

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1504
TO BE ANSWERED ON 28TH JULY, 2023**

“SETTING UP OF VIRAL RESEARCH AND DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORIES”

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

- (a) whether the Government is setting up Viral Research and Diagnostic Laboratories (VRDL) in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, state/UT-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has any plan/proposal to set up one more regional VRDL lab in Maharashtra; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the time by which it is likely to be set up?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY
WELFARE
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(a) & (b) : There is a central sector scheme of Department of Health Research on “Setting up of Nation-wide network of Laboratories for managing epidemics and National Calamities wherein Virus Research and Diagnostic Laboratories (VRDLs) are established in the Government Medical College and Central Institute”.

The list of details of state/UT wise VRDL is annexed.

(c) & (d) : Presently 11 VRDLs (2 State level and 9 Medical College Level) are functioning in the state of Maharashtra. Besides, 04 ICMR Institutes (i) National Institute of Immunohaematology (NIIH), Mumbai, (ii) National Institute for Research in Reproductive and Child Health (NIRRCH), Mumbai (iii) National AIDS Research Institute (NARI), Pune and (iv) National Institute of Virology (NIV) Pune have also been established in the state of Maharashtra.

Annexure

S. No.	State/UT	Level of VRDL	LIST OF VRDLs
1	Andaman & Nicobnar	State Level	Regional Medical Research Centre, Port Blair
2	Andaman & Nicobnar	Medical College Level	Andaman & Nicobar Island Institutte of Medical Sciences (ANIIMS), Port Blair
3	Andhra Pradesh	State Level	Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh
4	Andhra Pradesh	Medical College Level	Siddhartha Medical College, Vijayawada
5	Andhra Pradesh	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Anantapur
6	Andhra Pradesh	Medical College Level	Rajeev Gandhi Institute of Medical Sciences, Kadapa
7	Andhra Pradesh	Medical College Level	Rangaraya Medical College, Kakinada
8	Andhra Pradesh	State Level	Guntur Medical College, Guntur
9	Andhra Pradesh	Medical college Level	Andhra Medical college, Vishakhapatnam
10	Andhra Pradesh	Medical college Level	All India Institute of Medical and Sciences, Mangalagiri, Andhra Pradesh
11	Andhra Pradesh	Medical college Level	Kurnool Medical College, Kurnool
12	Arunchal Pradesh	Medical college Level	Tomo Riba Institute Health and Medical Sciences (TRIHMS), Naharlagun
13	Assam	Regional level	Regional Medical Research Centre, Dibrugarh
14	Assam	State Level	Gauhati Medical College, Guwahati
15	Assam	Medical College Level	Silchar Medical College, Silchar
16	Assam	Medical College Level	Jorhat Medical College, Jorhat
17	Assam	Medical College Level	Tezpur Medical College, Tezpur

18	Assam	Medical College Level	Fakhruddin Medical College, Barpeta
19	Assam	Medical College Level	Diphu Medical College & Hospital, Diphu, Assam
20	Assam	Medical College Level	All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Guwahati, Assam
21	Assam	Medical College Level	Lakhimpur Medical College & Hospital, Assam
22	Bihar	Medical College Level	Patna Medical College, Patna
23	Bihar	Medical College Level	Darbhanga Medical College, Darbhanga
24	Bihar	Medical College Level	S K Medical College, Muzaffarpur
25	Bihar	Regional level	All India Institute of Medical Science, AIIMS Patna (Bihar)
26	Bihar	Medical College Level	Rajendra Memorial Research Institute of Medical Sciences, Patna
27	Bihar	Medical College Level	Jawahar Lal Nehru Medical College & Hospital, Bhagalpur
28	Chandigarh	Regional level	PGIMER, Chandigarh
29	Chandigarh	Medical College Level	Government Medical College & Hospital, Chandigarh
30	Chhattisgarh	Medical College Level	Late Sri Baliram Kashyap Memorial Govt. Medical College, Jagdalpur
31	Chhattisgarh	State Level	All India Institute of Medical Science (AIIMS) Raipur, Chhattisgarh.
32	Chhattisgarh	Medical College Level	Pt. JNM Medical College, Raipur, Chhattisgarh
33	Chhattisgarh	Medical College Level	Chhattisgarh Institute of Medical Sciences, Bilaspur, Chhattisgarh
34	Chhattisgarh	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Kanker, Chhattisgarh
35	Chhattisgarh	Medical College Level	Chandulal Chandrakar Memorial Government Medical College, Durg, Chhattisgarh
36	Delhi-NCT	Regional Level	All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi- 110029

