GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1018
TO BE ANSWERED ON 08.12.2023

MONITORING OF POSHAN ABHIYAAN

1018. SHRI VIVEK NARAYAN SHEJWALKAR:

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a)   the amount of budget allocation made to the States under the POSHAN Abhiyaan, State/UT-wise;

(b)   the present status of the POSHAN Abhiyaan in Madhya Pradesh, district wise;

(c)   whether the Government has put in place any monitoring mechanism for the smooth operation of the scheme; and

(d)   if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a)   The details of funds, released to States/UTs for Poshan Abhiyan under Saksham Anganwadi and Mission Poshan 2.0 is at **Annexure I.**

(b)   All the districts in Madhya Pradesh are covered under the POSHAN Abhiyaan. The district-wise status of POSHAN Abhiyaan (comprising of number of beneficiaries registered on Poshan Tracker and number of activities conducted during Poshan Maah 2023) in Madhya Pradesh is at **Annexure II & III** respectively**.**

Beneficiary category	Number of beneficiaries registered on POSHAN Tracker (as on Oct. 23)	Number of Smart phones procured	Number of GMDs procured	No. of activities conducted during Jan Andolan 2023 (during Poshan Maah)
Children 0-6m	306868			
Children 6m-3y	2861859			
Children 3y-6y	3545764	55734	97135	50612204
Pregnant Women	512510			
Lactating Mothers	352120			

(c) to (d).   IT systems have been leveraged to strengthen and bring about transparency in nutrition delivery support systems at the Anganwadi centres. The 'Poshan Tracker' application was rolled out on 1st March, 2021 as an important governance tool. The Poshan Tracker facilitates monitoring and tracking of all AWCs, AWWs and beneficiaries on defined indicators. Technology under Poshan Tracker is being leveraged for dynamic identification of stunting, wasting, under-weight prevalence among children. Further, under Poshan 2.0, for the first time, a digital revolution was ushered in when the Anganwadi Centres were equipped with mobile devices. The mobile application has also facilitated digitization and automation of physical registers used by AWWs that helps in improving their quality of work. Poshan Tracker is available in 22 languages including Hindi and English. It has facilitated near real time data collection for Anganwadi Services such as, daily attendance, ECCE, Provision of Hot Cooked Meal (HCM)/Take Home Ration (THR-not raw ration), Growth Measurement etc. The App also offers counselling videos on key behaviours and services which help disseminate messages on birth preparedness, delivery, post-natal care, breastfeeding and complementary feeding. Steps have been taken to improve nutritional quality and testing in accredited labs, strengthen delivery and leverage technology under Poshan Tracker to improve governance with regard to real time monitoring of provisioning of supplementary nutrition for prompt supervision and management of services.

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(a) State/UT wise statement of funds released under Poshan Abhiyaan last year
(Rupees in Lakhs)

Sl.	State/UT	FY 2022-23 Central Funds released
1	A & N ISLANDS	47.45
2	ANDHRA PRADESH	2707.69
3	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	14.70
4	ASSAM	34.50
5	BIHAR	3916.76
6	CHANDIGARH	149.21
7	CHHATTISGARH	33.00
8	D & N HAVELI and DAMAN & DIU	18.22
9	DELHI	14.25
10	GOA	1.65
11	GUJARAT	50.40
12	HARYANA	22.20
13	HIMACHAL PRADESH	194.38
14	JAMMU & KASHMIR	19.20
15	JHARKHAND	33.60
16	KARNATAKA	1746.60
17	KERALA	2057.70
18	LADAKH	1.95
19	LAKSHADWEEP	1.35
20	MADHYA PRADESH	2183.79
21	MAHARASHTRA	82.95
22	MANIPUR	6.45
23	MEGHALAYA	430.66
24	MIZORAM	0.00
25	NAGALAND	2340.56
26	ODISHA	50.70
27	PUDUCHERRY	0.75
28	PUNJAB	23.25
29	RAJASTHAN	1064.28
30	SIKKIM	0.00
31	TAMIL NADU	11787.60
32	TELANGANA	1735.95
33	TRIPURA	97.32
34	UTTAR PRADESH	134.55
35	UTTARAKHAND	943.09
36	WEST BENGAL	86.40
	Total	32033.11

District wise number of beneficiaries registered on Poshan Tracker in Madhya Pradesh (Oct. 2023)

