

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2936
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17TH MARCH, 2023**

ELIMINATION PROGRAMME FOR TB AND CATARACT

**2936. SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR:
SHRI DINESH CHANDRA YADAV:**

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

- (a) whether the Government is implementing programmes for prevention of TB and Cataract at National level;
- (b) if so, the details of different programmes being run by the Government in this regard, State/UT-wise;
- (c) the success achieved so far through the said programmes including the State-wise number of beneficiaries thereunder; and
- (d) the timeline set for achievement of targets under the said programmes?

ANSWER

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

(a) and (b) The Government implements the National TB Elimination Programme (NTEP) for the prevention and control of Tuberculosis and National Programme for Control of Blindness & Visual Impairment (NPCBVI) for Blindness control in all States/UTs under the aegis of the National Health Mission (NHM).

(c) and (d) The Government implements the National TB Elimination Programme (NTEP) with the goal of achieving Sustainable Development Goals related to TB by 2025, five years ahead of the global targets. As per the Global TB Report, 2022, the incidence of TB in India has reduced by 18% from 256/lakh population in 2015 to 210/lakh population, which is 7 percentage points better than the global average of 11%. The State/UT wise TB case notification for the year 2021 and 2022 is placed at Annexure-I.

Similarly, under the National Programme for Control of Blindness & Visual Impairment (NPCBVI), in the year 2022-23 (till January) 63,33,798 cataract operations were conducted, 4,82,805 free spectacles to school children were distributed and 48,777 eye donations have been collected. The State/UT wise details are placed at Annexure-II.

State/UT-wise Notification* of TB cases in Years 2021 and 2022 under NTEP

Sr. No	State/UTs	TB Case Notifications-2021	TB Case Notifications-2022
1.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	512	534
2.	Andhra Pradesh	86890	92187
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	2766	2863
4.	Assam	38181	47822
5.	Bihar	132639	161165
6.	Chandigarh	4751	6066
7.	Chhattisgarh	32578	38521
8.	Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	1012	1399
9.	Delhi	103667	106731
10.	Goa	2011	2091
11.	Gujarat	144715	151912
12.	Haryana	69377	75838
13.	Himachal Pradesh	14568	16089
14.	Jammu & Kashmir	10885	11804
15.	Jharkhand	52624	57320
16.	Karnataka	72705	80416
17.	Kerala	22074	23388
18.	Ladakh	292	320
19.	Lakshadweep	12	11
20.	Madhya Pradesh	167017	186293
21.	Maharashtra	200483	234105
22.	Manipur	1811	2554
23.	Meghalaya	4184	4989
24.	Mizoram	1759	2085
25.	Nagaland	3712	4125
26.	Odisha	52539	60372
27.	Puducherry	3457	3835
28.	Punjab	51233	55150
29.	Rajasthan	149488	169522
30.	Sikkim	1409	1395
31.	Tamil Nadu	83156	93879
32.	Telangana	60827	72941
33.	Tripura	2558	3024
34.	Uttar Pradesh	456388	522850
35.	Uttarakhand	22968	27553
36.	West Bengal	91146	100972

*Data Source – Ni-kshay

Annexure-II

National Programme for Control of Blindness and Visual Impairment				
State wise Achievement for various eye diseases during 2022-23 (up to January)				
Sr. No	States	Cataract Operations-Achievements	Free Spectacles to school children-Achievements	Collection of donated eyes-Achievements
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	833	436	0
2	Andhra Pradesh	321151	23709	4914
3	Arunachal Pradesh	2359	0	0
4	Assam	92721	2997	221
5	Bihar	237229	0	144
6	Chandigarh	9955	300	535
7	Chhattisgarh	101149	30071	198
8	Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	1917	106	4
9	Delhi	75436	0	1480
10	Goa	14007	571	0
11	Gujarat	510171	13333	2549
12	Haryana	160507	4708	1801
13	Himachal Pradesh	32583	0	0
14	Jammu & Kashmir	23699	7428	0
15	Jharkhand	169615	2203	74
16	Karnataka	429451	24007	6989
17	Kerala	201304	5731	1856
18	Ladakh	704	265	0
19	Lakshadweep	108	112	0
20	Madhya Pradesh	570640	47393	1834
21	Maharashtra	721954	16772	4085
22	Manipur	3517	171	0
23	Meghalaya	2612	2357	0
24	Mizoram	2756	1560	46
25	Nagaland	1586	965	0
26	Odisha	235515	3133	1425
27	Puducherry	15048	2130	990
28	Punjab	192247	6825	1004
29	Rajasthan	246190	25132	2461
30	Sikkim	802	385	0
31	Tamil Nadu	481346	161922	7602
32	Telangana	210712	0	4908
33	Tripura	8142	220	0
34	Uttar Pradesh	758483	47126	762
35	Uttarakhand	48063	2897	264
36	West Bengal	449286	47840	2631