

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

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION No-3689**  
**TO BE ANSWERED ON 11.08.2023**

**AYUSHMAN BHARAT DIGITAL MISSION**

**3689 : SHRIMATI JASKAUR MEENA:**

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

- (a) the salient features of Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission;
- (b) the details of the funds sanctioned, released and utilized under this mission in Rajasthan so far;
- (c) the number of States/districts across the country in which the mission is being implemented presently as a pilot project;
- (d) the details of the target set and the achievements made so far in Rajasthan along with the response received on the said mission across the country; and
- (e) whether the Government proposes to launch this mission in full-fledged mode across the country and if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE**  
**(PROF. SATYA PAL SINGH BAGHEL)**

**(a) to (e)**

The Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission-ABDM (earlier known as National Digital Health Mission) was launched as a pilot on 15<sup>th</sup> August 2020 in six Union Territories– Andaman & Nicobar, Chandigarh, Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu, Ladakh, Lakshadweep and Puducherry. National rollout of the ABDM has been announced on 27<sup>th</sup> September, 2021.

ABDM aims to enable creation of longitudinal electronic health record across the health spectrum for citizen, make healthcare accessible for citizens, reduce the cost of care and enable greater efficiencies in health service delivery.

The digital health ecosystem created by ABDM supports continuity of care across primary, secondary and tertiary healthcare in a seamless manner. It ensures availability of health care services through electronic means particularly in remote and rural areas where generally as such specialist care may not be available.

Three key registries of ABDM namely Ayushman Bharat Health Account (ABHA) number, Health Professional Registry (HPR), Health Facility Registry (HFR) and digital infrastructure for data exchange are accordingly promoted to enable data interoperability across digital health platforms.

As on 8<sup>th</sup> August 2023, a total of 44.10 Cr ABHA numbers have been created in country out of which 2.26 Cr ABHAs are created in Rajasthan. More than 29,22,96,632 health records have been linked with ABHA number, out of which 68,80,199 health record are linked with ABHA from Rajasthan.

Under ABDM, a central sector scheme, funding for human resources, capacity building & Information Education and Communication (IEC) activities is provided to all States and Union Territories (UTs). Rs 14.41 Cr has been allocated to Rajasthan under ABDM so far.

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