

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO: 912
TO BE ANSWERED ON 29.11.2024**

AYUSHMAN BHARAT HEALTH ACCOUNTS

912. SHRI KHALILUR RAHAMAN

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

- (a) the details of the methodology adopted for data collection and storage under the Ayushman Bharat Health Account (ABHA);
- (b) the details of Government/Non-Government entities that have access to data collected as part of the scheme;
- (c) whether the people registering on COWIN for vaccines were automatically registered for the ABHA and if so, the reasons therefor along with the number of people registered;
- (d) whether such registration included informed consent and if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the number of people registered for ABHA till date, State/UT-wise?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY
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(a) to (e) ABHA, that stands for Ayushman Bharat Health Account is a 14-digit random number and a unique identifier for each individual participating in the national digital health ecosystem. It is one of the three registries (other being the Health Professional Registry and the Health Facility Registry) being created under the Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission (ABDM), which aims to enable interoperability of health data within the health ecosystem. The aim of ABDM is to enable creation of Electronic Health Records (EHRs) for every citizen and their secure and seamless sharing among the healthcare providers to provide quality and accessible healthcare.

ABHA enables interaction of citizens with participating healthcare providers, and allows them to receive their health records, including their digital lab reports, prescriptions and diagnosis, seamlessly from verified healthcare professionals and health service providers.

For creating an ABHA, demographic details (such as name, gender, date of birth etc) of the individual are required. These details are taken from KYC documents (presently via Aadhaar or driving license) which are submitted by the user. These details are then duly authenticated via multiple modes such as Aadhaar OTP/biometric/face/ demographic or at authorized facilities. Prior consent of the users is obtained before creating their ABHA. ABHA can be generated by

users through the websites, mobile applications, digital solutions, government programmes etc. integrated with ABDM. The above demographic details in the ABHA registries are stored in a secure manner by the NHA. It is necessary for these details to be stored centrally because they are essential to provide interoperability, trust, and identification and single source of truth across different digital health systems.

‘Privacy by design’ is one of the key guiding principles of ABDM and implemented following the principles of federated digital architecture. There is, therefore, no centralised repository of health records. ABDM facilitates secure data exchange between the intended stakeholders on ABDM network after the patient’s consent. Through ABDM enabled applications, patients will also be able to securely store their digital health records on their devices, securely access their records online, and securely share their health records with healthcare providers after their consent.

The Information Technology Act 2000 along with policies and guidelines including but not limited to Health Data Management Policy, Sandbox Guidelines etc. published by ABDM from time to time lay down the regulatory and policy framework for the regulation of ABDM.

As mentioned above, only demographic details of the individual are collected as part of the scheme. No data of patient’s health records are collected by ABDM. The demographic details, collected and stored in ABHA are made available to the government and private entities who have integrated with ABDM only after receiving the patient’s consent. The list of entities which have been integrated with ABDM are listed in Annexure 1.

Further, details in respect of point (c) and (d) –

Creation of ABHA is voluntary. Thus, people who registered on CoWIN were not automatically registered for ABHA. 12,97,96,728 ABHAs have been created through the CoWIN portal till Nov 24, 2024.

ABHAs have been created for those beneficiaries enrolled through CoWIN platform who have provided Aadhaar as the ID proof at the vaccination site only after taking their consent through the vaccinator.

The total number of ABHA created till 23rd November, 2024 is **68,65,84,586**. The state-wise details are tabulated below in Annexure 2. It is to mention that this data does not include the ABHAs corresponding to the above states from 1,23,51,811 ABHA numbers (earlier Health IDs). The data (state) against these ABHA numbers has not been populated as state and district fields were not mandatory fields during ABHA creation through demographic authentication. In September, 2023, the state and district fields have been made mandatory.

