

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1126  
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 03<sup>rd</sup> DECEMBER, 2021**

**GRANT TO HEALTH SECTOR**

**1126. SHRI GIRISH BHALCHANDRA BAPAT:  
DR. PRITAM GOPINATHRAO MUNDE:  
SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU:  
SHRI RAHUL RAMESH SHEWALE:**

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

- a) whether the Government has released Health Sector Grant to Local Bodies of various States;
- b) if so, the details in this regard, State/UT-wise particularly to Maharashtra ;
- c) the details of the criteria fixed for selection of local bodies and amount of grants;
- d) the extent to which health systems in various such local bodies have been strengthen as a result thereof; and
- e) the extent to which it will plug the critical gaps in the health care system at the primary health care level, State/UT-wise?

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

(a) and (b)

The Government has released 15<sup>th</sup> Finance Commission recommended Health Sector Grants to all the States including the State of Maharashtra as per State-wise details given in **Annexure-I**.

(c) to (e) On the basis of the health infrastructure available in the States, 15<sup>th</sup> Finance Commission identified interventions that will directly lead to strengthening the primary health infrastructure and facilities in both rural and urban areas. These grants for health through Local Governments will be spread over the five-year period

from FY 2021-22 to FY 2025-26 and facilitate strengthening of health system at the grass-root level. The components identified for upgradation of primary health care infrastructure in Rural and Urban areas along with the summary of the amount earmarked year-wise are given in **Annexure-II**.

15th F. C. recommended component-wise HEALTH SECTOR GRANTS released to States during 2021-22 (as on 30-11-2021) (Rs. in crore)									
S. No.	NAME OF STATE	Support for diagnostic infrastructure to the PHC facilities			Block Level PHUs	UHCs	Building less SCs, PHCs & CHCs	Conversion of Rural PHCs and SCs into HWC	TOTAL
		SHCs	PHCs	UPHCs					
1	Andhra Pradesh	54.7600	57.2500	14.2900	134.3936	102.8726	0.0000	124.5865	488.1527
2	Arunachal Pradesh	2.8200	6.9600	1.2980	22.9376	5.2400	1.0400	6.6484	46.9440
3	Assam	46.8600	50.6350	10.9725	5.3100	65.5500	13.3180	79.6054	272.2509
4	Bihar	157.1038	172.7900	27.4116	49.4700	185.4300	329.2900	194.8100	1116.3054
5	Chhattisgarh	39.1900	41.0600	10.2270	13.5600	133.8800	10.7500	90.1274	338.7944
6	Goa	1.6100	1.1700	0.2400	2.4100	20.4800	1.5400	3.9996	31.4496
7	Gujarat	67.4900	71.8800	17.6300	50.3100	260.7300	1.1700	160.0100	629.2200
8	Haryana	24.1638	27.8709	6.9833	28.3360	138.0000	29.4150	46.6100	301.3790
9	Himachal Pradesh	15.3663	28.4460	4.1376	1.8500	1.4000	2.6800	44.1300	98.0099
10	Jharkhand	49.4896	51.4006	13.1000	24.3610	118.8000	118.5400	68.7071	444.3983
11	Karnataka	71.8500	103.5800	16.0200	38.2300	122.9300	10.0600	188.8600	551.5300
12	Kerala	39.6100	48.3600	10.9400	30.5900	191.7000	0.5000	105.4300	427.1300
13	Madhya Pradesh	102.6100	108.7500	27.1700	28.9900	427.5000	30.0300	197.7492	922.7992
14	Maharashtra	103.4280	109.6800	27.6675	61.2916	238.0800	50.0700	187.7898	778.0069
15	Manipur	3.9491	4.3800	1.0344	12.9536	9.8000	2.0300	8.7300	42.8771
16	Meghalaya	6.0500	6.0400	1.5100	9.2500	23.3000	3.2100	9.2884	58.6484
17	Mizoram	2.7200	2.8700	0.4400	5.2300	12.0100	0.5600	7.3600	31.1900
18	Nagaland	3.1900	6.1400	1.0200	14.8900	22.5500	1.0300	8.1900	57.0100
19	Odisha	61.7200	65.4673	18.3600	29.0800	89.1900	72.8300	125.1200	461.7673
20	Punjab	26.1050	28.8800	7.2100	28.7808	241.7500	20.2300	46.7000	399.6558
21	Rajasthan	43.1310	21.3300	3.2400	27.4000	106.4900	191.3900	263.1900	656.1710
22	Sikkim	1.3000	1.4100	0.1480	6.4400	8.1900	0.5300	2.9600	20.9780
23	Tamil Nadu	64.1600	69.2500	18.7500	77.4700	356.4800	71.2100	148.6080	805.9280
24	Telangana	34.9300	35.2500	8.8600	118.2016	133.0992	2.8098	85.0509	418.2015
25	Tripura	7.1600	5.2600	1.2700	11.1020	41.6800	0.2500	17.3600	84.0820
26	Uttar Pradesh	217.4400	281.5300	70.3133	76.1024	424.5008	333.5472	387.3375	1790.7712
27	Uttarakhand	13.6000	12.5200	3.2600	2.2200	81.5700	1.4300	35.4965	150.0965
28	West Bengal	97.3881	105.9866	26.3772	69.2197	287.1000	49.0400	192.9578	828.0694
x	TOTAL	1359.1947	1526.1464	349.8804	980.3799	3850.3026	1348.5000	2837.4125	12251.8165

## Annexure-II

**The components identified by the Fifteenth Finance Commission for upgradation and strengthening of primary health care infrastructure in Rural and Urban areas along with the summary of the amount earmarked year-wise for each component is given below;**

### **For Rural Areas**

(Rs. in crore)							
S. No.	Total Health Grants	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	Total
1	Support for diagnostic infrastructure to the primary healthcare facilities	3084	3084	3238	3400	3571	16377
	(i)Sub centers	1457	1457	1530	1607	1687	7738
	(ii)PHCs	1627	1627	1708	1793	1884	8639
2	Block level public health units	994	994	1044	1096	1151	5279
3	Building-less SCs, PHCs, CHCs	1350	1350	1417	1488	1562	7167
4	Conversion of rural PHCs and sub centers into health and wellness centre	2845	2845	2986	3136	3293	15105
	<b>Total Health Grants</b>	<b>8273</b>	<b>8273</b>	<b>8685</b>	<b>9120</b>	<b>9577</b>	<b>43928</b>

### **For Urban Areas:-**

S. No.	Total Health Grants	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	Total
1	Support for diagnostic infrastructure to the PHC facilities in Urban PHCs	394	394	415	435	457	2095
2	Urban health and wellness centres (HWCs)	4525	4525	4751	4989	5238	24028
	<b>Total Health Grants</b>	<b>4919</b>	<b>4919</b>	<b>5166</b>	<b>5424</b>	<b>5695</b>	<b>26123</b>

i. (SC):-Sub-Health Centers	iii. (PHC):-Public Health Centers
ii. (CHC):-Community Health Centers	iv. (HWC) :-Health & Wellness Centers