

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
DEPARTMENT OF EMPOWERMENT OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3841
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21.12.2021

NATIONAL LEVEL MEDICAL INSTITUTES

3841: SHRI NATARAJAN P.R.:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of availability of National level medical Institutes specifically for physical Disabilities like Locomotor Disabilities i.e. Pt. Deendayal Upadhyaya National Institute for Persons with Physical Disabilities (Divyangjan) (PDUNIPPD) and for rehabilitation training and research i.e. Swami Vivekanand National Institute of Rehabilitation Training and Research (SVNIRTAR);

(b) the number of disabled persons who have availed Inpatient/Outpatient treatment during each year of the past five years; and

(c) the total number of beds available for mental health patients and the occupancy rate of these mental health facilities in these institutes?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
(SUSHRI PRATIMA BHOUMIK)

(a) There are nine National Institutes (NIs) working under the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPwD) (Divyangjan) specializing in different kinds of disabilities. Details of these Institutes are at Annexure-I.

The main objectives of these Institutes are to train rehabilitation personnel in the field of disabilities, to provide rehabilitation services to Persons with Disabilities and to undertake Research and Development.

(b) Number of disabled persons who have availed inpatient/outpatient treatment during each of past five years are as under:-

Year	Number of inpatients	Number of outpatients
2016-2017	1411	785328
2017-2018	1538	773782
2018-2019	1562	852772
2019-2020	1653	823932
2020-2021	906	487762
Total	7070	3723576

(c) No beds have been provided in these Institutes for mental health patients.

Annexure referred to in reply to part (a) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3841 raised by Shri Natarajan P.R. regarding "National Level Medical Institutes"

Details of National Institutes

S. No.	National Institutes (NIs)	Specialized Disability
1.	Pt. Deendayal Upadhyaya National Institute for Persons with Physical Disabilities (PDUNIPPD), New Delhi	Locomotor
2.	Swami Vivekanand National Institute of Rehabilitation Training and Research (SVNIRTAR), Cuttack	Locomotor
3.	National Institute for Locomotor Disabilities (NILD), Kolkata	Locomotor
4.	National Institute for the Empowerment of Persons with Visual Disabilities (NIEPVD), Dehradun	Visual
5.	Ali Yavar Jung National Institute of Speech and Hearing Disabilities (AYJNISHD), Mumbai	Speech and Hearing
6.	National Institute for the Empowerment of Persons with Intellectual Disabilities (NIEPID), Secunderabad	Intellectual
7.	National Institute for Empowerment of Persons with Multiple Disabilities (NIEPMD), Chennai	Multiple
8.	Indian Sign Language Research and Training Centre (ISLRTC), Delhi	Sign Language
9.	National Institute of Mental Health Rehabilitation (NIMHR), Sehore	Mental Health