S No	Entity Name	Organization Type
1	Aarogyasri Health Care Trust	Public
2	CDAC Mohali (eSanjeevani HWC and eSanjeevani OPD)	Public
3	CDAC Noida (e-Sushrut AIIMS)	Public
4	Central TB Division, MoHFW	Public
5	Centre for Development of Advanced Computing, Mohali	Public
6	CGHS	Public
7	CSC e Governance Services India Limited	Public
8	Department of health and Family welfare Nagaland	Public
9	Department of health and family welfare Sikkim	Public
10	Digicare Healthcare Solutions Private Limited	Public
11	Directorate of Health Services family welfare Assam	Public
12	Directorate of Health Services Manipur	Public
13	Directorate of Health Services Meghalaya	Public
14	eHealth Kerala Project Management Unit	Public
15	eManas Karnataka	Public
16	EMPLOYEE STATE INSURANCE CORPORATION	Public
17	Government of Rajasthan - CHIP	Public
18	Government of Rajasthan - iHMS	Public
19	Government of Uttar Pradesh - eKavach	Public
20	Government of Uttar Pradesh - UDSP	Public
21	Govt of Uttarakhand	Public
22	Haryana State Health Resource Centre	Public
23	Health Department DNH&DD Type	Public
24	Health Department Govt of Uttarakhand	Public
25	Jan Swasthya Sahyog	Public
26	Ministry of AYUSH	Public
27	MoHfW (sickle Cell)	Public
28	National e-Governance Division (Digilocker)	Public
29	National Health Authority (PMJAY)	Public
30	National Health Mission Tamil Nadu	Public
31	National Health Mission, Andhra Pradesh	Public
32	National Health Mission, SHS, Nagrota, Jammu, J&K	Public
33	National Health Systems Resource Centre	Public
34	NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED	Public
35	National Viral Hepatitis Control Program(NVHCP)	Public
36	NEC Software Solutions India	Public
37	NIC eHospital	Public
38	NIC (Aarogya Setu)	Public
39	NIC (NextGen)	Public
40	NIC (Sickle Cell)	Public
41	Non Communicable Disease Program, MoHFW	Public

42	Pradhan Mantri National Dialysis Programme	Public
43	Protean eGov Technologies Limited	Public
44	RCH MoHFW	Public
45	Sheri-Kashmir Institute of Medical Sciences (SKIMS)	Public
46	Swasthya Ingit, Department of Health and Family Welfare (GoWB)	Public
47	TECHO_GUJARAT	Public
48	TeleICU Karnataka	Public
49	The Oriental Insurance Company Ltd	Public
50	United India Insurance Company	Public
51	UP EMRI Equal	Public
52	UT OF DNH DD PUBLIC HEALTH MANAGEMENT PORTAL	Public
53	UWIN	Public
54	West Bengal Health and Family Welfare	Public
55	4P Healthcare	Private
56	ABIHEALTH TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
57	Achala Health Services Private Limited	Private
58	Acko General Insurance Limited	Private
59	Adhyanshi Enterprises	Private
60	Aditya Birla Health Insurance Co Ltd	Private
61	Aditya Birla Sun Life Insurance Company Limited	Private
62	ADVANCE DIGITAL SOLUTIONS INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
63	Akhil Systems Pvt Ltd	Private
64	Ala Care	Private
65	Ambula Technologies Private Limited	Private
66	AMOGH NSMP TECH PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
67	Amrita Technologies	Private
68	Anahat Solutions Pvt Ltd	Private
69	Apex Kidney Care Pvt Ltd	Private
70	Apollo Hospitals Enterprise Ltd	Private
71	Appex Tech Innovation	Private
72	Artem HealthTech Private Limited	Private
73	ARTIVATIC DATA LABS PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
74	Arupavi Health Technologies Pvt Ltd	Private
75	ASMI GLOBAL SOFTWARES OPC PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
76	ASUUN WELLNESS PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
77	Athlex Innovations Private Limited	Private
78	ATHMA HEALTHTECH PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
79	Bajaj Allianz Insurance Company LTD	Private
80	Bajaj Finserv Health	Private
81	BeH Private Limited	Private
82	BelfricsBT Pvt Ltd	Private
83	Bharuwa Solutions Private Limited	Private
84	Blue Pearl Health Tech PvtLtd	Private

