

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

**LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 440
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 1ST APRIL, 2022**

MATERNAL MORTALITY RATIO

**†*440. SHRI ANIL FIROJIYA:
SHRI MOHANBHAI KALYANJI KUNDARIYA:**

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

- (a) the details of decline reported in Maternal Mortality Ratio (MMR) in the country, State/UT-wise; and
- (b) the States/UTs which have adopted Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) with regard to MMR along with the targets achieved, State/UT-wise?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
(DR MANSUKH MANDAVIYA)**

(a) & (b) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA
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(a) and (b): Maternal Mortality Ratio (MMR) is derived as the proportion of maternal deaths per 1,00,000 live births as per the Sample Registration System (SRS) published by the Office of the Registrar General & Census Commissioner, India. The MMR of India has declined over the years to 103 for the period 2017-19 as compared to 113 in 2016-18, 122 in 2015-17, 130 in 2014-16.

The Target 3.1 of Sustainable Development Goal set by United Nations aims at reducing the global MMR to less than 70 per 1,00,000 live births by 2030. Accordingly, the States of Kerala, Maharashtra, Telangana, Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh and Jharkhand have already achieved the SDG target of MMR. The State wise MMR for the periods 2016-18 and 2017-19 is given at **Annexure**.

Annexure

Maternal Mortality Ratio (per 1,00,000 live births), India, Empowered Action Group (EAG) and Assam, South and Other States		
India/States	2016-18	2017-19
India	113	103
EAG and Assam		
Assam	215	205
Bihar	149	130
Jharkhand	71	61
Madhya Pradesh	173	163
Chhatisgarh	159	160
Odisha	150	136
Rajasthan	164	141
Uttar Pradesh	197	167
Uttarakhand	99	101
South		
Andhra Pradesh	65	58
Telangana	63	56
Karnataka	92	83
Kerala	43	30
Tamil Nadu	60	58
Other		
Gujarat	75	70
Haryana	91	96
Maharashtra	46	38
Punjab	129	114
West Bengal	98	109
Other States#	85	77

#Other States includes remaining States/UTs