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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1926 TO BE ANSWERED ON 29TH NOVEMBER, 2019

CGHS FACILITIES IN DELHI

1926. SHRI JANARDAN SINGH SIGRIWAL:

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to take *suo moto* cognizance regarding difficulties being faced by CGHS beneficiaries in emergency services under Central Government Hospitals situated in Delhi;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the corrective steps taken/proposed to be taken in this regard;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to open separate emergency services in Central Government hospitals for CGHS beneficiaries in Delhi keeping in view the large number of Government employees and public representatives residing in the area;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (e) whether the Government proposes to open CGHS wing with all departments at RML and Safdarjung hospitals to provide smooth medical services to a large number of CGHS beneficiaries and if so, the details thereof and the time by which such departments would be opened; and
- (f) if not, the reasons therefor?

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

- (a) & (b): At present, there is no such proposal regarding emergency services under Central Government Hospitals situated in Delhi.
- (c): No, there is no such proposal at present.
- (d): Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital, Safdarjung Hospital and Lady Hardinge Medical College & Smt. Sucheta Kriplani Hospital are the Central Government hospitals in Delhi that provide medical care to CGHS beneficiaries. Private hospitals have also been empanelled by CGHS to cater to the needs of CGHS beneficiaries including emergency care.
- (e) & (f): Separate department for CGHS beneficiaries in General Medicine and General Surgery Department in Dr. RML Hospital and a CGHS wing with all departments in Safdarjung Hospital is already functional.