85	Byepo Technologies pvt ltd	Private
86	CAARE Healthtech Services Pvt. Ltd.	Private
87	CARDIOMETCARE PLUS HEALTH SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
88	Care health insurance	Private
89	CENTRAL INDIA ASSOCIATES	Private
90	Chipsy Information Technology Services Private Limited	Private
91	Cholamandalam MS General Insurance Company Ltd	Private
92	Cloud Pathology (Connection Loops)	Private
93	Copious Healthcare India Pvt Ltd	Private
94	Curelink Private Limited	Private
95	Dataman Computer Systems Pvt Ltd	Private
96	Davadost Pharma Private Limited	Private
97	DHANUSH HEALTHCARE SYSTEMS PVT LTD	Private
98	Digispars Private Limited	Private
99	DocOn Technologies Pvt Ltd	Private
100	DocPrime Technologies Private Limited	Private
101	Docterz Healthtech Labs Pvt Ltd	Private
102	Dr Lal Pathlabs Ltd	Private
103	DRCFO MANAGEMENT CONSULTANTS PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
104	Driefcase Healthtech Private Limited	Private
105	Driefcase Healthtech Pvt Ltd	Private
106	DROME SERVICES PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
107	Drucare Pvt Ltd	Private
108	East West Assist Insurance Tpa Private Limited	Private
109	Eclinical India Private Limited	Private
110	eClinical India Pvt Ltd	Private
111	eGovernments Foundation	Private
112	Entro Labs IT Solutions Pvt Ltd	Private
113	Equal	Private
114	Eva Soft Private Limited	Private
115	eVaidya Private Limited	Private
116	Family Health Insurance TPA Limited	Private
117	Farmako Healthcare Private Limited	Private
118	Fingoole Technologies Private Limited	Private
119	Fortis Healthcare Limited	Private
120	Future Generali India insurance Company Limited	Private
121	Genins India Insurance TPA Limited	Private
122	GHV Advanced Care Private Limited	Private
123	Go Digit General Insurance Ltd	Private
124	HDFC Ergo General Insurance Company Limited	Private
125	HealthATM India Pvt Ltd	Private
126	Healthica Digisol Private Limited	Private
127	HealthPlix Technologies Private Limited	Private

128	HEALTHRAY TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
129	Healthvalors Technosoft Private Limited	Private
130	HERITAGE HEALTH INSURANCE TPA PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
131	Hitachi MGRM Net Limited	Private
132	HLL Lifecare Limited	Private
133	Hodo Medical Informatic Solutions Private Limited	Private
134	ICICI Lombard General Insurance Co Ltd	Private
135	ICICI Prudential Life Insurance Co Ltd	Private
136	IHX	Private
137	India Health Link Private Limited	Private
138	InformDS Technologies Private Limited	Private
139	IPLit Solutions LLP	Private
140	IQVIA	Private
141	ITDOSE Infosystems Pvt. Ltd.	Private
142	ITSC Technologies Pvt Ltd	Private
143	Jdeanz Healthtech Pvt Ltd	Private
144	JUPITER LIFELINE HOSPITALS LIMITED	Private
145	KareXpert Technologies Pvt Ltd	Private
146	KareXpert Technologies Pvt Ltd Prod 1	Private
147	KareXpert Technologies Pvt Ltd Prod 2	Private
148	Karkinos Healthcare Private Limited	Private
149	Kotak Mahindra General Insurance Company Limited	Private
150	Kotak Mahindra Life Insurance Company Ltd	Private
151	kulcare India Private Limited	Private
152	LetsDoc Healthcare Technologies Pvt Ltd	Private
153	Liberty General Insurance Limited	Private
154	LiveHealth (Creliant Software Pvt. Ltd.)	Private
155	LIVLONG PROTECTION AND WELLNESS SOLUTIONS LTD	Private
156	Magma HDI General Insurance Company Limited	Private
157	ManipalCigna Health Insurance Company Limited	Private
158	Manitechnest Solutions LLP	Private
159	Manorama Infosolutions Pvt Ltd	Private
160	Marg ERP Ltd	Private
161	MarSha Health	Private
162	Max Life Insurance Company Limited	Private
163	MDIndia Health Insurance TPA Pvt Ltd	Private
164	Medblocks	Private
165	Medi Assist Insurance TPA Pvt Ltd	Private
166	MediBuddy (Phasorz Technologies)	Private
167	MedicalMine India Private Limited	Private
168	Medionce Solutions Private Limited	Private
169	Medongo Health Private Limited	Private
170	Medsave Health Insurance TPA Limited	Private

