

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 355
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03RD FEBRUARY, 2023**

IMPLEMENTATION OF AYUSHMAN BHARAT YOJANA

**355. SHRI SHIVAKUMAR C. UDASI:
SHRI ARUN SAO:
SHRI RANJEETSINGH HINDURAO NAIK NIMBALKAR:
SHRI DILIP SAIKIA:
SHRI HAJI FAZLUR REHMAN:
SHRI SUDHAKAR TUKARAM SHRANGARE:**

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

- (a) the number of cards issued under Ayushman Bharat Scheme till date, State/UT-wise including in Karnataka;
- (b) the eligibility criteria set for availing benefits under the Ayushman Bharat - Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB-PMJAY);
- (c) the funds released to the beneficiaries under the AB-PMJAY during the last five years, State/UTwise;
- (d) whether it is a fact that people are not getting the benefit of said scheme due to indifference of private hospitals and if so, the details thereof alongwith necessary steps taken in this regard; and
- (e) the details of steps being taken by the Government to strengthen healthcare services in various States and to empanel more private hospitals under the scheme?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (e): State/UT-wise details of Ayushman Cards issued and funds released during the last five years under Ayushman Bharat- Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB-PMJAY) are at Annexure-I. Details of eligibility criteria under the scheme are at Annexure-II. In order to strengthen healthcare services in States/UTs, treatment package rates have been revised, claim settlement has been expedited, capacity building of hospitals is done and a hospital specific toll-free number (14413) to address the concerns of hospitals has been introduced. States/UTs have been provided the flexibility to change hospital empanelment criteria for deficit regions so as to expand the network of private hospitals under the scheme.

State/UT-wise details of Ayushman Cards issued under AB-PMJAY

State/UT	Number of Ayushman cards issued	Funds released (in crore of Rupees)
Andaman And Nicobar Islands	40,517	2.59
Andhra Pradesh	99,53,086	1527.52
Arunachal Pradesh	78,732	4.75
Assam	29,35,499	446.45
Bihar	77,47,450	346.29
Chandigarh	1,28,455	12.61
Chhattisgarh	1,62,59,747	940.16
DNH & DD	4,28,395	15.02
Goa	26,678	2.32
Gujarat	1,71,44,347	1198.03
Haryana	76,07,163	390.87
Himachal Pradesh	11,29,742	133.13
Jammu And Kashmir	80,83,290	194.05
Jharkhand	99,31,436	404.97
Karnataka	1,27,04,414	1322.10
Kerala	71,08,118	545.96
Ladakh	1,28,213	4.05
Lakshadweep	25,892	0.46
Madhya Pradesh	3,49,00,649	1191.98
Maharashtra	87,88,181	1592.91
Manipur	4,77,121	84.85
Meghalaya	17,72,160	139.30
Mizoram	4,33,130	85.68
Nagaland	3,85,952	62.18
Puducherry	4,05,294	8.36
Punjab	79,83,559	261.83
Rajasthan	85,30,338	923.61
Sikkim	52,132	5.88
Tamil Nadu	18,20,901	1530.49
Telangana	5,35,674	236.45
Tripura	13,10,364	112.69
Uttar Pradesh	2,49,52,099	946.87
Uttarakhand	49,65,241	191.27

Note: Additional 3 crore beneficiaries verified using State IT system.

Details of eligibility criteria under AB-PMJAY as per SECC 2011

Automatically included:

1. Households without shelter
2. Destitute/ living on alms
3. Manual scavenger families
4. Primitive tribal groups
5. Legally released bonded labour

Deprivation criteria in rural area:

- D1: Only one room with kucha walls and kucha roof
D2: No adult member between age 16 to 59
D3: Female headed households with no adult male member between age 16 to 59
D4: Disabled member and no able-bodied adult member
D5: SC/ST households
D7: Landless households deriving major part of their income from manual casual labour

Occupational criteria in urban area:

1. Ragpicker
2. Beggar
3. Domestic worker
4. Street vendor/ Cobbler/ hawker / other service provider working on streets
5. Construction worker/ Plumber/ Mason/ Labour/ Painter/ Welder/ Security guard/ Coolie and other head-load worker
6. Sweeper/ Sanitation worker/ Mali
7. Home-based worker/ Artisan/ Handicrafts worker/ Tailor
8. Transport worker/ Driver/ Conductor/ Helper to drivers and conductors/ Cart puller/ Rickshaw puller
9. Shop worker/ Assistant/ Peon in small establishment/ Helper/Delivery assistant / Attendant/ Waiter
10. Electrician/ Mechanic/ Assembler/ Repair worker
11. Washer-man/ Chowkidar