

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1570
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10TH FEBRUARY, 2023**

HEALTHCARE FACILITIES IN GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS

†1570. SHRIMATI DELKAR KALABEN MOHANBHAI:

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

- (a) whether there has been any improvement in the services of Government hospitals in various States/UTs in the country including Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu during the last three years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has taken any steps for the modernization/upgradation of hospitals particularly in rural areas;
- (d) if so, the details of such hospitals in Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu, areas-wise; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor along with the State/UT-wise details thereof?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY
WELFARE
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(a) & (b) National Health Mission (NHM) envisages achievement of universal access to equitable, affordable & quality health care services that are accountable and responsive to people's needs. The healthcare system of the country involves a three-tier system with Sub Health Centre (Rural), Primary Health Centre (Urban and Rural) and Community Health Centre (Urban and Rural) as the three pillars of Primary Health Care System in India.

The details of Number of Sub-Centres, PHC, CHCs, Sub Divisional Hospitals and District Hospitals functional in rural and urban areas during the last three years including Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu is attached at **Annexure-1**.

(c) to (e) In February 2018, the Government of India announced 1,50,000 Ayushman Bharat-Health and Wellness Centres (AB-HWCs) to be established across the country by December 2022. The existing Sub- Health Centres (SHC), Primary Health Centres (PHC) and Urban Primary Health Centres (UPHC) are transformed into AB-HWCs to deliver Comprehensive Primary Health Care (CPHC) that includes preventive, promotive, curative, palliative and rehabilitative services

which are universal, free, and closer to the community. As on 31.01.2023 a total of 1,56,412 AB-HWCs have been operationalized across the country. Further, details of the operationalized SHC, PHC and UPHC-HWCs, State/UTs wise as on 31.01.2023 including Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu is at **Annexure-2**.

The Government has issued various other initiatives to upgrade government hospitals in the country, including rural areas as follow:

- To improve health infrastructure and services in public health facilities, the government has laid down Indian Public Health Standards (IPHS) 2022. These standards include norms for services, infrastructure, human resources, diagnostics, equipment, medicines etc.
- National Free Drugs Service Initiative and National Free Diagnostic Service Initiative have been rolled out to ensure the availability of essential drugs and diagnostic facilities and reduce the Out of Pocket Expenditure (OOPE) of the patients visiting public health facilities.
- To monitor the quality of these healthcare centres, the Government of India launched National Quality Assurance Programme (NQAS) for Public Health Facilities.
- Under National Ambulances Services for free transportation of sick patients to health facilities, BLS, ALS and PTV ambulances are being provided for the timely management of emergency services.
- People representatives are part of Rogi Kalyan Samiti and Jan Arogya Samiti at different levels of healthcare facilities so that the functionality of the facilities as per the need of the community is ensured.
- Under PM-ABHIM, So far in FY 2021-22 & FY 2022-23, administrative approval has been accorded for an amount of Rs 9,718.62 Crore for establishment/strengthening of 7808 Rural HWCs, 264 Urban HWCs, 485 BPHUs, 216 District IPHLs and 175 CCBs across States/UTs as per the proposal received.
- 157 Medical Colleges have been approved in three phases under the Scheme of 'Establishment of new Medical Colleges'
- Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY), setting up of 22 new All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) and 75 projects of upgradation of Government Medical Colleges/Institutions (GMCIs) have been approved in various phases so far.

