

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3896
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25th MARCH 2022**

RISE IN DENGUE CASES IN RAJASTHAN

3896. SHRI BHAGIRATH CHOUDHARY:

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

- (a) the details of expenditure incurred on COVID-19 vaccination, State/UT-wise including Rajasthan;
- (b) the details of expenditure incurred on vaccine doses supplied free of cost in different phases to Rajasthan, district-wise;
- (c) whether there has been a rise in dengue patients during the last two months resulting in increased deaths reported;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and also the deaths due to dengue reported during the last two years, State/UT-wise particularly in Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh and Punjab; and
- (e) whether the Government proposes to implement any concrete plans for the proper treatment of dengue patients in Rajasthan and if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b) Vaccine doses are procured centrally and are supplied free of cost to States/UTs by Government of India. In the current financial year i.e. 2021-22, an expenditure of INR 32,120.63 crore has been incurred by Government of India which is utilized for procurement of COVID-19 vaccine for free of cost supply to State/UTs including Rajasthan. District wise distribution of vaccines from State Vaccine Stores (SVS) is done by the respective State/UTs.

(c) to (e) There has not been any rise in dengue patients nor the increased number of deaths in the last two months. The deaths due to dengue as reported by States/UTs during the last two years is at annexure.

Government of India has taken the following measures for prevention and control of dengue in the country including Rajasthan:

- Provided Technical Guidelines for prevention and control, case management & effective community participation to the States/UTs. Entomologists trained on entomological surveillance and vector control to reduce the risk of transmission of dengue.
- Free diagnostic facilities through 713 Sentinel Surveillance Hospitals (SSHs) and 17 Apex Referral laboratories (ARLs) identified across the country are fully functional. During 2021, 8.52 Lakhs Immunoglobulin M (IgM) tests including 0.77 Lakhs to Rajasthan have been provided by Government of India. For 2022, 0.28 Lakhs IgM test have been allocated to Rajasthan. Additional funds have been provided to states for procurement of Nonstructural protein-1 (NS1) kits for early diagnosis.
- Preparedness for prevention and control of dengue reviewed on 2nd February, 2022 and multidisciplinary central team deputed to states for technical support.
- Under National Health Mission, necessary and sufficient budgetary support is provided to states/UTs for dengue control activities.

State/UT-wise dengue deaths reported in the country

Sl. No.	State	2020	2021
1	Andhra Pradesh	0	0
2	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0
3	Assam	0	0
4	Bihar	2	2
5	Chhattisgarh	0	0
6	Goa	0	0
7	Gujarat	2	14
8	Haryana	0	13
9	Himachal Pradesh	0	0
10	Jharkhand	0	1
11	Karnataka	0	7
12	Kerala	5	1
13	Madhya Pradesh	0	11
14	Meghalaya	0	0
15	Maharashtra	10	42
16	Manipur	0	0
17	Mizoram	0	0
18	Nagaland	0	0
19	Odisha	0	0
20	Punjab	22	15
21	Rajasthan	7	96
22	Sikkim	0	1
23	Tamil Nadu	0	8
24	Tripura	0	0
25	Telangana	0	0
26	Uttar Pradesh	6	29
27	Uttarakhand	1	2
28	West Bengal	10	7
29	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	0	0
30	Chandigarh	0	3
31	Delhi	0	23
32	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	0	0
	Daman & Diu	0	0
33	Jammu & Kashmir	0	4
34	Ladakh	0	0
35	Lakshadweep	0	0
36	Puducherry	1	1