

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.4546
TO BE ANSWERED ON 23.03.2021**

DRUG ADDICTION AMONG YOUTH

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

- (a) whether the Government is aware of the survey conducted by AIIMS regarding increasing tendency of drug addiction among the youth in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto;
- (c) the details and number of drug addicts in the country, State-wise;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to launch any effective programme to check drug addiction among the youth in the country; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
(SHRI RATTAN LAL KATARIA)**

(a), (b), (d) and (e): (i) Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment has conducted the first National Survey on Extent and Pattern of Substance Use in India through the National Drug Dependence Treatment Centre (NDDTC) of the All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), New Delhi during 2018. The report of the survey was released in February, 2019. The report of the Survey presents the major findings in terms of proportion of Indian population using various substances and those affected by substance use disorders.

(ii) Based on the report of the National survey, Ministry has formulated the scheme of National Action Plan for Drug Demand Reduction. Under the said scheme, financial assistance is provided to (i) 'State Governments/ Union Territory (UT) Administrations for Preventive Education and Awareness Generation, Capacity Building, Skill development, vocational training and livelihood support of ex-drug addicts, Programmes for Drug Demand Reduction by States/UTs etc. and (ii) 'NGOs/VOs for running and maintenance of Integrated Rehabilitation Centres for Addicts (IRCAAs), Community based peer Led Intervention (CPLI) for early Drug Use Prevention among Adolescents and Outreach and Drop In Centres (ODIC) and Addiction treatment facilities (ATFs) in Government Hospitals'.

(iii) The Ministry has launched Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan (NMBA) in 272 identified vulnerable districts with an aim to create awareness about ill effects of substance abuse among the youth, with special focus on higher education institutes, university campuses and schools and reaching out into the community and concerned States/ UTs have been directed to launch their NMBA.

(iv) Ministry has developed Navchetna Modules to be followed in the schools for generating awareness among the children, teachers and parents about ill effect of substance abuse under the scheme of NAPDDR.

(v) Under Community Based Peer-Led Intervention (CPLI), focus has been placed on vulnerable and at risk children and adolescents in the community. Under the project, children aged between 10 to 18 years, are enrolled as peer educators who would in turn engage children in the community in awareness generation and life skills activities.

(vi) The Outreach and Drop In Centres (ODICs) provide safe and secure drop-in space for substance users in the community. These centres have the provision of screening, assessment and counseling and thereafter provide referral and linkage to treatment and rehabilitation services for substance dependents.

(vii) Ministry is taking all measures and actions needed to strengthen the mechanism for demand reduction and control of use of substances. Under Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyaan, several awareness generation and sensitization programs are being conducted in the identified 272 districts of the country .

(c) : The details and number of drug addicts in the Country, State-wise is at **Annexure -I**.

**Annexure referred to in reply to part (c) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question
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Census Code	STATE/UT	ALCOHOL USE DISORDERS	
		PREVALENCE (in %, 10-75 years)	Estimated NUMBER of people
NATIONAL		5.22	5,75,50,000
01	JAMMU & KASHMIR	1.13	2,26,000
02	HIMACHAL PRADESH	1.68	1,18,000
03	PUNJAB	10.50	31,50,000
04	CHANDIGARH	4.30	43,000
05	UTTARAKHAND	4.20	4,20,000
06	HARYANA	4.40	13,20,000
07	NCT OF DELHI	6.17	12,33,000
08	RAJASTHAN	1.19	8,31,000
09	UTTAR PRADESH	9.05	1,80,92,000
10	BIHAR	0.16	1,44,000
11	SIKKIM	5.00	30,000
12	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	10.20	2,04,000
13	NAGALAND	2.85	57,000
14	MANIPUR	8.99	2,70,000
15	MIZORAM	3.07	31,000
16	TRIPURA	27.60	11,04,000
17	MEGHALAYA	1.20	36,000
18	ASSAM	3.34	10,03,000
19	WEST BENGAL	3.20	32,00,000
20	JHARKHAND	1.01	3,02,000
21	ODISHA	5.51	22,04,000
22	CHHATTISGARH	10.34	31,03,000
23	MADHYA PRADESH	4.65	32,54,000
24	GUJARAT	1.46	8,78,000
25	DAMAN & DIU	4.83	14,000
26	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	3.06	12,000
27	MAHARASHTRA	2.90	31,90,000
28	ANDHRA PRADESH	10.50	52,51,000
29	KARNATAKA	3.49	20,93,000

