

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

**LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 267
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 9TH AUGUST, 2024**

HPV VACCINATION PROGRAMME

***267 SHRI RAO RAJENDRA SINGH:**

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

- (a) whether the State of Rajasthan is a part of the selected States through which HPV Vaccination is being rolled out in the country under the Universal Immunization Programme and if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether the Government intends to include Rajasthan in the HPV Vaccination Programme so that cervical cancer can be prevented among the women living in the State and if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government has any data on the number of people living in the State of Rajasthan who have been diagnosed and/or are currently undergoing treatment for cervical cancer; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the gender distribution?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA)**

(a) to (d) A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA
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(a) & (b) Under Universal Immunization Programme (UIP), 11 vaccines are provided against 12 Vaccine Preventable Diseases (VPDs). HPV vaccine is not a part of the Universal Immunisation Programme (UIP).

(c) & (d) In the State of Rajasthan, as per National NCD portal as on 31st July 2024, a total of 2,156 women have been diagnosed for cervical cancer and 1,712 are currently undergoing treatment in Government facilities.
