

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3640  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21<sup>st</sup> MARCH, 2025**

**STOPPAGE OF FUNDS TO KMA UNDER NHM**

**3640. SMT. MALA ROY:**

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

- (a) the details of fund released to Kolkata Municipal Corporation (KMC) under the National Health Mission (NHM); and  
(b) whether it is true that the fund to be released to KMC under NHM has been stopped, if so, the reasons therefor?

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

(a) and (b): With the objective of attainment of universal access to equitable, affordable and quality health care services, the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare is implementing National Health Mission. Government provides technical and financial support to the States/UTs for improvement in health infrastructure, availability of adequate human resources to health facilities, to improve availability and accessibility to quality health care especially for the underserved and marginalized groups. Under National Health Mission (NHM), funds are released to the States/UTs under Flexible Pool on a lump sum basis to provide greater flexibility to States/UTs to utilize the funds as per their felt need and priorities.

Funds under NHM are released based on the receipt of proposals from the States/UTs and compliance of provisions as contained in the schematic guidelines, existing manuals, guidelines, instructions and circulars issued in connection with implementation of the NHM.

The details of Central Release under the National Health Mission (NHM) from the FY 2021-22 to FY 2023-24 to the State of West Bengal is as follows:

(Rs. in Cr.)

<b>Financial Year</b>	<b>Central Release</b>
2021-22	1,654.26
2022-23	1,252.32
2023-24	890.42

Note:

1. The above releases relate to Central Govt. Grants & do not include State share contribution.

As per information received from the Govt. of West Bengal, fund released to Kolkata Municipal Corporation (KMC) from different programmes under NHM, West Bengal during FY 2024-25 (upto Feb, 2025)

<b>Name of the programme</b>	<b>Fund Released (Rs.)</b>
RCH	1,33,32,315.00
HSS (R')	64,27,600.00
NUHM	54,46,27,991.00
IDSP	70,000.00
NVBDCP	14,13,550.00
NPCB	19,30,000.00
NPCDCS	13,12,690.00
NVHCP	16,000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>56,91,30,146.00</b>

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