30	GOA	8.40	1,18,000
31	LAKSHADWEEP	0.02	1,000
32	KERALA	1.90	5,70,000
33	TAMIL NADU	5.41	37,87,000
34	PUDUCHERRY	5.31	69,000
35	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	10.20	41,000
36	TELANGANA	2.88	11,51,000
Census Code	STATE/UT	CANNABIS USE DISORDERS	
		PREVALENCE (in %, 10-75 years)	Estimated NUMBER of people
NATIONAL		0.66	72,51,000
01	JAMMU & KASHMIR	0.31	34,000
02	HIMACHAL PRADESH	0.74	46,000
03	PUNJAB	2.26	5,78,000
04	CHANDIGARH	0.22	2,000
05	UTTARAKHAND	1.02	95,000
06	HARYANA	1.51	3,58,000
07	NCT OF DELHI	1.92	3,10,000
08	RAJASTHAN	0.25	1,59,000
09	UTTAR PRADESH	1.57	28,00,000
10	BIHAR	0.42	3,77,000
11	SIKKIM	2.91	17,000
12	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	1.81	24,000
13	NAGALAND	1.07	16,000
14	MANIPUR	0.88	24,000
15	MIZORAM	0.76	8,000
16	TRIPURA	0.42	14,000
17	MEGHALAYA	0.40	10,000
18	ASSAM	0.69	1,92,000
19	WEST BENGAL	0.17	1,44,000
20	JHARKHAND	0.15	44,000
21	ODISHA	1.29	4,86,000
22	CHHATTISGARH	1.59	3,78,000
23	MADHYA PRADESH	0.25	1,68,000
24	GUJARAT	0.12	67,000
25	DAMAN & DIU	0.82	2,000
26	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	0.04	<1000
27	MAHARASHTRA	0.44	4,60,000
28	ANDHRA PRADESH	0.24	1,09,000
29	KARNATAKA	0.17	94,000

30	GOA	0.29	4,000
31	LAKSHADWEEP	0.03	<1000
32	KERALA	0.29	85,000
33	TAMIL NADU	0.12	78,000
34	PUDUCHERRY	0.04	<1000
35	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	0.04	<1000
36	TELANGANA	0.21	69,000
Census Code	STATE/UT	OPIOID USE DISORDERS	
		PREVALENCE (in %, 10-75 years)	Estimated NUMBER of people
NATIONAL		0.70	76,77,000
01	JAMMU & KASHMIR	1.54	1,71,000
02	HIMACHAL PRADESH	1.74	1,09,000
03	PUNJAB	2.83	7,24,000
04	CHANDIGARH	0.92	10,000
05	UTTARAKHAND	0.84	79,000
06	HARYANA	2.51	5,94,000
07	NCT OF DELHI	2.32	3,74,000
08	RAJASTHAN	0.50	3,14,000
09	UTTAR PRADESH	0.60	10,74,000
10	BIHAR	0.14	1,29,000
11	SIKKIM	5.13	30,000
12	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	5.73	75,000
13	NAGALAND	6.54	1,01,000
14	MANIPUR	4.04	1,13,000
15	MIZORAM	6.92	69,000
16	TRIPURA	1.54	52,000
17	MEGHALAYA	2.02	53,000
18	ASSAM	0.94	2,62,000
19	WEST BENGAL	0.41	3,44,000
20	JHARKHAND	0.34	1,02,000
21	ODISHA	0.81	3,04,000
22	CHHATTISGARH	0.64	1,54,000
23	MADHYA PRADESH	0.60	3,94,000
24	GUJARAT	0.44	2,47,000
25	DAMAN & DIU	2.52	< 8,000
26	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	0.52	< 2,000
27	MAHARASHTRA	0.51	5,24,000
28	ANDHRA PRADESH	0.82	3,64,000
29	KARNATAKA	0.54	3,03,000

