

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1025
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22ND NOVEMBER, 2019**

CENTRAL GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS IN ASSAM

1025. SHRI M. BADRUDDIN AJMAL:

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

- (a) the number of Centrally sponsored hospitals in Assam at present;
- (b) the number of doctors, nurses and other staff at each hospital;
- (c) whether any hospital has been established/upgraded during the last five years;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY)**

(a) & (b): Lokopriyo Gopinath Bordoloi Regional Institute of Mental Health, Tezpur, Assam is a fully central government sponsored hospital located in the State of Assam. The total sanctioned strength of the institute is 394. The details are given as under:

	Sanctioned Strength	In position	Vacant position
Doctor	95	59	36
Nurse	77	77	0
Other staff	222	211	11
Total	394	347	47

(c) to (e): Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY) is a Central Sector Scheme, being implemented by the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare directly through Executing Agencies and Procurement Support Agency. The scheme has two components:

- (i) Setting up of new AIIMS; and
- (ii) Up-gradation of existing Government Medical Colleges/ Institutions (GMCIs)

Under PMSSY, two Govt. Medical Colleges in Assam i.e. (i) Assam Medical College, Dibrugarh and (ii) Guwahati Medical College, Guwahati have been taken up for upgradation under Phase-III of PMSSY at an approved cost of Rs. 150 crore for each project (Central Share – Rs. 120 crore and State Share – Rs. 30 crore). The upgradation involves construction of Super Speciality Block and procurement of Medical Equipment. Apart from this, an AIIMS has also been approved to be set up in Guwahati at a cost of Rs. 1123 crore.

The Lokopriyo Gopinath Bordoloi Regional Institute of Mental Health, Tezpur, Assam has been upgraded during last five years with allocated fund of Rs. 275 crore.