37	Delhi-NCT	Medical Level	Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital and Atal Bihari Vajpayee Institute of Medical Sciences
38	Delhi-NCT	Medical College Level	Lady Hardinge Medical College, New Delhi
39	Delhi-NCT	Medical College Level	University College of Medical Sciences & Guru Teg Hospital, Delhi
40	Delhi-NCT	State Level	Maulana Azad Medical College, New Delhi
41	Delhi-NCT	Medical College Level	Army Hospital Research and Referral Dhauula Kuan, New Delhi
42	Goa	Medical College Level	Goa Medical College , Bambolim
43	Gujarat	State Level	B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad
44	Gujarat	Medical College Level	M.P. Shah Medical College, Jamnagar
45	Gujarat	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Surat
46	Gujarat	Medical College Level	GMC, Bhavnagar
47	Gujarat	Medical College Level	PDU GMC, Rajkot
48	Gujarat	Medical College Level	Government Medical College & SSG Hospital, Vadodara
49	Gujarat	Medical College Level	All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Rajkot, Gujarat
50	Haryana	Medical College Level	PGIMS, Rohtak
51	Haryana	Medical College Level	BPS Government Medical College for Women, Sonapat
52	Haryana	Medical College Level	Kalpana Chawla Government Medical College, Karnal, Haryana
53	Himachal Pradesh	State Level	Indira Gandhi Medical College, Shimla
54	Himachal Pradesh	Medical College Level	Lal Bahadur Shastri Medical College, Mandi, Himachal Pradesh
55	Himachal Pradesh	Medical College Level	Dr.Rajendra Prasad Government Medical College, Tanda

56	Himachal Pradesh	Medical College Level	Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru Govt. medical College, Chamba, Himachal Pradesh
57	Himachal Pradesh	Regional level	All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Bilaspur
58	Jammu and Kashmir	State Level	Sher-i-Kashmir Institute of Medical Sciences, Srinagar
59	Jammu and Kashmir	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Jammu
60	Jammu and Kashmir	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Srinagar
61	Jammu and Kashmir	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Baramulla
62	Jammu and Kashmir	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Anantnag
63	Jharkhand	Medical College Level	Rajendra Institute of Medical Sciences, Ranchi
64	Jharkhand	Medical College Level	MGM Medical College, Jamshedpur
65	Jharkhand	State Level	All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Deogarh, Jharkhand
66	Karnataka	State Level	Bangalore Medical College & Research Institute, Bangalore
67	Karnataka	Medical College Level	Mysore Medical College & Research Institute, Mysore
68	Karnataka	Medical College Level	Vijayanagar Institute of Medical Science, Bellary
69	Karnataka	Medical College Level	Hassan Institute of Medical Sciences, Hassan
70	Karnataka	Medical College Level	Shimoga Institute of Medical Sciences
71	Karnataka	Medical College Level	Karnataka Institute of Medical Sciences, Hubballi
72	Karnataka	Medical College Level	Gulbarga Institute Of Medical Sciences, Gulbarga
73	Kerala	Regional Level	Government Medical College, Kozhikode
74	Kerala	State Level	National Institute of Virology, Alappuzha

75	Kerala	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Trivandrum
76	Kerala	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Thrissur
77	Kerala	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Kannur, Pariyaram
78	Kerala	Medical College Level	Government Medical College Manjeri, Malapuram, Kerala
79	Madhya Pradesh	Regional level	AIIMS, Bhopal
80	Madhya Pradesh	Medical College Level	Bundelkhand Medical College, Sagar
81	Madhya Pradesh	Medical College Level	MGM Medical College, Indore
82	Madhya Pradesh	Medical College Level	Gajra Raja Medical College, Gwalior
83	Madhya Pradesh	State Level	National Institute for Research in Tribal Health(NIRTH), Jabalpur
84	Madhya Pradesh	Medical College Level	S.S Medical College, Rewa
85	Maharashtra	Medical College Level	Indira Gandhi Government Medical College, Nagpur
86	Maharashtra	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Miraj, Sangli
87	Maharashtra	Medical College Level	Kasturba Hospital for Infectious Diseases, Mumbai
88	Maharashtra	Medical College Level	Seth GS Medical College & KEM Hospital , Mumbai
89	Maharashtra	Medical College Level	AIIMS, Nagpur
90	Maharashtra	State Level	Government Medical college, Nagpur
91	Maharashtra	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Aurangabad
92	Maharashtra	Medical College Level	V. M. Government Meical College, Solapur
93	Maharashtra	Medical College Level	Shri Bhausahab Hire Government Medical College, Dhule

