

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

**LOK SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3394**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.12.2021

**FUNDS TO UTTAR PRADESH UNDER NATIONAL NUTRITION MISSION**

3394: SHRI SATYADEV PACHAURI

Will the Minister of Women and Child Development be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of funds released to the states particularly Uttar Pradesh under the National Nutrition Mission during each of the last five years, State-wise;
- (b) the names of the districts of the state identified under the said Mission along with the details of the campaign for publicity of the same;
- (c) whether any training programme is also being run for smooth operation of the said scheme; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT  
(SHRIMATI SMRITI ZUBIN IRANI)

(a) to (d) POSHAN Abhiyaan has been rolled out across all the States/UTs covering all districts including 75 districts of the state of Uttar Pradesh. The details of funds released under POSHAN Abhiyaan for all States/UTs from FY 2017-18 to FY 2020-21 is as under:

**(in Rs. lakhs)**

<b>Total Central Funds released from FY 2017-18 to FY 2020-21</b>	
<b>All States/UTs (including Uttar Pradesh)</b>	5,31,279.08
<b>Uttar Pradesh</b>	56,968.96

One of the key components of POSHAN Abhiyaan is "Jan Andolan" that emphasises on reaching out to every individual of the nation, including the State of Uttar Pradesh through sensitisation and publicity of nutrition-centric campaigns. Poshan Maah and Poshan Pakhwada are celebrated annually in the month of September and March respectively. The PoshanMaah and Pakhwada celebrated so far have witnessed wide participation and enthusiasm from convergent Ministries, States/UTs and field functionaries.

Under Capacity Building component approx., 10.22 lakh frontline functionaries have been successfully trained. Additionally, approx. 6.61 lakh field functionaries have undergone training through digital platform. Also, till date, 8.3 lakhs Anganwadi Workers have been trained in the ICT application.

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