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

LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2055 TO BE ANSWERED ON 29TH NOVEMBER, 2019

FAMILY PLANNING PROGRAMMES

2055. SHRI ASHOK KUMAR RAWAT: SHRIMATI S. JOTHIMANI: DR. NISHIKANT DUBEY:

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

- (a) the details of Family Planning Programmes launched by the Government at rural level to create awareness about Family Planning along with the expenditure incurred by Government on advertisements related to Family Planning during the last three years and the current year, year-wise;
- (b) the expenditure incurred/the amount earmarked for family planning programmes along with the progress made in reducing the birthrate during the said period, State/UT-wise and year-wise;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to increase the budget provisions in this regard in future, if so, the details thereof;
- (d) the details of the programmes/ schemes pertaining to family planning aimed at unmarried youth (males and females) within the ages of 19-24 years; and
- (e) whether the Government is planning to roll out injectable contraceptive (DMPA) on pan India basis, if so, the details thereof?

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

- (a): Key initiatives launched by the Government to create awareness about Family Planning are as follows:
 - I. **360 degree media campaign** The first phase of the campaign was launched in 2016 and the present second phase comprising TV Commercials, posters and hoardings, and a dedicated website on Family Planning was launched in 2017;
 - II. World Population Day & fortnight as well as Vasectomy Fortnight are observed every year to boost awareness across all States/ UTs.
 - III. **Promotional activities** like Saas bahu sammelans, Nayi Pehel Kits, Mobile publicity vans, and advocacy meetings are undertaken to increase awareness in high fertility Mission Parivar Vikas districts.

The expenditure incurred by Government on advertisements related to Family Planning during the last three years and the current year, year - wise is:

- 2016-17: Rs. 3154.99 lakh
- 2017-18: Rs. 3306.21 lakh
- 2018-19: Rs. 3123.20 lakh
- 2019-20 (till second quarter): Rs. 548.66 lakh
- (b): The expenditure incurred/the amount earmarked for family planning programmes along with the progress made in reducing the birthrate during the said period, State/UT- wise and year- wise are placed in Annexure I.
- (c): Public Health being a state subject the primary responsibility to strengthen healthcare in the country lies with respective State Governments. However, under National Health Mission (NHM), support is provided to States/ UTs for strengthening their healthcare services based on proposals received from them.
- (d): Details of the programmes/schemes pertaining to family planning aimed at unmarried youth (males and females) within the ages of 19-24 years are placed at Annexure II.
- (e): The Government has already rolled out Injectable contraceptive Medroxy Progesterone Acetate (MPA) under 'Antara programme' at pan-India level, and service provisioning has started in all States/ UTs.

Annexure I

Amount earmarked for Family Planning programmes:

	State		FP approval (In lakh INR)					
SNo.		2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20			
A. High I	A. High Focus States							
1	Bihar	24690.2	28396.3	36894.1	33401.1			
2	Chhattisgarh	8248.2	10018.4	9410.5	9817.6			
3	Himachal Pradesh	2573.6	2704.4	2739.3	6278.7			
4	Jammu & Kashmir	3997.1	3077.3	3885.5	4158.3			
5	Jharkhand	7841.7	10436.8	11702.0	13440.2			
6	Madhya Pradesh	25711.8	25188.5	28619.2	35828.4			
7	Orissa	11120.9	12060.6	13487.0	10999.2			
8	Rajasthan	20418.4	23713.7	22956.3	39316.8			
9	Uttar Pradesh	52775.6	54054.9	53174.4	40203.7			
10	Uttarakhand	2391.5	2465.6	2760.5	3752.7			
B. NE Sta	ates		l.	1				
11	Arunachal Pradesh	1380.2	1906.2	1510.8	1207.4			
12	Assam	12194.2	12629.0	13892.9	16687.4			
13	Manipur	1017.4	1159.0	1014.5	1859.3			
14	Meghalaya	1768.6	1127.3	1257.1	2967.9			
15	Mizoram	727.3	751.6	544.0	649.1			
16	Nagaland	1099.6	943.7	918.2	924.1			
17	Sikkim	259.5	302.2	284.4	327.1			
18	Tripura	1364.6	1839.8	1410.8	1650.1			
C. Non H	C. Non High Focus States							
19	Andhra Pradesh	9785.4	7914.7	6273.1	6596.8			
20	Goa	218.4	366.1	321.4	970.8			
21	Gujarat	11718.7	11659.9	12505.7	15996.5			
22	Haryana	4945.0	4999.2	5917.8	5346.3			
23	Karnataka	14052.3	13267.9	14882.0	19942.2			
24	Kerala	2284.4	3257.7	5200.4	4878.8			
25	Maharashtra	19998.6	20357.2	19541.7	38691.6			
26	Punjab	4337.0	3611.7	5487.3	9703.8			
27	Tamil Nadu	10635.3	11019.4	11445.9	21797.1			
28	Telangana	9599.0	11424.7	6334.0	5614.7			
29	West Bengal	11511.3	17908.9	14676.4	20218.4			
D. Small	States and UTs							
30	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	222.4	300.5	262.4	271.5			
31	Chandigarh	196.3	218.6	139.7	87.9			
32	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	204.6	202.3	216.6	158.5			
33	Daman & Diu	96.7	118.4	109.9	77.0			
34	Delhi	1983.2	1944.0	1925.7	1552.7			
35	Lakshadweep	52.5	73.1	62.4	49.2			
36	Puducherry	188.9	252.0	273.6	302.3			
	Grand Total	281610.6	301671.5	312037.7	375725.2			

Expenditure incurred for Family Planning programmes:

