

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2800
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.03.2023

FUNDS UNDER BETI BACHAO BETI PADHAO

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Will the Minister of Women and Child Development be pleased to state:

- a. the details of the targets set and achievements made so far under the Beti Bachao Beti Padhao scheme in Andhra Pradesh, district-wise;
- b. the amount allocated for the revised edition of the scheme in Andhra Pradesh, district-wise; and
- c. the details of the steps proposed for the achievement of the expanded goals under the scheme?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
(SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) : Beti Bachao Beti Padhao (BBBP) Scheme was launched on 22nd January 2015 with an aim to address declining Child Sex Ratio (CSR) and related issues of empowerment of girls and women over a life cycle continuum. The objectives of the scheme are to prevent gender biased sex selective elimination, to ensure survival and protection of the girl child and to ensure education and participation of the girl child.

Sex Ratio at Birth (SRB) has been taken as a target to assess the achievement made under BBBP. As per the Health Management Information System (HMIS), data of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, SRB of Andhra Pradesh has improved from 921 (2014-15) to 950 (2021-22). Till 2021-22, 8 districts were selected for Multi sectoral interventions. Districts-wise SRB since 2015-16 is at **Annexure I**.

(b) Keeping in mind the differential Sex Ratio at Birth (SRB) status of districts as on 2020-21 (as per Health Management Information System (HMIS) data of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare {MoHFW}), three brackets for release of funds under BBBP component has been prescribed. The districts with SRB less than or equal to 918 are being provided assistance of Rs.40 Lakh per year, districts having SRB from 919 to 952 are being provided assistance of Rs. 30 lakh per year and districts having SRB more than 952 are being provided assistance of Rs. 20 lakh per year.

The amount allocated for the revised edition of the scheme in Andhra Pradesh, district-wise is at **Annexure II**.

(c) The scheme has been expanded to cover all the districts of the country through Multi Sectoral Intervention. The funds are being routed through State Single Nodal Agency account for multi-sectoral interventions at district level.

BBBP scheme was launched in tri-ministerial mode with Ministry of Women and Child Development (nodal Ministry), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare and Ministry of Education as partner Ministries. Now, the Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship and Ministry of Minority Affairs have also been added as partners with a view to undertake special drive and awareness programme for promoting higher education and skill development among girls.

An operational Manual has also been developed which inter alia includes an activity calendar which will felicitate all the districts for organising year round activities to cover all aspects of holistic development of the girl child and achieve the objectives of Beti Bachao Beti Padhao.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2800 for 17.03.2023

Annexure I

District wise SRB status of 8 selected Multi Sectoral Districts of Andhra Pradesh from 2015-16 to 2021-22

Sl. No.	District	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
1.	Anantapur	982	892	932	933	935	948	909
2.	Chittoor	958	946	953	920	933	945	945
3.	Cuddapah	900	974	947	946	927	927	946
4.	Guntur	1044	986	1081	1005	977	988	990
5.	Krishna	986	975	973	956	964	970	965
6.	Kurnool	842	904	913	884	911	922	937
7.	Nellore	886	892	963	944	943	943	960
8.	Prakasam	918	956	930	967	927	963	941

Annexure referred to in reply to part (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 2800 for 17.03.2023

Annexure II

The list of 26 districts of Andhra Pradesh along with their allocation is as under:

S No.	Name of district	Amount allocated based on SRB 2020-21 (Rs in lakhs)
1.	Kurnool	30
2.	Srikakulam	30
3.	Spsr Nellore	30
4.	Vizianagaram	30
5.	Y.S.R.	30
6.	Anantapur	30
7.	Chittoor	30
8.	Visakhapatanam	30
9.	Alluri Sitharama Raju	30
10.	Anakapalli	30
11.	Annamayya	30
12.	Bapatla	30
13.	Eluru	30
14.	Kakinada	30
15.	Konaseema	30
16.	Nandyal	30
17.	NTR	30
18.	Palnadu	30
19.	Parvathipuram Manyam	30
20.	Sri Sathya Sai	30
21.	Tirupati	30
22.	Prakasam	20
23.	Krishna	20
24.	East Godavari	20
25.	West Godavari	20
26.	Guntur	20
