

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3196
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09th AUGUST, 2024**

MEDICAL COLLEGE IN TAMIL NADU

3196. DR. KALANIDHI VEERASWAMY:

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

- (a) the details of the funds sanctioned/allocated and utilized for conversion of District/Referral Hospitals into Medical Colleges in Tamil Nadu during the last three years and the current year along with the target set and achievements made so far;
- (b) whether the Government has sanctioned some more colleges within Tamil Nadu under new phase of National Health Mission (NHM); and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY
WELFARE
(SMT. ANUPRIYA PATEL)**

(a) to (c): The Ministry of Health & Family Welfare administers a Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) for 'Establishment of new medical colleges attached with existing district/referral hospitals' with preference to underserved areas and aspirational districts, where there is no existing Government or private medical college. The fund sharing mechanism between the Centre and State Governments is in the ratio of 90:10 for North Eastern and Special Category States, and 60:40 for others. Under the Scheme, all the envisaged 157 Government medical colleges have already been approved in three phases including 11 medical colleges in Tamil Nadu. Entire Central Share has been released to the State government and all the eleven medical colleges have become functional. College-wise details of funds released to the State of Tamil Nadu under the scheme during last three years and current year are attached at annexure.

Annexure referred to in reply to parts (a) to (c) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 3196 for answer on 09.08.2024

College-wise details of funds allocated and released to the State of Tamil Nadu under Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) for 'Establishment of new medical colleges attached with existing district/referral hospitals' during last three years:

Rs. in Crore

Name of the Districts	Approved Cost	Central Share	Fund released (From 2021-22 to 2024-25)
Tiruppur	325	195	134.72
Nilgiris	325	195	145
Ramanathapuram	325	195	145
Namakkal	325	195	145
Dindigul	325	195	145
Virudhunagar	325	195	145
Krishnagiri	325	195	145
Tiruvallur	325	195	145
Nagapattinam	325	195	145
Ariyalur	325	195	145