Annexure-1

NUMBER OF SUB-CENTRES, PHCs, CHCs FUNCTIONING IN RURAL & URBAN AREAS																
(As on 31st March 2022)																
S. No	State/UT	Sub centre			PHCs			CHCs			Sub Divisional Hospital			District Hospital (DH)		
		2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
1	Andhra Pradesh	7458	7458	11480	1385	1401	1689	198	198	181	28	28	51	13	14	17
2	Arunachal Pradesh	363	347	367	124	127	131	60	57	57	0	0	0	17	19	19
3	Assam	4680	4678	4701	1002	1001	1010	192	199	201	14	14	14	24	24	25
4	Bihar	10280	10258	10399	2027	2034	1760	64	306	301	35	45	45	36	36	36
5	Chhattisgarh	5569	5485	5494	837	821	822	174	169	170	20	12	12	26	27	27
6	Goa	218	219	219	59	27	28	6	6	6	2	2	2	2	2	2
7	Gujarat	9162	9162	9132	1795	1799	1804	362	360	361	37	54	54	22	20	20
8	Haryana	2617	2626	2653	485	484	497	131	137	131	21	23	24	22	22	22
9	Himachal Pradesh	2104	2115	2115	588	572	570	92	98	97	83	83	84	9	9	9
10	Jharkhand	3848	3848	3848	351	350	361	177	176	178	13	13	13	23	23	21
11	Karnataka	9435	9441	9272	2534	2531	2521	208	212	212	150	150	47	26	22	16
12	Kerala	5410	5484	5412	932	940	944	227	229	230	86	87	87	48	47	48
13	Madhya Pradesh	10226	10189	10287	1476	1518	1572	330	320	356	84	92	19	51	51	52

NUMBER OF SUB-CENTRES, PHCs, CHCs FUNCTIONING IN RURAL & URBAN AREAS

32	Delhi	258	15	14	546	549	550	23	0	0	9	9	10	38	37	40
33	Jammu & Kashmir	2492	2471	2471	972	973	973	77	79	79	0	0	0	21	16	15
34	Ladakh	238	289	288	32	32	33	7	7	7	0	0	0	2	2	2
35	Lakshadweep	11	7	9	4	4	4	3	3	3	2	2	2	1	1	1
36	Puducherry	81	81	81	39	39	39	4	4	4	3	3	0	5	5	4
	All India	15792 1	15781 9	16182 9	3081 3	3057 9	3105 3	5649	5951	6064	1193	1224	127 5	810	764	767

Annexure-2

Sl. No.	State Name	Operationalised HWCs (as on 31.01.2023)			
		PHC	SHC	UPHC	Total
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	22	102	5	129
2	Andhra Pradesh	1,143	9,855	556	11,554
3	Arunachal Pradesh	91	248	5	344
4	Assam	941	3,322	126	4,389
5	Bihar	1,243	8,905	106	10,254
6	Chandigarh		6	42	48
7	Chhattisgarh	748	4,256	190	5,194
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	8	54	1	63
9	Daman & Diu	4	26		30
10	Delhi	-			-
11	Goa	57	209	4	270
12	Gujarat	1,470	7,100	320	8,890
13	Haryana	390	1,843	184	2,417
14	Himachal Pradesh	523	1,083	20	1,626
15	Jammu & Kashmir	590	2,331	45	2,966
16	Jharkhand	195	1,919	58	2,172
17	Karnataka	2,166	6,473	524	9,163
18	Kerala	851	4,465	98	5,414
19	Ladakh	32	278	1	311
20	Lakshadweep	6	7		13
21	Madhya Pradesh	1,127	10,017	292	11,436
22	Maharashtra	1,859	8,354	582	10,795
23	Manipur	86	309	9	404
24	Meghalaya	113	333	18	464
25	Mizoram	55	305	8	368
26	Nagaland	75	301	7	383
27	Odisha	1,260	5,055	170	6,485
28	Puducherry	24	82	21	127
29	Punjab	379	2,488	162	3,029
30	Rajasthan	2,034	7,249	326	9,609
31	Sikkim	22	143	2	167
32	Tamil Nadu	1,422	5,865	960	8,247
33	Telangana	636	3,907	572	5,115
34	Tripura	100	802	126	1,028
35	Uttar Pradesh	2,524	18,023	854	21,401
36	Uttarakhand	400	1,579	38	2,017
37	West Bengal	915	8,372	803	10,090