

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

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UNSTARRED Q. No 1933
TO BE ANSWERED ON 30th JULY, 2021**

FUNDS FOR BATTLING THE PANDEMIC

1933 SHRIMATI POONAM MAHAJAN:

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

- (a) the amount requested by States/UTs for the last one and half years for battling the pandemic, State/UT wise;
- (b) the amount allocated to each States/UTs for the months during the same time for battling the pandemic, State/UT-wise; and
- (c) the actual percentage share of the total expenditure incurred by the States/UTs on treating COVID-19 patients that is borne by the Centre for the same period?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
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(a) to (c): Although Health is a state subject, Government of India has provided the required technical support and has also supported the states through logistic and financial support to further strengthen the existing health infrastructure to tackle COVID-19 pandemic.

During the F.Y. 2019-20, funds to the tune of Rs.1113.21 crore was released to the States/UTs under NHM towards management and containment of COVID-19 pandemic. Details are given at **Annexure-I**.

During the FY 2020-21, funds to the tune of Rs.8257.88 crore have been released to the States/UTs towards the India COVID-19 Emergency Response and Health System Preparedness Package. Rs.8257.88 crore includes Rs. 110.60 crore towards insurance of health workers. Details are given at **Annexure-II**.

Further, 'India COVID-19 Emergency Response & Health System Preparedness Package: Phase-II' has been approved by the Cabinet with Rs 23,123 crores (with Rs. 15,000 Cr as Central

Component & Rs 8,123 as State component) and is to be implemented from 1st July 2021 to 31st March 2022.

It includes support to State/UT level for ramping up Health Infrastructure including those in rural, tribal and peri-urban areas closer to the community, providing support for procurement of drugs and diagnostics to enhance service delivery at district and sub district levels for management of COVID-19 cases (including pediatric care) and for maintaining a buffer of drugs, support for IT Interventions such as implementation of Hospital Management Information System and expanding access to tele-consultations in all districts, and support for capacity building and training for all aspects of management of COVID-19.

Earlier in September, 2020, the Union Government further allowed use of SDRF by the States for oxygen generation and storage plants in hospitals; strengthening ambulance services for transport of patients; and setting up containment zones, COVID-19 care centres. States were allowed to spend maximum 35% of annual allocation of funds under SDRF for the financial year 2019-20. The ceiling was further enhanced to 50% during the financial years 2020-21 and 2021-22 for containment measures of COVID-19.

Further, under the National COVID Vaccination Program, Government of India is procuring vaccines and providing them free of cost to States and UTs. As on 25th July 2021, a total of about 44.91 crore doses have been supplied to States/UTs from all sources i.e Government of India's Covid vaccine supply free of cost to all States/UTs, State/UTs and Private Hospitals procured Covid vaccine.

Central Release of Grants in aid for management and containment COVID-19

S. No.	Name of the State /UTs	Central Releases
		2019-20
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	0.74
2	Andhra Pradesh	37.11
3	Arunachal Pradesh	8.91
4	Assam	72.73
5	Bihar	66.79
6	Chandigarh	1.04
7	Chhattisgarh	25.97
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0.52
9	Daman & Diu	0.45
10	Delhi	22.26
11	Goa	1.48
12	Gujarat	29.69
13	Haryana	37.11
14	Himachal Pradesh	18.55
15	Jammu & Kashmir (including Ladakh)	29.69
16	Jharkhand	25.97
17	Karnataka	59.37
18	Kerala	74.21
19	Lakshadweep	0.22
20	Madhya Pradesh	55.66
21	Maharashtra	74.21
22	Manipur	5.94
23	Meghalaya	5.94
24	Mizoram	3.71
25	Nagaland	3.71
26	Orissa	37.11
27	Puducherry	0.74
28	Punjab	40.82
29	Rajasthan	85.35
30	Sikkim	2.98
31	Tamil Nadu	48.24
32	Telangana	33.40
33	Tripura	7.42
34	Uttar Pradesh	132.09
35	Uttarakhand	18.55
36	West Bengal	44.53
	Grand Total	1,113.21

Note:

1. For the FY 2020-21, the UT of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu have been combined.

Central Release of Grants in aid under the India COVID-19 Emergency Response and Health System Preparedness Package during the FY 2020-21

S. No.	Name of the State /UTs	Central Releases
1	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	14.80
2	Andhra Pradesh	422.67
3	Arunachal Pradesh	21.96
4	Assam	216.69
5	Bihar	193.94
6	Chandigarh	35.92
7	Chhattisgarh	109.21
8	Dadra & Nagar Haveli & Daman & Diu	4.67
9	Delhi	787.91
10	Goa	17.65
11	Gujarat	304.16
12	Haryana	187.71
13	Himachal Pradesh	54.48
14	Jammu & Kashmir	194.58
15	Jharkhand	70.84
16	Karnataka	409.63
17	Kerala	573.96
18	Ladakh	44.77
19	Lakshadweep	0.79
20	Madhya Pradesh	286.57
21	Maharashtra	1,185.12
22	Manipur	19.92
23	Meghalaya	14.82
24	Mizoram	8.86
25	Nagaland	10.27
26	Orissa	146.44
27	Puducherry	23.35
28	Punjab	165.28
29	Rajasthan	426.39
30	Sikkim	7.16
31	Tamil Nadu	868.09
32	Telangana	386.37
33	Tripura	23.21
34	Uttar Pradesh	541.56
35	Uttarakhand	72.25
36	West Bengal	295.28
	Total	8,147.28
	Health Insurance	110.6
	Grand Total	8,257.88