

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
DEPARTMENT OF EMPOWERMENT OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.344
TO BE ANSWERED ON 15.09.2020

Facilities in Hospitals for Handicapped

344: SHRI ANIL FIROJIYA:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:-

- (a) whether any steps have been taken by the Government to ensure infrastructural facilities in hospitals for the handicapped for test, quarantine facilities and treatments of COVID-19;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any measures have been taken by the Government for destitute/beggar/homeless during the lockdown period; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

(SHRI KRISHANPAL GURJAR)

(a) and (b) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare has informed that for appropriate management of COVID-19 cases, a three tier arrangement of health facilities [(i) COVID Care Center with isolation beds for mild or pre-symptomatic cases; (ii) Dedicated COVID Health Centre (DCHC) with oxygen supported isolation beds for moderate cases and (iii) dedicated COVID Hospital (DCH) with Intensive Care Unit (ICU) beds for severe cases] has been implemented. Tertiary care hospitals under Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC), Defence, Railways, Paramilitary Forces, Steel Ministry etc. have been leveraged for case management. Details of these facilities is attached as Annexure.

In addition to above, Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities under this Ministry has requested to Chief Secretaries of States/UTs on 24.04.2020 regarding provision of basic accessibility features in COVID-19 testing and quarantine facilities as well as hospitals and health centres.

(c) and (d) Department of Social Justice and Empowerment under this Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment has formulated a project for persons engaged in the act of begging, which would cover identification, rehabilitation, provision of medical facilities, counselling, education, skill development with the support of State Governments/UTs/Local Urban Bodies and Voluntary Organizations, institutions etc. This is being implemented on pilot basis in 10 selected cities.

The 10 identified cities are Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai, Kolkata, Hyderabad, Bangalore, Lucknow, Patna, Nagpur and Indore. Out of these cities, an amount of Rs 2.00 crore to Hyderabad, Rs 1.50 crore to Indore and Rs 1.50 crore to Patna has been released after receiving Action Plan from the States.

During lock-down, aforesaid Municipal Corporations of identified cities were requested to open feeding centre for providing free meals to beggars/destitutes and fund requirement for the same to be projected to the Ministry. As informed by the Municipal administrations of these Cities as many as 1.27 crore persons have been provided free meals.

City-wise details of destitute/beggars/homeless persons provided cooked food as reported by the Municipal Administrations are as under:

Sl. No.	Name of the City	Number of Destitute/ Beggars/ Homeless persons provided free meals (in lakh)
1	Delhi	75.0
2	Mumbai, Maharashtra	9.8
3	Kolkata, West Bengal	1.3
4	Chennai, Tamil Nadu	3.5
5	Bengaluru, Karnataka	14.0
6	Hyderabad, Andhra Pradesh	7.0
7	Nagpur, Maharashtra	0.8
8	Indore, Madhya Pradesh	8.4
9	Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh	7.0
10	Patna, Bihar	0.5
Total		127.30

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) & (b) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question. No. 344 to be answered on 15.09.2020 raised by Shri Anil Firojiya regarding Facilities in Hospitals for Handicapped:

Sl No.	State / UT Name	No of Facility	Total Isolation beds (excluding ICU beds)	O2 Supported beds	Total ICU beds	No of Ventilators
1	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	2	339	137	18	18
2	Andhra Pradesh	28	16884	10458	1916	708
3	Arunachal Pradesh	4	223	153	43	11
4	Assam	32	5675	841	329	278
5	Bihar	5	3048	1533	208	214
6	Chandigarh	2	500	355	60	30
7	Chhattisgarh	11	1728	652	338	270
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	1	100	100	46	46
9	Daman & Diu	2	38	38	21	11
10	Delhi	130	14989	9825	2203	1356
11	Goa	3	208	40	35	107
12	Gujarat	291	21305	13294	4725	3035
13	Haryana	47	3983	2584	712	335
14	Himachal Pradesh	6	373	288	75	78
15	Jammu and Kashmir	10	1395	1343	289	241
16	Jharkhand	21	1714	1388	275	210
17	Karnataka	62	12921	8095	1702	1112
18	Kerala	33	10710	1851	1141	562
19	Ladakh	3	166	109	37	31
20	Lakshadweep	1	27	6	6	3
21	Madhya Pradesh	31	11742	7993	1382	604
22	Maharashtra	530	47072	29506	10187	5443
23	Manipur	2	244	244	20	24
24	Meghalaya	7	422	206	79	77
25	Mizoram	1	216	212	40	58
26	Nagaland	12	581	120	50	25
27	Odisha	35	5460	3160	515	317
28	Puducherry	3	473	221	57	50
29	Punjab	98	4494	2163	1506	654
30	Rajasthan	59	13580	6514	1400	833
31	Sikkim	1	200	200	20	57
32	Tamil Nadu	54	34722	13046	3728	2169
33	Telangana	43	13982	2776	1780	516
34	Tripura	1	167	167	73	19
35	Uttar Pradesh	162	33699	7299	3973	2113
36	Uttarakhand	5	1002	822	376	373
37	West Bengal	82	9972	8968	1108	706
Total		1820	274354	136707	40473	22694

