

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION No. 4401
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.03.2020

ANGANWADI KENDRAS IN BIHAR

4401. SHRI GIRIDHARI YADAV:
SHRIMATI RAMA DEVI:

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Anganwadi Kendras working in Bihar at present and the number of Kendras closed down among them, district-wise;
- (b) the steps being taken by the Government to reopen the closed Anganwadi Kendras in Bihar;
- (c) whether the Anganwadi workers are getting paid on time in Bihar and if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor along with the honorarium fixed by the Government at present;
- (d) whether Anganwadi centres in Bihar are functioning from rented buildings and if so, the details thereof along with the funds allocated and expenditure incurred thereunder, district-wise;
- (e) the details of provisions prescribed for renting buildings to run Anganwadi centres; and
- (f) the corrective measures taken by the Government in this regard?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT
(SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) & (b) As on 16.03.2020, against 1,14,718 sanctioned Anganwadi Centres (AWCs) in Bihar 1,08,260 Anganwadi Centres are operational. As informed by the Government of Bihar, no Anganwadi Kendra has been closed down in the State. District-wise number of sanctioned and operational AWCs in State of Bihar is at **Annexure-I**.

(c) As informed by the State Government of Bihar, honorarium to Anganwadi Workers is being paid on time through Direct Benefit Transfer. Per month honorarium paid to AWWs in the State of Bihar is as under:

(Amount in Rupees)

Functionary	Honorarium	Additional Honorarium by State	Total
AWW	4500	1150	5650
AWW at Mini-AWC	3500	900	4400

(d) to (f) As on 16.03.2020, 61,502 Anganwadi Centres are functioning from rented premise in the State of Bihar. District-wise details of AWCs functioning from rented premises and funds allocated for rent to these buildings is at **Annexure-II**. As per guidelines issued by the State Government of Bihar, there is provision of rent of Rs.4,000/- per month per AWC building for urban area and Rs.1,000/- per month per AWC building for rural area.

ANNEXURE REFERRED IN REPLY TO PART (a) AND (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4401 FOR 20.03.2020 REGARDING ANGANWADI KENDRAS IN BIHAR ASKED BY SHRI GIRIDHARI YADAV AND SHRIMATI RAMA DEVI

District-wise details of Sanctioned and Operational Anganwadi Centres (AWCs) in Bihar

S No.	District	No. of Anganwadi Centres (AWCs)	
		Sanctioned	Operational
1	Araria	2811	2786
2	Arwal	857	793
3	Aurangabad	2746	2552
4	Banka	2350	2348
5	Begusarai	3356	2661
6	Bhagalpur	3073	3067
7	Bhojpur	2991	2969
8	Buxar	1944	1529
9	Darbhanga	4489	4332
10	East Champaran	5586	5487
11	Gaya	4613	4517
12	Gopalganj	3023	2935
13	Jamui	1950	1946
14	Jehanabad	1278	1271
15	Kaimur	1765	1761
16	Katihar	3399	3339
17	Khagaria	1777	1585
18	Kishanganj	1890	1890
19	Lakhisarai	1187	1184
20	Madhepura	2254	2254
21	Madhubani	5145	4490
22	Munger	1598	1598
23	Muzaffarpur	5296	4905
24	Nalanda	3410	3395
25	Nawada	2663	2430
26	Patna	5261	5223
27	Purnia	3433	3415
28	Rohtas	3388	3383
29	Saharsa	2090	1688
30	Samastipur	4965	4965
31	Saran	4638	3591
32	Shiekhpora	716	701
33	Sheohar	713	702
34	Sitamarhi	3785	3091
35	Siwan	3845	3778
36	Supaul	2434	2413
37	Vaishali	3883	3850
38	West Champaran	4116	3436
Total		1,14,718	1,08,260

Annexure-II

ANNEXURE REFERRED IN REPLY TO PART (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 4401 FOR 20.03.2020 REGARDING ANGANWADI KENDRAS IN BIHAR ASKED BY SHRI GIRIDHARI YADAV AND SHRIMATI RAMA DEVI

District-wise details of AWCs functioning from rented premise, funds allocated for rent in Bihar

S. No.	District	AWCs functioning from rented premises	Funds Allocated (In Rs.)
1	Araria	1499	17662750
2	Arwal	570	4802400
3	Aurangabad	1434	10765000
4	Banka	916	5126380
5	Begusarai	1555	11863650
6	Bhagalpur	1184	18001575
7	Bhojpur	2258	18790440
8	Buxar	932	8635750
9	Darbhanga	2781	28129309
10	East Champaran	3688	49698875
11	Gaya	1563	11315984
12	Gopalganj	1371	7527525
13	Jamui	733	1926750
14	Jehanabad	333	3652340
15	Kaimur	752	11207200
16	Katihar	2090	10679250
17	Khagaria	1101	9365750
18	Kishanganj	921	32485612
19	Lakhisarai	666	4590200
20	Madhepura	1491	20054100
21	Madhubani	1846	14066750
22	Munger	998	11778400
23	Muzaffarpur	2610	38696433
24	Nalanda	1093	9021500
25	Nawada	950	7245690
26	Patna	3970	67775600
27	Purnia	2280	19971760
28	Rohtas	1756	19254650
29	Saharsa	1215	4523830
30	Samastipur	2725	27191900
31	Saran	2729	6191250
32	Shiekhpora	334	2364000
33	Sheohar	551	38845602
34	Sitamarhi	2529	24756000
35	Siwan	2636	11808800
36	Supaul	1378	24603950
37	Vaishali	2774	28933690
38	West Champaran	1290	16093700
Total		61,502	65,94,04,345