94	Maharashtra	Medical College Level	Government Medical College and Hospital & Superspeciality Hospital, Akola
95	Maharashtra	State Level	Armed Forces Medical College (AFMC), Pune
96	Manipur	State Level	Regional Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal
97	Manipur	Medical College Level	JNIMS, Imphal
98	Meghalaya	State Level	NEIGRIHMS, Shillong
99	Mizoram	Medical College Level	Zoram Medical College
100	Odisha	Regional level	RMRC, Bhubaneswar
101	Odisha	State Level	SCB Medical College, Cuttack
102	Odisha	State Level	AIIMS, Bhubaneswar
103	Odisha	Medical College Level	Saheed Laxman Nayak Medical College & Hospital, Koraput, Odisha (SLNMCH)
104	Odisha	Medical College Level	Veer Surendra Sai Institute of Medical Sciences and Reserach, Burla, Sambalpur, Odisha
105	Odisha	Medical College Level	Maharaja Krishna Chandra Gajapati Medical College and Hospital, Berhmapur.
106	Puducherry	Regional level	JIPMER, Puducherry
107	Puducherry	Medical College Level	Indira Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute, Puducherry
108	Punjab	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Amritsar
109	Punjab	Medical College Level	Guru Gobind Singh Medical College, Faridkot, Punjab
110	Punjab	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Patiala
111	Punjab	Medical College Level	AIIMS, Bathinda

112	Rajasthan	State Level	SMS Medical College, Jaipur
113	Rajasthan	Medical College Level	Dr. S.N. Medical College, Jodhpur
114	Rajasthan	Medical College Level	RNT Medical College, Udaipur
115	Rajasthan	Medical College Level	S.P. Medical College & Associated Group of Hospitals, Bikaner, Rajasthan
116	Rajasthan	Medical College Level	Jhalawar Medical College, Jhalawar, Rajasthan
117	Rajasthan	Regional level	AIIMS, Jodhpur
118	Rajasthan	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Kota, Rajasthan
119	Rajasthan	Medical College Level	Military Hospital Jodhpur, Rajasthan
120	Tamil Nadu	Medical College Level	Madurai Medical College, Madurai
121	Tamil Nadu	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Theni
122	Tamil Nadu	Medical College Level	Government Mohan Kumaramangalam Medical College, Salem
123	Tamil Nadu	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Thiruvarur
124	Tamil Nadu	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Villupuram
125	Tamil Nadu	Medical College Level	Tirunelveli Medical College, Tirunelveli
126	Tamil Nadu	State Level	Coimbatore Medical College, Coimbatore
127	Tamil Nadu	State Level	King Institute of Preventive Medicine and Research, Chennai, Tamil Nadu
128	Tamil Nadu	Medical College Level	Madras Medical College, Chennai, Tamil Nadu
129	Tamil Nadu	Medical College Level	ICMR-National Institute for Research in Tuberculosis, Chennai
130	Tripura	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Agartala

131	Telangana	Medical College Level	Osmania Medical College, Hyderabad
132	Telangana	Medical College Level	Kakatiya Medical College, Nizampura, Warangal
133	Telangana	State Level	Gandhi Medical College, Secunderabad
134	Telangana	Medical College Level	All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Bibinagar
135	Uttar Pradesh	State Level	King George Medical University, Lucknow
136	Uttar Pradesh	Medical College Level	J N Medical College, Aligarh
137	Uttar Pradesh	Medical College Level	UPUMS,(Formerly UPRIMS) Saifai
138	Uttar Pradesh	State Level	Institute of Medical Sciences, Banaras Hindu University, Banaras
139	Uttar Pradesh	State Level	ICMR-Regional Medical Research Center, Gorakhpur
140	Uttar Pradesh	Medical College Level	All India Institute of Medical Science Raebareli, Uttar Pradesh
141	Uttar Pradesh	Medical College Level	Government Institute of Medical Sciences, Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh
142	Uttar Pradesh	Medical College Level	LLRM Medical College, Meerut, Uttar Pradesh
143	Uttarakhand	Medical College Level	Government Medical College, Haldwani
144	Uttarakhand	State Level	AIIMS, Rishikesh
145	Uttarakhand	Medical College Level	Doon Government Medical College, Dehradun
146	West Bengal	Regional level	NICED Virus Unit, Kolkata
147	West Bengal	Medical College Level	IPGMER, Kolkata
148	West Bengal	Medical College Level	Murshidabad Medical College & Hospital, Murshidabad, Berhampore, West Bengal
149	West Bengal	Medical College Level	Midnapore Medical College & Hospital, Midnapore

150	West Bengal	Medical College Level	North Bengal Medical College, Darjeeling
151	West Bengal	Medical College Level	Malda Medical College, Malda
152	West Bengal	Medical College Level	Burdwan Medical College
153	West Bengal	Medical College Level	RG Kar Medical College, Kolkata
154	West Bengal	Medical College Level	Diamond Harbour Govt. Medical College & Hospital, Diamond Harbour, West Bengal
155	West Bengal	Medical College Level	All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Kalyani, West Bengal