

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5652  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 04<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2025**

**INSTITUTE OF NATIONAL IMPORTANCE**

**5652. SHRI MADDILA GURUMOORTHY:**

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

- (a) the standards and eligibility criteria essential for an institution to be recognized as an Institute of National Importance (INI);
- (b) the details of list of health institutions recognized as Institutes of National Importance (INI) during the last five years including the names of the institutions and the year of recognition, State/UT-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has received any proposals from Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences (SVIMS), Tirupati for recognition as an Institute of National Importance (INI), if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government has considered granting SVIMS the status of Institute of National Importance (INI); and
- (e) if so, the details thereof along with the process and timeline for its recognition and if not, the reasons for not granting this recognition?

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

(a) & (b): Institutions of scientific or technical education financed by the Government of India wholly or in part can be declared by an Act of Parliament to be Institutions of National Importance (INIs) in terms of Entry 64 in List I of Seventh Schedule of Constitution of India. A list of AIIMS notified in the last five years as per AIIMS Act 1956 (as amended in 2012) is at Annexure.

(c) to (e): A proposal of SVIMS, Tirupati for recognition as INI has been received in the Ministry. The SVIMS has been set up by an Act of Legislative Assembly of State of Andhra Pradesh.

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b) OF LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.5652 FOR 04.04.2025 ASKED BY SHRI MADDILA  
GURUMOORTHY REGARDING INSTITUTE OF NATIONAL IMPORTANCE**

<b>S.No.</b>	<b>Name of Institute</b>	<b>State/UT</b>	<b>Notified</b>
1.	All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Madurai	Tamil Nadu	July 2020
2.	All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Darbhanga	Bihar	April 2021
3.	All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Rewari	Haryana	May 2024

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