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

# LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2280 TO BE ANSWERED ON 29<sup>th</sup> July 2022

### **SETTING UP OF PGIs**

## †2280. SHRI PRADEEP KUMAR CHAUDHARY:

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

- (a) the total number of Post Graduate Institutes of Medical Education and Research (PGI) established across the country;
- (b) the number of PGIs proposed to be established by the Government in the year 2022-23;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to upgrade or modernize the existing PGIs during the Year 2022-23; and
- (d) if so, the detail thereof and whether the PGI situated in Pilkhani in Sharanpur is also proposed to be developed in near future?

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

- (a) to (c) As informed by the National Medical Commission, at present there are 493 medical colleges across the country imparting Post Graduate medical education. There is no proposal of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare for establishment of a new PGI in the year 2022-23. However, under Centrally Sponsored Scheme for 'Strengthening and up gradation of State Government Medical colleges for starting new PG disciplines and increasing PG seats', 5930 PG seats have been approved in 22 States/UTs in two phases.
- (d) As informed by the Government of Uttar Pradesh, there is no Post Graduate Institute in Saharanpur.

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