

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 2090
TO BE ANSWERED ON- 15/12/2023**

PROPOSALS FOR AIIMS IN KERALA

**2090. SHRI M.K. RAGHAVAN:
DR. M.P. ABDUSSAMAD SAMADANI:**

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

- (a) whether there are ongoing discussions/ negotiations between the Central and State Government of Kerala regarding the AIIMS proposal and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government has set any timeline for the final decision on AIIMS location in Kerala and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government is considering the allocation of AIIMS in the central part of Kerala, particularly in Ernakulam district, in response to the longstanding demand from the State;
- (d) whether the Government of Kerala has notified the Union Government regarding the land availability for setting up of AIIMS and if so, the details thereof;
- (e) the details of the proposal(s) for setting up of AIIMS in Kerala along with the present status thereof, district-wise; and
- (f) whether the Government proposes to consider the inclusion of the AIIMS proposal for Kerala in the Union Budget 2024-25 and if so, the details thereof?

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

(a) to (f) Under Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY) , All India Institutes of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) are set up in different parts of the country in a phased manner, keeping in view the gaps in availability of tertiary health care facilities. Till date, 22 AIIMS have been sanctioned under the scheme. Government of Kerala has identified & proposed four sites for the establishment of new AIIMS in the State viz. Kinaloor in Kozhikode district, Kattakada Taluk in Thiruvananthapuram district, Kottayam district and Ernakulam district. The proposal has not been approved in the current phase of PMSSY.