171	Medsynaptic Pvt Ltd	Private
172	Merago Software Technologies Private Limited	Private
173	MINDGENIX PRIVATE LTD	Private
174	Mswasth Tech Pvt Ltd	Private
175	MYHEALTHCARE TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
176	Narayana Hrudayalaya Limited	Private
177	Navi General Insurance Limited	Private
178	Neodocs Healthcare Pvt Ltd	Private
179	Nephrocare Health Services Pvt Ltd	Private
180	Neuralbits Technologies Pvt Ltd	Private
181	Neurobit Innovations Pvt Ltd	Private
182	NICE-HMS	Private
183	NICT Technologies Pvt. Ltd.	Private
184	Niva Bupa Health Insurance Company Limited	Private
185	Oakland Systems pvt led	Private
186	Orbi Health Private Limited	Private
187	PanScience AI Healthcare Private Limited	Private
188	Paperplane Communications Private Limited	Private
189	Paramount health Service and Insurance TPA Pvt Ltd	Private
190	Paytm	Private
191	Piramal Swasthya Management and Research Institute	Private
192	Plus91 Technologies Private Limited	Private
193	PlusNinetyOne Technologies Private Limited	Private
194	Practo	Private
195	PRUDAS TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
196	RACLOOP Technologies Pvt. Ltd.	Private
197	Raheja Qbe General Insurance Company Limited	Private
198	Raxa Health	Private
199	REDKENKO HEALTH TECH PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
200	Reliance Digital Health Limited	Private
201	Reliance General Insurance	Private
202	Rely Technologies Private Limited	Private
203	RENATUS MEDITECH SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
204	Roojh India Private Limited	Private
205	Royal Sundaram General Insurance	Private
206	S2 Infotech International Limited	Private
207	Safeway Insurance TPA Pvt Ltd	Private
208	SBI General Insurance Company Limited	Private
209	SEHATPRO TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
210	Shrimad Rajchandra Hospital and Research Centre (Unit of Shrimad Rajchandra Sarvamangal Trust)	Private
211	SHRIRAM GENERAL INSURANCE COMPANY LTD	Private
212	SMARTHMS AND SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LIMITED	Private

213	Society for Health Information & Systems Programmes	Private
214	SOFTCURE TECHNOLOGY LLP	Private
215	Sri Kauvery Medical Care (India) Limited,	Private
216	SRI LAXMI KRAVIA TECHLABS PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
217	SRIT India Private Limited	Private
218	SRL LIMITED	Private
219	SSIVIX Labs India Private Limited	Private
220	Star Health And Allied Insurance Company Limited	Private
221	Sufalam Solutions Pvt Ltd	Private
222	SUVARNA TECHNOSOFT PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
223	SwingBell Labs	Private
224	Tata AIA life insurance	Private
225	TATA AIG General Insurance Co Ltd	Private
226	Tata Medical and Diagnostics	Private
227	THE NEW INDIA ASSURANCE COMPANY LTD	Private
228	Third Ai Platforms Private Limited	Private
229	Thoughtworks Technologies India Pvt Ltd	Private
230	Timestream Technologies Private Limited	Private
231	Tricog Health India Private Limited	Private
232	Universal Sompo General Insurance Company Limited	Private
233	VANBUREN TECHNOLOGIES PRIVATE LIMITED	Private
234	Verraton Health Private Limited	Private
235	Vesak technologies private limited	Private
236	Vidal Health Insurance TPA Pvt Ltd	Private
237	Vigorus Healthtech Private Limited	Private
238	Vitraya Technologies	Private
239	Yro Systems Private Limited	Private
240	Zealthix Technologies Private Limited	Private
241	Zuno General Insurance Limited	Private

Sr. no	State/UT	ABHAs Created
1	Uttar Pradesh	12,63,15,112
2	Maharashtra	5,54,04,261
3	Madhya Pradesh	4,70,24,154
4	Gujarat	4,65,87,322
5	Rajasthan	4,46,34,400
6	Andhra Pradesh	4,18,86,946
7	Bihar	3,96,70,742
8	West Bengal	3,59,45,756
9	Karnataka	3,04,62,418
10	Odisha	2,65,19,589
11	Chhattisgarh	2,23,13,830
12	Telangana	2,19,58,435
13	Assam	1,92,60,730
14	Kerala	1,79,75,376
15	Haryana	1,50,74,493
16	Jharkhand	1,40,83,168
17	Tamil Nadu	1,38,28,086
18	Punjab	1,35,27,922
19	Jammu And Kashmir	90,81,355
20	Delhi	85,19,072
21	Uttarakhand	68,97,659
22	Himachal Pradesh	60,43,109
23	Tripura	22,46,053
24	Meghalaya	12,36,466
25	Puducherry	11,37,870
26	Manipur	9,36,308

27	Goa	8,67,964
28	Chandigarh	8,41,540
29	DNHDD	8,25,040
30	Nagaland	7,23,883
31	Mizoram	6,46,257
32	Andaman And Nicobar Islands	4,46,115
33	Sikkim	4,29,968
34	Arunachal Pradesh	3,89,375
35	Ladakh	3,87,005
36	Lakshadweep	1,04,996