

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

**LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO.261
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 6TH AUGUST, 2021
INSTITUTIONAL DELIVERIES**

***261. SHRI SUNIL KUMAR SINGH:**

SHRI RANJEETSINGH HINDURAO NAIK NIMBALKAR:

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

- (a) whether the Government has data on institutional deliveries in Jharkhand, Uttar Pradesh, Maharashtra and Rajasthan for the last five years;
- (b) if so, the details thereof in respect of each of the above States;
- (c) whether the institutional deliveries have declined in Jharkhand, Uttar Pradesh, Maharashtra and Rajasthan since the COVID-19 pandemic;
- (d) if so, the decrease in institutional deliveries observed in each of the above said States during 2020- 2021, district-wise; and
- (e) the action taken by the Government to promote and increase institutional deliveries?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI MANSUKH MANDAVIYA)**

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

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA
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(a) to (e) Data on institutional deliveries in Jharkhand, Uttar Pradesh, Maharashtra and Rajasthan for the last five years as per the Health Management Information System (HMIS) of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, is as below:

State wise number of Institutional Deliveries during 2016-17 to 2020-21

State	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21*
Jharkhand	662357	726106	703963	703850	703288
Maharashtra	1667346	1742226	1713864	1787203	1761342
Rajasthan	1369863	1369023	1351299	1352917	1331463
Uttar Pradesh	2844786	2946773	3401350	3605433	3409018

*Provisional

Health is a State subject, the responsibility to ensure provision of health services lies with the respective State/UTs. Prompt measures have been taken by Ministry of Health and Family Welfare to support institutional deliveries across India.

Data on institutional deliveries in each of the above said States during 2019-20 and 2020-2021, district-wise is placed at **Annexure**.

Actions taken by the Government in promoting essential maternal health services including institutional delivery during Covid-19 pandemic are:

- A **Guidance Note** on ‘Enabling Delivery of Essential Health Services (including maternal health) during the COVID-19 Outbreak’ was issued on **14.04.20** to all States and UTs.
- A **Guidance Note** on ‘Provision of RMNCAH+N Services with special focus on pregnant women and children during and post COVID-19 pandemic’ was issued on **24.05.2020** to all States and UTs.
- An **advisory** stating that ensuring access to safe delivery and antenatal and postnatal care is a non-negotiable agenda and emphasized the directives at all levels in the states to prevent and pre-empt unfortunate adverse incidents issued to States/UTs on **16.06.20**
- Regular virtual **meetings by Hon’ble Union Minister** for Health and Family Welfare with the State Health Ministers and by Secretary, Health and Family Welfare with the Principal Health Secretaries and Mission Directors of NHM, to ensure continuation of the essential services with special focus on pregnant women during COVID-19 pandemic.

- In April 2020, MoHFW rolled out National Telemedicine Service platform (**e-SanjeevaniOPD**) which provides outpatient services including for pregnant women in the confines of their homes.

In addition, other Schemes and programmes operated by the government to promote and increase institutional deliveries in States/UTs are:

- **Janani Suraksha Yojana (JSY)**, a demand promotion and conditional cash transfer scheme was launched in April 2005 with the objective of reducing Maternal and Infant Mortality by promoting institutional delivery among pregnant women.
- **Janani Shishu Suraksha Karyakram (JSSK)** aims to eliminate out-of-pocket expenses for pregnant women and sick infants by entitling them to free delivery, including caesarean section, free transport, diagnostics, medicines, other consumables, diet and blood in public health institutions.
- **Surakshit Matratva Ashwasan (SUMAN)** aims to provide assured, dignified, respectful and quality healthcare at no cost and zero tolerance for denial of services for every woman and newborn visiting the public health facility to end all preventable maternal and newborn deaths.
- **Pradhan Mantri Surakshit Matritva Abhiyan (PMSMA)** provides pregnant women a fixed day, free of cost assured and quality Antenatal Care on the 9th day of every month.
- **LaQshya** aims to improve the quality of care in labour room and maternity operation theatres to ensure that pregnant women receive respectful and quality care during delivery and immediate post-partum.
- Setting up of **Maternal and Child Health (MCH) Wings** at high caseload facilities to improve the quality of care provided to mothers and children.
- Functionalization of **First Referral Units (FRUs)** by ensuring manpower, blood storage units, referral linkages etc.
- Birth Microplanning and Birth Preparedness by **Skilled birth attendance** trained ANM.
- Monthly **Village Health, Sanitation and Nutrition Day (VHSND)** is an outreach activity for provision of maternal and child care including nutrition.
- Information, education and communication (**IEC**) to promote institutional deliveries.
- **MCP Card and Safe Motherhood Booklet** are distributed to the pregnant women for educating them on diet, rest, danger signs of pregnancy, benefit schemes and institutional deliveries.
- **Reproductive and childhealth (RCH) portal** is a name-based web-enabled tracking of pregnant women and new born so as to ensure provision of regular and complete services to them including antenatal care, institutional delivery and post-natal care.

