

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2191
TO BE ANSWERED ON 29th JULY 2022**

VACCINE PREVENTABLE DISEASES

2191: SHRI RAJESHBHAI CHUDASAMA

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

- (a) the total number of Vaccine Preventable Diseases (VPDs) covered at present under the Universal Immunization Programme across the country;
- (b) the total number of districts which have achieved 90 percent immunization coverage so far; and
- (c) the time by which the country is likely to achieve its goal of Universal Immunization of children?

ANSWER

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

- (a) 12 Vaccine Preventable diseases are covered, under the Universal Immunization programme (UIP), of which 11 (eleven) are covered Nationally and 1(one) is covered sub-nationally.
- (b) As per Data reported by States/UTs in Health Management Information System portal (HMIS-2021-2022), a total of 315 districts have achieved 90 percent full Immunization coverage
- (c) Universal Immunization Programme (UIP) is a dynamic program across the country and all States/UTs are covered under it. A new birth cohort is added every year and they are included to be covered under the Universal Immunization Programme.