STATE WISE DETAILS OF DEDICATED COVID HEALTH CENTERS:

#	State / UT Name	No of Facility	Total Isolation beds (excluding ICU beds)	O2 Supported beds	Total ICU beds	No of Ventilators
1	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	5	154	28	6	2
2	Andhra Pradesh	127	18595	6372	2850	719
3	Arunachal Pradesh	32	341	18	19	5
4	Assam	139	8031	812	56	6
5	Bihar	93	7823	5371	432	574
6	Chandigarh	6	667	465	33	16
7	Chhattisgarh	39	1935	892	384	196
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	1	100	100	0	0
9	Daman & Diu	2	101	101	0	0
10	Delhi	4	535	229	10	7
11	Goa	26	170	115	99	67
12	Gujarat	99	3330	1200	167	147
13	Haryana	214	6072	3339	1496	724
14	Himachal Pradesh	11	473	473	11	41
15	Jammu and Kashmir	39	2730	1870	147	190
16	Jharkhand	63	2892	1827	118	33
17	Karnataka	886	51189	9296	3362	2283
18	Kerala	209	15973	3016	2028	661
19	Ladakh	0	0	0	0	0
20	Lakshadweep	5	37	15	12	9
21	Madhya Pradesh	130	15237	6322	1118	257
22	Maharashtra	811	46398	26488	4229	1414
23	Manipur	16	253	114	27	15
24	Meghalaya	24	326	139	4	10
25	Mizoram	15	168	96	4	7
26	Nagaland	1	50	22	4	3
27	Odisha	22	2776	959	14	12
28	Puducherry	8	490	118	48	19
29	Punjab	104	4078	2061	122	56
30	Rajasthan	72	4957	1935	397	122
31	Sikkim	3	76	29	0	2
32	Tamil Nadu	509	39853	12387	4711	2087
33	Telangana	8	1260	18	2	2
34	Tripura	5	146	63	1	3
35	Uttar Pradesh	113	5644	4114	283	230
36	Uttarakhand	12	1204	985	105	120
37	West Bengal	134	4053	3667	176	117
Total		3987	248117	95056	22475	10156

STATE WISE DETAILS OF COVID CARE CENTERS

#	State / UT Name	No of Facility	Total Isolation beds (excluding ICU beds)
1	Andaman and Nicobar Islands	16	680
2	Andhra Pradesh	401	67099
3	Arunachal Pradesh	68	2290
4	Assam	243	16352
5	Bihar	259	25836
6	Chandigarh	13	2172
7	Chhattisgarh	176	17383
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	3	990
9	Daman & Diu	3	420
10	Delhi	28	9421
11	Goa	16	1236
12	Gujarat	321	25133
13	Haryana	533	46133
14	Himachal Pradesh	48	2520
15	Jammu and Kashmir	248	18997
16	Jharkhand	193	12554
17	Karnataka	910	78234
18	Kerala	89	15191
19	Ladakh	2	110
20	Lakshadweep	5	38
21	Madhya Pradesh	771	42711
22	Maharashtra	1941	251077
23	Manipur	20	1974
24	Meghalaya	26	1434
25	Mizoram	40	2305
26	Nagaland	1	50
27	Odisha	189	21970
28	Puducherry	6	355
29	Punjab	67	18195
30	Rajasthan	286	24669
31	Sikkim	10	789
32	Tamil Nadu	692	116871
33	Telangana	5	362
34	Tripura	21	1745
35	Uttar Pradesh	482	115085
36	Uttarakhand	416	27806
37	West Bengal	1008	56566
Total		9556	1026753