Annexure**District wise number of Institutional Deliveries during 2019-20 to 2020-21***

State	District	2019-20	2020-21
Jharkhand	Bokaro	41403	45792
Jharkhand	Chatra	21915	21947
Jharkhand	Deoghar	35679	37835
Jharkhand	Dhanbad	53378	50432
Jharkhand	Dumka	25864	24769
Jharkhand	Garhwa	33835	34680
Jharkhand	Giridih	49169	55591
Jharkhand	Godda	31295	32422
Jharkhand	Gumla	18163	18038
Jharkhand	Hazaribagh	32533	30897
Jharkhand	Jamtara	16489	16530
Jharkhand	Khunti	10463	9935
Jharkhand	Koderma	18724	15395
Jharkhand	Latehar	15561	16870
Jharkhand	Lohardaga	11077	9814
Jharkhand	Pakur	20813	19997
Jharkhand	Palamu	41994	41603
Jharkhand	PashchimiSinghbhum	34879	37115
Jharkhand	PurbiSinghbhum	41040	44196
Jharkhand	Ramgarh	14943	13699
Jharkhand	Ranchi	66327	65594
Jharkhand	Sahebganj	31200	29214
Jharkhand	SaraikelaKharsawan	25977	21133
Jharkhand	Simdega	11129	9790
Maharashtra	Ahmednagar	73474	72938

Maharashtra	Akola	32686	27948
Maharashtra	Amravati	39987	40029
Maharashtra	Aurangabad	71312	70923
Maharashtra	Beed	46178	45782
Maharashtra	Bhandara	16483	16573
Maharashtra	Brihan Mumbai	147822	128269
Maharashtra	Buldhana	41915	42628
Maharashtra	Chandrapur	27418	25075
Maharashtra	Dhule	38205	37349
Maharashtra	Gadchiroli	15651	16290
Maharashtra	Gondia	17451	16484
Maharashtra	Hingoli	16296	15488
Maharashtra	Jalgaon	73059	74199
Maharashtra	Jalna	35189	34986
Maharashtra	Kolhapur	56768	57050
Maharashtra	Latur	41718	42155
Maharashtra	Nagpur	70365	71465
Maharashtra	Nanded	60876	60929
Maharashtra	Nandurbar	26662	26536
Maharashtra	Nashik	108520	109241
Maharashtra	Osmanabad	22070	22571
Maharashtra	Palghar	55720	55788
Maharashtra	Parbhani	32529	33024
Maharashtra	Pune	169563	167669
Maharashtra	Raigad	40119	40867
Maharashtra	Ratnagiri	15971	15775
Maharashtra	Sangli	46070	44311
Maharashtra	Satara	44645	44862
Maharashtra	Sindhudurg	7304	7330

Maharashtra	Solapur	73628	77154
Maharashtra	Thane	149549	149180
Maharashtra	Wardha	17178	15570
Maharashtra	Washim	13305	13510
Maharashtra	Yavatmal	41517	41394
Rajasthan	Ajmer	60520	55179
Rajasthan	Alwar	65462	66769
Rajasthan	Banswara	46987	44778
Rajasthan	Baran	21698	21916
Rajasthan	Barmer	58181	62698
Rajasthan	Bharatpur	53072	54306
Rajasthan	Bhilwara	46532	45574
Rajasthan	Bikaner	53182	50430
Rajasthan	Bundi	17231	17910
Rajasthan	Chittorgarh	27083	27297
Rajasthan	Churu	34139	33988
Rajasthan	Dausa	31129	30832
Rajasthan	Dholpur	29756	30298
Rajasthan	Dungarpur	31920	33544
Rajasthan	Ganganagar	32037	30829
Rajasthan	Hanumangarh	33104	33708
Rajasthan	Jaipur	127966	117094
Rajasthan	Jaisalmer	16727	16218
Rajasthan	Jalore	43448	47663
Rajasthan	Jhalawar	30957	29312
Rajasthan	Jhunjhunu	27665	28007
Rajasthan	Jodhpur	72886	69733
Rajasthan	Karauli	30053	29408
Rajasthan	Kota	35572	31686