Districts	Children 0m - 6m	Children 6m - 3y	Children 3y - 6y	Pregnant woman	Lactating mother
Agar Malwa	1925	22720	29337	3703	2447
Alirajpur	4118	50509	69539	5812	4350
Anuppur	2926	26098	32385	4954	3282
Ashoknagar	2895	34557	43431	5373	3308
Barwani	7306	75414	96260	11582	8127
Burhanpur	3554	32402	40468	5636	4018
Balaghat	8022	68449	67750	13441	8784
Betul	7165	59328	65886	11850	8131
Bhind	5915	59921	74971	9707	6706
Bhopal	9569	77447	84008	16041	10745
Chhatarpur	9350	83586	107141	14698	10297
Chhindwara	10136	82767	96602	15492	11530
Damoh	6082	52844	66511	9649	7133
Datia	3003	28383	37471	4689	3413
Dindori	3363	29801	36157	5515	3740
Dewas	5734	57560	71260	10386	6658
Dhar	12621	105233	132076	17692	13687
Guna	7105	54312	66005	9869	7649
Gwalior	6423	66318	82934	11544	7776
Harda	2182	20507	23727	4016	2549
Indore	7209	75766	94879	13793	8680
Jabalpur	6452	67128	84136	12935	8211
Jhabua	4994	71685	96793	10061	6467
Katni	8049	52101	63709	9926	8423
Khandwa	5940	52014	62884	9373	6485
Khargone (West Nimar)	8550	78609	94274	13806	9574
Morena	8964	85598	107757	14218	10626
Mandla	5343	39966	46820	8048	5858
Mandsaur	5437	49098	58621	9025	6335
Niwadi	1512	15494	20739	2456	1769
Narmadapuram	5198	43764	50255	8473	5867
Narsinghpur	3383	34441	42950	6466	3983
Neemuch	3479	28819	35883	5067	3822
Panna	4786	42638	55717	7459	5443
Rajgarh	6331	59022	76127	11049	7700
Raisen	4911	48987	61458	9301	5797
Ratlam	6199	64391	78388	10687	7033
Rewa	9728	96288	122909	19077	11347

Shajapur	3224	34097	44036	6356	3907
Shivpuri	7586	78452	100823	11188	8356
Sidhi	5113	50300	65362	9211	5882
Sagar	8815	92203	113640	17018	10476
Satna	9214	82027	98908	16138	10538
Sehore	5501	51696	63252	10399	6515
Seoni	5703	52378	60782	10079	6882
Shahdol	5329	43097	54174	8404	5705
Sheopur	3964	35196	44446	5434	4386
Singrauli	5345	57007	73882	10632	6855
Tikamgarh	5549	48144	62551	8413	6204
Ujjain	7864	70819	92656	13089	9171
Umaria	2736	22286	28296	4120	3165
Vidisha	5066	50192	64738	9160	6328

District wise number of activities conducted during Poshan Maah 2023 in Madhya Pradesh:

Districts	No. of activities reported
Agar Malwa	322,713
Alirajpur	993,524
Anuppur	512,484
Ashoknagar	529,062
Balaghat	1,481,354
BARWANI	977,600
Betul	1,250,517
Bhind	1,217,694
Bhopal	1,042,673
BURHANPUR	325,643
Chhatarpur	1,384,853
Chhindwara	1,593,912
DAMOH	705,818
DATIA	887,126
Dewas	1,235,508
Dhar	2,079,455
DINDORI	948,322
Guna	648,497
Gwalior	678,240
Harda	330,650
Indore	1,318,752
Jabalpur	1,153,447
Jhabua	1,100,485
KATNI	1,861,358
KHANDWA	632,904
Khargone (West Nimar)	1,539,284
Mandla	896,346
Mandsaur	765,479
MORENA	1,117,590
Narmadapuram	872,032
Narsinghpur	671,787

Neemuch	626,113
NIWADI	229,557
PANNA	714,556
Raisen	1,013,321
RAJGARH	1,120,373
Ratlam	1,295,342
Rewa	1,470,622
Sagar	1,661,200
Satna	1,400,303
Sehore	773,526
Seoni	1,202,103
Shahdol	768,579
SHAJAPUR	530,051
Sheopur	539,115
SHIVPURI	1,097,321
SIDHI	948,873
Singrauli	635,051
Tikamgarh	747,707
UJJAIN	901,227
UMARIA	366,653
VIDISHA	1,495,476
Others activities reported in the State	26
Grand Total	**50,612,204**