

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 911
TO BE ANSWERED ON 29TH NOVEMBER, 2024**

“INTEGRATED PUBLIC HEALTH LABORATORY”

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Will be **MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE** be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Integrated Public Health Laboratories that have been established under the PM-ABHIM scheme and if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise, particularly in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) the details of funds allocated towards Integrated Public Health Laboratories across the country, State/UT and district-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has conducted any study to determine the efficacy of this initiative and if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether it is a norm that each district should have one Integrated Public Health Laboratory under the scheme, if so, the details thereof including the newly formed districts in Andhra Pradesh ; and
- (e) whether new public health laboratories will be sanctioned for the State of Andhra Pradesh if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI PRATAPRO JADHAV)**

(a) to (e) Pradhan Mantri Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission (PM-ABHIM) is a Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) with some Central Sector Components (CS) which has an outlay of Rs. 64,180 Crores for the scheme period (2021-22 to 2025-26).

The scheme envisages a new generation of reforms to integrate and strengthen health service delivery and public health action including health research so that the communities are Atmanirbhar in managing such pandemics or health crisis. The measures under the scheme are aimed at strengthening health systems and institutions in order to provide a continuum of care at all levels, namely primary, secondary, and tertiary, as well as preparing health systems to respond

effectively to current and future pandemics and disasters.

Under the CSS components of the scheme, following are the five activities where support is provisioned to the State/UTs during the scheme period (2021-2026):

- Construction of 17,788 Building less Sub-Centres as Ayushman Bharat- Health & Wellness centres, now known as Ayushman Arogya Mandir (AAM)
- Establishment of 11,024 Health & wellness Centres, now AAM in Urban areas with a focus on slum and slum like areas are envisioned
- Establishment of 3382 Block Public Health Units (BPHUs) at the block level,
- Establishment of **730 District Integrated Public Health Labs** in the country, **wherein each district will have one such lab.**
- Establishing 602 Critical Care Hospital Blocks in all districts with population more than 5 lakhs.

Administrative approvals have been accorded to States/UTs for FY 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24 & 2024-25 for an amount of **Rs 898.86 Crore** for establishment/strengthening of 504 IPHLs at District level. The details of support provided along with approval accorded to the States/UTs under CSS of PM-ABHIM for four years (i.e. FY 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24 & 2024-25) is at **Annexure-I**.

Under the scheme, an amount of **Rs. 1271.24 Cr.** is provisioned for the State of Andhra Pradesh during scheme period for establishment and strengthening of 45 U-HWCs (AAMs), 13 IPHLs and 13 CCBs.

Administrative approvals have been accorded to the State of Andhra Pradesh, for four years (i.e. FY 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24 & 2024-25) for an amount of **Rs 1023.62 Cr.** for construction/strengthening of 1786 Building less-AAM (Sub-Centers - Health & wellness Centers), 45 U-AAMs (HWCs), 23 IPHLs and 16 CCBs, as per proposal of the State. **Additional 13 IPHLs (Annexure-II)** were approved as per proposal from the State due to reorganization of districts from 13 to 26 with the creation of 13 new districts in Andhra Pradesh w.e.f. April 2022.

District IPHL is envisioned to be established in each district. The detailed guidelines for the IPHL is provided in the link below:

<https://nhsrcindia.org/sites/default/files/Guidelines%20on%20integrated%20public%20health%20laboratories.pdf>

ANNEXURE - I

**State wise approval for four years (i.e. FY 2021-22, 2022-23, 2023-24 & 2024-25) of Integrated
Public Health Labs (IPHLs)**

S. No.	State/UT	Approvals FY 2021-25 (4 Yrs.)			
		Target scheme period (FY 2021-26)	Total Unit Approved for 4 years	Total Allocation for scheme period (FY 2021-26)	Total Amount Approved for 4 years (In Cr.)
1	A & N Islands	3	3	6.69	3.75
2	Andhra Pradesh	13	23	27.04	37.57
3	Arunachal Pradesh	22	14	43.20	26.33
4	Assam	33	24	67.74	36.37
5	Bihar	38	12	78.89	15.00
6	Chandigarh	1	0	1.25	0.00
7	Chhattisgarh	28	21	58.55	39.49
8	DNH & DD	3	0	3.75	0.00
9	Delhi	11	0	21.60	0.00
10	Goa	2	0	2.50	0.00
11	Gujarat	33	24	67.74	44.70
12	Haryana	22	14	43.20	26.32
13	Himachal Pradesh	12	7	22.85	12.67
14	Jammu & Kashmir	20	14	40.70	26.33
15	Jharkhand	24	17	48.64	30.57
16	Karnataka	30	21	61.05	39.49
17	Kerala	14	10	28.29	18.38
18	Ladakh	2	2	2.50	2.50
19	Lakshadweep	1	1	1.25	1.25

20	Madhya Pradesh	55	39	112.90	60.03
21	Maharashtra	36	25	73.45	45.48
22	Manipur	15	11	31.50	21.11
23	Meghalaya	10	7	20.35	13.16
24	Mizoram	10	7	20.35	13.16
25	Nagaland	11	7	21.60	13.16
26	Odisha	30	21	61.05	39.20
27	Puducherry	4	3	7.94	5.22
28	Punjab	22	14	43.20	26.33
29	Rajasthan	33	24	67.74	42.98
30	Sikkim	3	3	6.69	5.22
31	Tamil Nadu	38	28	78.89	52.66
32	Telangana	33	24	67.74	44.72
33	Tripura	7	4	13.66	6.94
34	Uttar Pradesh	75	53	153.59	103.76
35	Uttarakhand	13	10	27.04	13.48
36	West Bengal	23	17	47.39	31.54

List of 13 New IPHLs – Andhra Pradesh

S. No.	District	IPHL
1	ASR	Araku Area Hospital
2	Anantapur	Guntakal Area Hospital
3	Bapatla	Chirala Area Hospital
4	Chittoor	Palamaner Area Hospital
5	East Godavari	Anaparthi Area Hospital
6	Eluru	Jangareddygudem Area Hospital
7	Kakinada	Tuni Area Hospital
8	Nandyal	Banaganapalli Area Hospital
9	NTR	Nandigama Area Hospital
10	Palnadu	Narasaraopeta Area Hospital
11	Parvathipuram Manyam	Seethampeta Area Hospital
12	Tirupati	Gudur Area Hospital
13	Visakhapatnam	Aganampudi Area Hospital