

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1983
TO BE ANSWERED ON 30th JULY, 2021**

“VACCINES PREVENTABLE DISEASES (VPDs)”

1983.SHRI SUDHAKAR TUKARAM SHRANGARE:

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

- (a) whether the Government has any data regarding the total number of Vaccine Preventable Diseases (VPDs) covered at present under the Universal Immunization programme;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and the total number of districts where 90% immunization coverage has been achieved in the country, State/UT-wise; and
- (c) the time by which the country is likely to achieve its goal of Universal Immunization of children?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(DR. BHARATI PRAVIN PAWAR)**

(a) & (b) Currently under the Universal Immunization Programme (UIP), 12 vaccine preventable diseases (VPDs) are being covered, of which 10 are covered Nationally - Diphtheria, Pertussis, Tetanus, Polio, Measles, Rubella, severe form of Childhood Tuberculosis, Hepatitis B, Meningitis & Pneumonia caused by Hemophilus Influenza type B, Rotavirus diarrhoea and 2 diseases are being covered Sub-Nationally - Pneumococcal Pneumonia and Japanese Encephalitis.

As per Data reported by States/UTs in Health Management Information System Portal (HMIS-2019-20), a total of 367 districts have achieved 90 percent full immunization coverage. State/UT wise details are placed at **Annexure-I**

- (c) Universal Immunization Programme (UIP) is an ongoing program across the country and all States/UTs are covered under it. With time, a new birth cohort keeps getting added and they are included to be covered under the Universal Immunization Programme.

ANNEXURE-I

State/UT wise details of Districts with 90% Full Immunization Coverage, (HMIS-2019-20)

| S. No. | States/UTs | Number of Districts |
|--------|-------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Andhra Pradesh | 12 |
| 2 | Arunachal Pradesh | 4 |
| 3 | Assam | 6 |
| 4 | Bihar | 30 |
| 5 | Chhattisgarh | 17 |
| 6 | Delhi | 7 |
| 7 | Goa | 1 |
| 8 | Gujarat | 18 |
| 9 | Haryana | 7 |
| 10 | Himachal Pradesh | 5 |
| 11 | Jammu & Kashmir | 17 |
| 12 | Jharkhand | 15 |
| 13 | Karnataka | 18 |
| 14 | Kerala | 11 |
| 15 | Ladakh | 2 |
| 16 | Lakshadweep | 1 |
| 17 | Madhya Pradesh | 30 |
| 18 | Maharashtra | 31 |
| 19 | Manipur | 3 |
| 20 | Meghalaya | 9 |
| 21 | Mizoram | 5 |
| 22 | Odisha | 7 |
| 23 | Punjab | 6 |
| 24 | Tamil Nadu | 6 |
| 25 | Telangana | 19 |
| 26 | Tripura | 6 |
| 27 | Uttar Pradesh | 57 |
| 28 | Uttarakhand | 4 |
| 29 | West Bengal | 13 |
| | Total | 367 |