

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

**LOK SABHA  
STARRED QUESTION NO. 78  
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 5<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY, 2021  
FUNDS FOR CORONA CRISIS**

**†\*78. SHRI RAJAN VICHARE:  
SHRI DEEPAK BAIJ:**

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

(a) whether his Ministry has been allocated separate funds to deal with the Corona crisis, if so, the details thereof

(b) whether some new hospitals have been set up by the Government especially for the treatment of Corona patients, if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the amount of financial assistance sought and disbursed to different States/UTs in the country to deal with the Corona crisis?

**ANSWER  
THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE  
(DR. HARSH VARDHAN)**

(a) to (c) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA  
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The '*India COVID19 Emergency Response and Health System Preparedness package*' of Rs 15,000 crores has been approved by the Cabinet on 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2020 with an objective to prevent, detect and respond to the threat posed by COVID-19. The funds and commodities are allocated to the states under various components of the package such as:

1. **Component 1:** Emergency COVID19 response
2. **Component 2:** Strengthening National and State health Systems to support Prevention and Preparedness
3. **Component 3:** Strengthening Pandemic Research and Multi-sector, National Institutions and Platforms for One Health
4. **Component 4:** Community Engagement and Risk Communication
5. **Component 5:** Implementation Management, Capacity Building, Monitoring and Evaluation

Central government has provided directions to states on setting up dedicated COVID wards and expansion of hospital capacity in various Central government institutions. Besides, Dedicated COVID Care Centres (DCCC), Dedicated COVID Health Centres (DCHC) and COVID Dedicated Hospitals (DCH) have been set up by states as per the SOPs provided by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHFW). The details of infrastructure so strengthened is placed at **Annexure I**.

Under the '*India COVID19 Emergency Response and Health System Preparedness package*', Rs.6309.90 crore has been released to the States/UTs, through National Health Mission (NHM). The details are given at **Annexure- II**.

**Annexure I****Exponential Growth in Health Infrastructure For Covid-19 Treatment**

<b>S.No.</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>As on March 2020</b>	<b>As on December 2020</b>	<b>No. of fold increase</b>
1	Cat I. COVID dedicated hospitals	163	2219	12
2	Cat II. Dedicated COVID health centres	0	4300	-
3	Cat III. Dedicated COVID Care Centre	0	8857	-
4	Oxygen supported beds	50583	2,70,893	4.3
5	Total isolation beds (excluding ICU beds)	41000	15,42,524	36
6	Total ICU beds	2500	80,573	31

**Annexure-II****Central Release of Grants in aid under the India COVID-19 Emergency Response and Health System Preparedness Package during the FY 2020-21****As on 21.01.2021****(Rs. in Crore)**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of the State/UTs</b>	<b>Central Releases</b>
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	11.57
2	Andhra Pradesh	324.27
3	Arunachal Pradesh	19.13
4	Assam	180.04
5	Bihar	164.92
6	Chandigarh	17.14
7	Chhattisgarh	74.21
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu	2.46
9	Delhi	651.46
10	Goa	11.49
11	Gujarat	273.46
12	Haryana	157.35
13	Himachal Pradesh	47.90
14	Jammu & Kashmir	167.52
15	Jharkhand	57.53
16	Karnataka	303.69
17	Kerala	453.56
18	Ladakh	36.52
19	Lakshadweep	0.40
20	Madhya Pradesh	256.94
21	Maharashtra	592.82
22	Manipur	14.99
23	Meghalaya	12.46
24	Mizoram	8.11
25	Nagaland	8.21
26	Orissa	109.13
27	Puducherry	7.06
28	Punjab	143.46
29	Rajasthan	285.01
30	Sikkim	5.44
31	Tamil Nadu	773.24
32	Telangana	353.13
33	Tripura	17.58
34	Uttar Pradesh	474.78
35	Uttarakhand	61.46
36	West Bengal	231.46
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>6,309.90</b>

**Note:**

1. For the FY 2020-21, the UT of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu have been combined.
2. Release for the F.Y. 2020-21 is updated up to 21.01.2021 and is provisional.
3. The above releases are 100% Centrally funded.