30	GOA	1.53	20,000
31	LAKSHADWEEP	0.63	< 1,000
32	KERALA	0.44	1,28,000
33	TAMIL NADU	0.24	1,67,000
34	PUDUCHERRY	0.62	< 8,000
35	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	0.53	< 2,000
36	TELANGANA	0.74	2,39,000
Census Code	STATE/UT	SEDATIVES USE DISORDERS	
		PREVALENCE (in %, 10-75 years)	Estimated NUMBER of people
NATIONAL		0.20	21,98,000
01	JAMMU & KASHMIR	0.29	31,000
02	HIMACHAL PRADESH	0.39	24,000
03	PUNJAB	0.80	2,04,000
04	CHANDIGARH	0.28	3,000
05	UTTARAKHAND	0.39	36,000
06	HARYANA	0.52	1,22,000
07	NCT OF DELHI	0.55	88,000
08	RAJASTHAN	0.06	37,000
09	UTTAR PRADESH	0.20	3,55,000
10	BIHAR	0.01	10,000
11	SIKKIM	2.91	17,000
12	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	1.02	13,000
13	NAGALAND	1.75	27,000
14	MANIPUR	1.43	40,000
15	MIZORAM	1.26	12,000
16	TRIPURA	0.12	4,000
17	MEGHALAYA	0.17	4,000
18	ASSAM	0.15	42,000
19	WEST BENGAL	0.13	1,12,000
20	JHARKHAND	0.10	30,000
21	ODISHA	0.31	1,16,000
22	CHHATTISGARH	0.27	64,000
23	MADHYA PRADESH	0.18	1,21,000
24	GUJARAT	0.23	1,30,000
25	DAMAN & DIU	0.03	<1000
26	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	0.05	<1000
27	MAHARASHTRA	0.21	2,17,000
28	ANDHRA PRADESH	0.31	1,38,000
29	KARNATAKA	0.09	51,000

30	GOA	0.25	3,000
31	LAKSHADWEEP	0.21	<1000
32	KERALA	0.09	27,000
33	TAMIL NADU	0.06	38,000
34	PUDUCHERRY	0.74	9,000
35	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	0.16	<1,000
36	TELANGANA	0.22	72,000
Census Code	STATE/UT	COCAINE USE DISORDERS	
		PREVALENCE (in %, 10-75 years)	Estimated NUMBER of people
NATIONAL		0.03	3,21,000
01	JAMMU & KASHMIR	-	-
02	HIMACHAL PRADESH	0.01	1,000
03	PUNJAB	0.20	51,000
04	CHANDIGARH	0.01	<1000
05	UTTARAKHAND	0.01	1,000
06	HARYANA	0.03	7,000
07	NCT OF DELHI	0.03	4,000
08	RAJASTHAN	0.03	19,000
09	UTTAR PRADESH	0.01	10,000
10	BIHAR	-	-
11	SIKKIM	0.18	1,000
12	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	0.89	12,000
13	NAGALAND	0.08	1,000
14	MANIPUR	-	-
15	MIZORAM	-	-
16	TRIPURA	-	-
17	MEGHALAYA	0.02	<1000
18	ASSAM	-	<1,000
19	WEST BENGAL	-	-
20	JHARKHAND	-	1,000
21	ODISHA	-	-
22	CHHATTISGARH	-	-
23	MADHYA PRADESH	0.02	14,000
24	GUJARAT	-	-
25	DAMAN & DIU	0.42	< 1,000
26	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	0.24	< 1,000
27	MAHARASHTRA	0.16	1,66,000
28	ANDHRA PRADESH	-	-
29	KARNATAKA	0.03	14,000

30	GOA	0.11	< 1,000
31	LAKSHADWEEP	0.19	-
32	KERALA	0.02	4,000
33	TAMIL NADU	0.01	<2,000
34	PUDUCHERRY	-	-
35	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	0.15	< 1,000
36	TELANGANA	0.02	7,000
Census Code	STATE/UT	AMPHETAMINE TYPE STIMULANT USE DISORDERS	
		PREVALENCE (in %, 10-75 years)	Estimated NUMBER of people
NATIONAL		0.06	7,10,000
01	JAMMU & KASHMIR	0.01	1,000
02	HIMACHAL PRADESH	-	-
03	PUNJAB	0.24	61,000
04	CHANDIGARH	0.03	< 1000
05	UTTARAKHAND	0.01	<1,000
06	HARYANA	0.14	33,000
07	NCT OF DELHI	0.23	37,000
08	RAJASTHAN	0.04	23,000
09	UTTAR PRADESH	0.03	59,000
10	BIHAR	-	-
11	SIKKIM	0.02	<1000
12	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	1.32	17,000
13	NAGALAND	0.06	<1,000
14	MANIPUR	1.76	49,000
15	MIZORAM	0.11	1,000
16	TRIPURA	0.01	< 1000
17	MEGHALAYA	0.02	< 1000
18	ASSAM	0.05	14,000
19	WEST BENGAL	-	< 1000
20	JHARKHAND	0.01	4,000
21	ODISHA	0.03	12,000
22	CHHATTISGARH	-	< 1000
23	MADHYA PRADESH	0.05	34,000
24	GUJARAT	-	-
25	DAMAN & DIU	4.36	12,000
26	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	0.05	< 1000
27	MAHARASHTRA	0.19	1,97,000
28	ANDHRA PRADESH	0.01	3,000
29	KARNATAKA	0.05	27,000

