

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3177
TO BE ANSWERED ON 13.12.2024**

DEATHS DUE TO COVID PANDEMIC

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

- (a) the details of infections and deaths due to Covid pandemic, month-wise and State-wise;
- (b) whether the Government is aware about the new variant of concern, new strains of high danger during the last one year; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV)**

(a) As on 6th December, 2024, State/UT and year-wise details of cases and deaths due to COVID-19 as reported by States/UTs is detailed at **Annexure**.

(b) and (c) As per the World Health Organization (WHO), as of 2nd December 2024, there are no currently circulating Variants of Concern (VoCs). However, the only currently circulating Variant of Interest (VoI) includes JN.1 which was first detected globally in August, 2023 and designated as a VoI by WHO on 18th December, 2023. The JN.1 variant remains the most prevalent SARS-CoV-2 variant globally. In India, cases of JN.1 variant of SARS-CoV-2 virus were first reported in the country in the month of November, 2023.

Annexure

State/UT and year-wise details of cases and deaths due to COVID-19 as reported by States/UTs (as on 6th December, 2024)

States/UTs Covid-19 Cases and Deaths year-wise (2022-2024)							
S. No.	States/UTs	2022		2023		2024	
		Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths
1	A&N Islands	3026	0	20	0	0	0
2	Andhra Pradesh	262090	240	1713	0	316	0
3	Arunachal Pradesh	11551	16	159	0	0	0
4	Assam	125527	1871	71	0	89	3
5	Bihar	124650	206	3890	13	413	0
6	Chandigarh	33503	102	1353	4	59	1
7	Chhattisgarh	169757	546	10016	45	856	14
8	Dadar and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu	900	0	1	0	0	0
9	Delhi	560793	1414	33990	149	2507	31
10	Goa	78423	492	4413	1	210	0
11	Gujarat	446491	925	14036	38	1165	20
12	Haryana	283250	651	22383	65	203	8
13	Himachal Pradesh	83877	338	10301	33	173	1
14	J&K (UT)	138250	259	2630	7	153	1
15	Jharkhand	91585	188	1282	6	8	0
16	Karnataka	1065489	1980	18284	65	7252	39
17	Kerala	1583884	24114	87242	516	5597	66
18	Ladakh (UT)	7239	12	202	0	74	0
19	Lakshdweep	999	1	0	0	0	0
20	Madhya Pradesh	261031	243	1661	10	253	1
21	Maharashtra	1465879	6899	36072	150	5658	35
22	Manipur	14144	147	114	0	4	0
23	Meghalaya	11966	140	207	4	4	0
24	Mizoram	97564	184	598	8	73	0
25	Nagaland	3795	80	47	0	0	0
26	Odisha	281957	747	11902	10	297	0
27	Puducherry	46051	94	2113	7	176	0
28	Punjab	180840	2645	8255	1281	339	30
29	Rajasthan	359447	690	11060	84	1414	9
30	Sikkim	11817	90	613	2	46	0
31	Tamil Nadu	847525	1284	16750	34	1015	3
32	Telangana	159752	86	3260	0	323	0
33	Tripura	22965	111	461	2	94	1
34	Uttar Pradesh	416755	718	17424	84	820	22
35	Uttarakhand	104449	334	3199	17	200	10
36	West Bengal	483583	1775	7995	24	1458	2