	State	FP expenditure total (in lakh INR)						
S.No.		2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20 (Till second			
				2010 17	quarter)			
	A. High Focus States							
1	Bihar	13361.2	15927.7	19813.3	6068.0			
2	Chhattisgarh	5884.4	5830.2	6823.2	3718.1			
3	Himachal Pradesh	2001.3	1467.5	2536.3	3297.2			
4	Jammu & Kashmir	2072.0	1948.0	2651.9	867.2			
5	Jharkhand	4627.4	5665.4	7024.2	3466.9			
6	Madhya Pradesh	19854.3	18265.6	20036.7	19457.1			
7	Orissa	8214.3	7587.6	9388.5	4160.2			
8	Rajasthan	16927.9	13206.2	19909.4	15791.6			
9	Uttar Pradesh	21733.8	31006.5	35428.9	12380.0			
10	Uttarakhand	1942.0	1889.7	2339.3	2267.9			
	_	B. NE State						
11	Arunachal Pradesh	873.3	808.3	796.3	272.3			
12	Assam	10890.3	7863.9	11034.7	6717.5			
13	Manipur	333.6	432.7	734.9	453.3			
14	Meghalaya	747.8	788.8	668.3	311.1			
15	Mizoram	398.5	402.1	425.5	152.0			
16	Nagaland	527.3	301.4	699.0	235.5			
17	Sikkim	211.6	220.8	250.7	36.3			
18	Tripura	780.5	997.9	1059.9	296.3			
		n High Focu	s States					
19	Andhra Pradesh	8255.8	5179.8	5551.8	2386.3			
20	Goa	104.3	130.7	170.0	139.5			
21	Gujarat	11525.6	9734.8	11142.5	3882.0			
22	Haryana	3049.5	3264.4	4050.8	1738.0			
23	Karnataka	5336.3	8904.1	9924.4	5196.7			
24	Kerala	1828.2	2164.5	2992.3	1206.2			
25	Maharashtra	11543.3	9668.2	16018.5	4067.3			
26	Punjab	3537.1	2068.5	4110.1	5452.6			
27	Tamil Nadu	11232.3	6798.6	12375.4	3987.0			
28	Telangana	2941.6	1922.3	5462.3	1834.5			
29	West Bengal	9734.5	7989.8	11200.7	7526.1			
	D. Sr	nall States ar	nd UTs					
30	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	100.0	104.0	167.6	126.6			
31	Chandigarh	82.4	119.1	134.5	41.4			
32	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	119.5	99.5	112.4	38.3			
33	Daman & Diu	50.2	52.5	67.5	16.9			
34	Delhi	726.1	1123.4	731.1	327.4			
35	Lakshadweep	15.8	19.9	27.0	22.8			
36	Puducherry	139.8	157.6	157.7	83.4			
	Grand Total	181704.1	174111.8	226017.6	118021.6			

Progress in reducing birth rates State/UT wise (Source: SRS)

	2016-17	2017-18	
INDIA	20.4	20.2	
Andaman and Nicobar Island	11.7	11.4	
Andhra Pradesh	16.4	16.2	
Arunachal Pradesh	18.9	18.3	
Assam	21.7	21.2	
Bihar	26.8	26.4	
Chandigarh	13.9	13.5	
Chhattisgarh	22.8	22.7	
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	24.5	23.6	
Daman and Diu	24.0	20.2	
Delhi	15.5	15.2	
Goa	12.9	12.5	
Gujarat	20.1	19.9	
Haryana	20.7	20.5	
Himachal Pradesh	16.0	15.8	
Jammu and Kashmir	15.7	15.4	
Jharkhand	22.9	22.7	
Karnataka	17.6	17.4	
Kerala	14.3	14.2	
Lakshadweep	18.9	15.0	
Madhya Pradesh	25.1	24.8	
Maharashtra	15.9	15.7	
Manipur	12.9	14.6	
Meghalaya	23.7	22.8	
Mizoram	15.5	15.0	
Nagaland	14.0	13.5	
Odisha	18.6	18.3	
Puducherry	13.9	13.2	
Punjab	14.9	14.9	
Rajasthan	24.3	24.1	
Sikkim	16.6	16.4	
Telangana	17.5	17.2	
Tamil Nadu	15.0	14.9	
Tripura	13.7	13.0	
Uttar Pradesh	26.2	25.9	
Uttarakhand	16.6	17.3	
West Bengal	15.4	15.2	

<u>Initiatives taken by the Government for promotion of family planning among India's youth:</u>

- 1. **New Spacing methods-** New contraceptives viz. Injectable contraceptive and Centchroman have been added to the existing basket of choices.
- 2. Improved Demand generation activities through a **360 degree media campaign** with special focus on **Male participation**.
- 3. **Redesigned Contraceptive Packaging -** The packaging for Condoms, OCPs and ECPs has now been improved and redesigned so as to increase the demand for these commodities.
- 4. **Cu IUCD 375** with 5 years effectivity has been introduced in the programme as an alternative to the existing IUCD (Cu IUCD 380A with effectivity of 10 years).
- 5. **Condom boxes** set up in health facilities to enable clients to access condoms in privacy.
- 6. Dedicated **RMNCH+A counselors** have been appointed at high case load facilities.
- 7. **Mission Parivar Vikas-** The Government has launched Mission Parivar Vikas for substantially increasing access to contraceptives and family planning services in 146 high fertility districts with Total Fertility Rate (TFR) of 3 and above in seven high focus states. These districts are from the states of Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand and Assam.
- 8. Family Planning Logistic Management and Information System (FP-LMIS): A dedicated software to ensure smooth forecasting, procurement and distribution of family planning commodities across all the levels of health facilities.