

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 847
TO BE ANSWERED ON 29th NOVEMBER 2024**

MEDICAL COLLEGES IN MADHYA PRADESH

†847. **SHRI DARSHAN SINGH CHOUDHARY:**

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up medical colleges in Narmadapuram and Narsinghpur districts of Madhya Pradesh;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether any steps have been taken by the Government for the development of the health infrastructure to provide quality health facilities in rural areas in Narmadapuram, Narsinghpur and Raisen districts of Madhya Pradesh; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (d): 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, 14 medical colleges (Datia, Khandwa, Ratlam, Shahdol, Vidisha, Chindwara & Shivpuri in Phase-I, Satna in Phase-II & Rajgarh, Mandla, Neemuch, Mandsaur, Sheopur & Singrauli in Phase-III) have been approved in various districts of Madhya Pradesh, out of which 10 are functional.

Under CSS for upgradation of existing State Government/ Central Government Medical Colleges for increasing MBBS (UG) seats and PG seats, financial support has been provided to the State of Madhya Pradesh for increase of 850 MBBS seats in 11 Medical Colleges at a total approved cost of Rs. 1020 Crore and 849 PG seats in 06 Medical Colleges at a total approved cost of Rs. 702.21 Crore.
