

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2052
TO BE ANSWERED ON 29TH NOVEMBER, 2019**

SETTING UP OF AIIMS, DARBHANGA

2052. SHRI GOPAL JEE THAKUR:

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

- (a) whether the Government is taking any concrete and time bound action in coordination with the Government of Bihar to remove the flaws and problems raised by the central team in Darbhanga, Bihar regarding setting up of AIIMS;
- (b) if so, the action plan in this regard; and
- (c) the time by which the said institute will be operational?

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

(a) to (c): The Central team, in its report, had found the site at Darbhanga, offered by the Government of Bihar, not suitable for setting up of AIIMS.

Accordingly, State Government was requested to identify suitable encumbrance free site(s) at Darbhanga or elsewhere in the State at an early date so that this Ministry could take further action for establishment of second AIIMS in the State.

State Government is yet to offer a suitable encumbrance free site(s) for second new AIIMS in Bihar.