Rajasthan	Nagaur	57227	56550
Rajasthan	Pali	39777	38533
Rajasthan	Pratapgarh	17940	18943
Rajasthan	Rajsamand	22234	21746
Rajasthan	Sawai Madhopur	32602	31453
Rajasthan	Sikar	44735	44530
Rajasthan	Sirohi	24957	25257
Rajasthan	Tonk	25258	25664
Rajasthan	Udaipur	60880	59610
Uttar Pradesh	Agra	103267	106331
Uttar Pradesh	Aligarh	65899	61563
Uttar Pradesh	Ambedkar Nagar	36973	34838
Uttar Pradesh	Amethi	30555	29350
Uttar Pradesh	Amroha	26844	24152
Uttar Pradesh	Auraiya	17782	17004
Uttar Pradesh	Ayodhya	40689	38363
Uttar Pradesh	Azamgarh	54481	40810
Uttar Pradesh	Baghpat	32101	28665
Uttar Pradesh	Bahraich	85743	96490
Uttar Pradesh	Ballia	40742	38581
Uttar Pradesh	Balrampur	47852	50326
Uttar Pradesh	Banda	36930	36042
Uttar Pradesh	Barabanki	54089	50212
Uttar Pradesh	Bareilly	59647	73050
Uttar Pradesh	Basti	46983	47426
Uttar Pradesh	Bhadohi	26661	26519
Uttar Pradesh	Bijnor	70464	81585
Uttar Pradesh	Budaun	54277	54768
Uttar Pradesh	Bulandshahr	91582	70227

Uttar Pradesh	Chandauli	37997	37272
Uttar Pradesh	Chitrakoot	19796	20075
Uttar Pradesh	Deoria	59062	45378
Uttar Pradesh	Etah	22476	20547
Uttar Pradesh	Etawah	34689	28906
Uttar Pradesh	Farrukhabad	28555	29151
Uttar Pradesh	Fatehpur	40177	41162
Uttar Pradesh	Firozabad	39478	36264
Uttar Pradesh	Gautam Buddha Nagar	48974	38916
Uttar Pradesh	Ghaziabad	73859	72797
Uttar Pradesh	Ghazipur	67288	72398
Uttar Pradesh	Gonda	59139	57445
Uttar Pradesh	Gorakhpur	63483	53124
Uttar Pradesh	Hamirpur	18992	19911
Uttar Pradesh	Hapur	31867	29146
Uttar Pradesh	Hardoi	71298	62652
Uttar Pradesh	Hathras	37732	30308
Uttar Pradesh	Jalaun	22084	20439
Uttar Pradesh	Jaunpur	79661	74549
Uttar Pradesh	Jhansi	35640	26681
Uttar Pradesh	Kannauj	33919	32995
Uttar Pradesh	Kanpur Dehat	22757	27133
Uttar Pradesh	Kanpur Nagar	53363	54842
Uttar Pradesh	Kasganj	26943	24715
Uttar Pradesh	Kaushambi	34474	34524
Uttar Pradesh	Kheri	72120	65155
Uttar Pradesh	Kushi Nagar	68614	54558
Uttar Pradesh	Lalitpur	25815	24467
Uttar Pradesh	Lucknow	60097	43380

Uttar Pradesh	Maharajganj	49278	49023
Uttar Pradesh	Mahoba	13497	13660
Uttar Pradesh	Mainpuri	26596	27528
Uttar Pradesh	Mathura	41284	35160
Uttar Pradesh	Mau	56908	62125
Uttar Pradesh	Meerut	85669	83205
Uttar Pradesh	Mirzapur	44810	44760
Uttar Pradesh	Moradabad	47054	46745
Uttar Pradesh	Muzaffarnagar	59412	45989
Uttar Pradesh	Pilibhit	31134	27255
Uttar Pradesh	Pratapgarh	47287	43319
Uttar Pradesh	Prayagraj	106180	95360
Uttar Pradesh	Rae Bareli	49341	45932
Uttar Pradesh	Rampur	48737	37192
Uttar Pradesh	Saharanpur	96749	87566
Uttar Pradesh	Sambhal	40472	41749
Uttar Pradesh	Sant Kabeer Nagar	32830	28993
Uttar Pradesh	Shahjahanpur	47891	48679
Uttar Pradesh	Shamli	20948	28478
Uttar Pradesh	Shravasti	30471	34109
Uttar Pradesh	Siddharth Nagar	43361	32885
Uttar Pradesh	Sitapur	84620	81408
Uttar Pradesh	Sonbhadra	32077	30715
Uttar Pradesh	Sultanpur	39066	52076
Uttar Pradesh	Unnao	49905	45094
Uttar Pradesh	Varanasi	65946	54821

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