30	GOA	0.26	3,000
31	LAKSHADWEEP	0.38	< 1000
32	KERALA	0.05	14,000
33	TAMIL NADU	0.01	9,000
34	PUDUCHERRY	0.07	<1,000
35	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	0.29	<1,000
36	TELANGANA	0.28	89,000
Census Code	STATE/UT	INHALANT USE DISORDERS	
		PREVALENCE (in %, 10-75 years)	Estimated NUMBER of people
NATIONAL		0.21	22,57,000
01	JAMMU & KASHMIR	0.36	40,000
02	HIMACHAL PRADESH	1.03	64,000
03	PUNJAB	0.31	79,000
04	CHANDIGARH	0.05	< 1,000
05	UTTARAKHAND	0.29	27,000
06	HARYANA	0.78	1,85,000
07	NCT OF DELHI	1.34	2,17,000
08	RAJASTHAN	0.04	24,000
09	UTTAR PRADESH	0.19	3,43,000
10	BIHAR	0.02	19,000
11	SIKKIM	1.37	8,000
12	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	1.49	19,000
13	NAGALAND	0.24	4,000
14	MANIPUR	0.62	17,000
15	MIZORAM	0.80	8,000
16	TRIPURA	-	-
17	MEGHALAYA	0.02	< 1,000
18	ASSAM	0.36	1,00,000
19	WEST BENGAL	0.11	92,000
20	JHARKHAND	0.46	1,34,000
21	ODISHA	0.01	< 3,000
22	CHHATTISGARH	0.17	40,000
23	MADHYA PRADESH	0.33	2,19,000
24	GUJARAT	0.03	16,000
25	DAMAN & DIU	-	-
26	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	0.59	< 2,000
27	MAHARASHTRA	0.23	2,39,000
28	ANDHRA PRADESH	0.24	1,05,000
29	KARNATAKA	0.13	75,000

30	GOA	0.80	10,000
31	LAKSHADWEEP	0.33	< 1000
32	KERALA	0.16	46,000
33	TAMIL NADU	0.06	42,000
34	PUDUCHERRY	0.53	7,000
35	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	0.51	2,000
36	TELANGANA	0.22	71,000
Census Code	STATE/UT	HALLUCINOGENS USE DISORDERS	
		PREVALENCE (in %, 10-75 years)	Estimated NUMBER of people
NATIONAL		0.03	3,46,000
01	JAMMU & KASHMIR	-	-
02	HIMACHAL PRADESH	-	-
03	PUNJAB	-	-
04	CHANDIGARH	-	-
05	UTTARAKHAND	0.02	< 2,000
06	HARYANA	0.04	< 8,000
07	NCT OF DELHI	0.11	17,000
08	RAJASTHAN	0.03	16,000
09	UTTAR PRADESH	0.01	9,000
10	BIHAR	0.01	< 4,000
11	SIKKIM	0.05	< 1000
12	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	0.07	1,000
13	NAGALAND	-	-
14	MANIPUR	0.06	< 2,000
15	MIZORAM	0.02	< 1000
16	TRIPURA	-	-
17	MEGHALAYA	-	-
18	ASSAM	0.01	1,000
19	WEST BENGAL	0.00	3,000
20	JHARKHAND	0.01	2,000
21	ODISHA	-	-
22	CHHATTISGARH	-	-
23	MADHYA PRADESH	0.01	8,000
24	GUJARAT	-	-
25	DAMAN & DIU	0.01	<1000
26	DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI	0.03	<1000
27	MAHARASHTRA	0.16	1,68,000
28	ANDHRA PRADESH	-	-
29	KARNATAKA	0.02	9,000

30	GOA	0.02	< 1000
31	LAKSHADWEEP	0.23	< 1000
32	KERALA	0.10	28,000
33	TAMIL NADU	0.01	9,000
34	PUDUCHERRY	0.01	< 1000
35	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR	0.26	< 1,000
36	TELANGANA	0.17	55,000