including tribal areas is placed at **Annexure-1**.

As per National Family Health Surveys (NFHS) conducted by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, in respect of Scheduled Tribes, Infant Mortality Rate has declined from 62.1 (2005-06) to 41.6 (2019-21); Under Five, Mortality Rate has declined from 95.7 (2005-06) to 50.3 (2019-21), Institutional Delivery has increased from 17.7% (2005-06) to 82.3 % (2019-21) and immunization of children aged 12-23 months has increased from 31.3 % (2005-06) to 76.8 % (2019-21).

(c) The details of Hospitals located in tribal areas, State/UT-wise may be seen at the following link of RHS 2021-22:

(d) The Expert Committee on Tribal Health, in its report, has stated that, tribal people face triple burden of diseases and bears a disproportionate burden of communicable diseases, primarily those that are often referred to as diseases of poverty and underdevelopment, which include Malaria, and Tuberculosis. While malnutrition and communicable diseases like malaria and tuberculosis continue to be high, rapid urbanization, environmental distress and changing lifestyle have resulted in a rise in the prevalence of non-communicable diseases like cancer, hypertension and diabetes.

(e) The financial assistance granted by the Government to State/UTs central releases ST Category-wise under NHM during the last five years is attached at **Annexure-2**.

State –wise Maternal Mortality Ratio (MMR) as per SRS 2018-20

	SRS 2018-20
Assam	195
Madhya Pradesh	173
Uttar Pradesh	167
Chhattisgarh	137
Odisha	119
Bihar	118
Rajasthan	113
Haryana	110
Punjab	105
West Bengal	103
Uttarakhand	103
India	97
Karnataka	69
Gujarat	57
Jharkhand	56
Tamil Nadu	54
Andhra Pradesh	45
Telangana	43
Maharashtra	33
Kerala	19
Other States	77

(Source: O/o RGI: Special Bulletin On Maternal Mortality in India)

Annexure-II

Statement showing State/UT wise Central releases ST Category-wise under NHM from F.Y. 2017-18 to 2021-22

Rs. In crore

S. No.	State/UT	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
1	Andhra Pradesh	55.37	131.54	90.92	98.14	95.09
2	Arunachal Pradesh	27.38	50.65	62.54	94.81	68.97
3	Assam	85.74	187.88	228.97	171.46	247.37
4	Bihar	34.78	26.57	27.16	142.89	32.12
5	Chattisgarh	205.60	274.84	225.19	268.82	254.85
6	Goa	1.57	3.45	14.02	3.73	2.15
7	Gujarat	155.79	168.22	208.20	163.50	197.94
8	Himachal Pradesh	23.19	18.03	124.52	58.31	74.11
9	Jammu & Kashmir	71.84	63.52	68.57	23.81	14.04
10	Jharkhand	150.04	172.22	274.21	146.53	166.10
11	Karnataka	81.14	79.73	98.06	145.30	89.72
12	Kerala	9.22	46.71	27.80	18.72	24.32
13	Madhya Pradesh	327.64	338.90	394.50	457.39	462.25
14	Maharashtra	165.22	136.35	254.09	165.04	349.85
15	Manipur	11.04	23.62	38.05	30.84	25.20
16	Meghalaya	80.74	88.06	83.31	71.29	145.05
17	Mizoram	47.69	76.39	83.97	48.08	51.72
18	Nagaland	55.22	84.35	85.36	49.85	50.73
19	Odisha	197.84	207.24	285.42	410.63	338.50
20	Rajasthan	207.62	271.17	209.12	300.17	266.31
21	Sikkim	10.16	9.96	9.79	15.23	9.75
22	Tamil Nadu	20.83	18.22	31.31	36.39	27.38
23	Tripura	29.70	44.53	55.76	55.14	52.00
24	Uttar Pradesh	135.82	172.44	177.88	176.85	63.18
25	Uttarakhand	9.50	8.77	10.89	31.72	19.51
26	West Bengal	80.99	58.56	143.35	225.44	103.66
27	Telangana	40.10	153.72	180.98	66.90	70.52

Note: The above releases relate to Central Govt. Grants & do not include State share contribution