

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

**LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 199
TO BE ANSWERED ON 1ST AUGUST, 2025.**

RURAL HEALTH INFRASTRUCTURE

***199. SHRI LAVU SRI KRISHNA DEVARAYALU:
SHRI KRISHNA PRASAD TENNETI:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has undertaken any study/survey regarding the status of rural health infrastructure across the country over the last five years, if so, the details thereof; State/UT-wise especially in Andhra Pradesh;
- (b) the status of hospitals/dispensaries/PHCs/SHCs and other health establishments proposed, under construction and presently functional across the country, State-wise, districtwise in Andhra Pradesh especially in Palnadu, Prakasam, Eluru and Bapatla Lok Sabha Constituency;
- (c) the details regarding the total amount of funds sanctioned, released and utilised for establishment of medical infrastructure and facilities in rural areas of Andhra Pradesh over the last five years, district-wise particularly for the above locations; and
- (d) whether the Government has any plans of further developing existing rural health infrastructure, if so, the details thereof and the timelines fixed for the same?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA)**

(a) to (d): A Statement is laid on the Table of the House.

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION
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(a) to (d): The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare provides technical and financial support to the States/UTs to strengthen the public healthcare system, based on the proposals received in the form of Programme Implementation Plans (PIPs) under National Health Mission (NHM). Government of India provides approval for the proposals in the form of Record of Proceedings (RoPs) as per norms & available resources.

Health Dynamics of India (HDI) (Infrastructure & Human Resources), 2022-23 is an annual publication, based on Health care administrative data reported by States/UTs. The State/UT-wise status of rural health facilities functioning across the country, including Andhra Pradesh can be accessed at the following link of HDI 2022-23: https://mohfw.gov.in/sites/default/files/Health%20Dynamics%20of%20India%20%28Infrastructure%20%26%20Human%20Resources%29%202022-23_RE%20%281%29.pdf

In February 2018, the Government of India announced establishment of 1,50,000 Ayushman Arogya Mandirs (AAMs), erstwhile Ayushman Bharat Health and Wellness Centres (AB-HWCs), across the country by December 2022. As updated by the States/UTs in AAM portal, a total of 1,77,906 Ayushman Arogya Mandirs have been established and operationalized as on 30.06.2025, by transforming existing Sub-Health Centres (SHC) and Primary Health Centres (PHC) in rural and urban areas to deliver the expanded range of comprehensive primary healthcare services with complete 12 package of services that includes preventive, promotive, curative, palliative and rehabilitative services which are universal, free, and closer to the community.

Details of funds approved during the current FY 2025-26 & for the last three FYs i.e 2024-25; 2023-24; 2022-23 for development of building infrastructure under NHM to the State of Andhra Pradesh are as under:

(Rs. In Lakhs)				
State	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Andhra Pradesh	674.0	0	15,797.55	15,797.55

Note: Andhra Pradesh did not propose any infrastructure building work in the FY 2023-24.

In addition to the National Health Mission (NHM), Government of India has on-going schemes for developing public healthcare infrastructure:

- **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 measures under the PM-ABHIM focus on developing capacities of health systems and institutions across the continuum of care at all levels, primary, secondary and tertiary, to prepare health systems in responding effectively to the current and future pandemics /disasters.

Administrative approvals have been accorded to States/UTs for FY 2021-26 for an amount of Rs. 33,081.82 Crore for construction/strengthening of 10609 Building less-AAMs, 5456 Urban-AAMs, 2151 Block Public Health Units (BPHUs), 744 Integrated Public Health Labs (IPHLs) at District level and 621 Critical Care Blocks (CCBs).

Administrative approvals have been accorded to the State of Andhra Pradesh, for five years (2021-26) for an amount of Rs 1271.80 Cr. for the construction/ strengthening of 1786 Building less-AAM (Sub-Centers - Health & wellness Centers), 45 U-AAMs (HWCs), 26 IPHLs and 24 CCBs, as per the proposal of the State.

The details of projects sanctioned for Andhra Pradesh under PM-ABHIM (Pradhan Mantri Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission) for the period FY 2021-22 to 2025-26 is at **Annexure-I**.

Funds Released to Andhra Pradesh under PM ABHIM since inception to FY 2024-25 are as under:

(Rs. in Cr.)					
Sl. No	States	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25
1	Andhra Pradesh	3.75	15.76	35.78	39.07

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

- The **Fifteenth Finance Commission (FC-XV)** has recommended grants through local governments for specific components of the health sector and spread over the five-year period from FY 2021-22 to FY 2025-26 to facilitate strengthening of health system at the grass-root level for an amount of

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Rs. 70,000 crores. These grants are for strengthening primary care through specified components such as Building-less Sub-Health Centres (SHCs), Primary Health Centres (PHCs), Community Health Centres (CHCs), Conversion of rural PHCs and Sub-Centres to Ayushman Arogya Mandir (AAM), Support for diagnostic infrastructure to the primary healthcare facilities, Block Level Public Health Units and Urban - AAMs.

Under Fifteenth Finance Commission (FC-XV) Health Grants, Rs. 2,600.80 Crore has been approved for Andhra Pradesh for five year period from FY 2021-22 to FY 2025-26 which includes establishment and strengthening of 1558 Building less SHCs, 100 Building less PHCs, 9 Building less CHCs, 436 Block Public Health Units BPHUs, and 191 Urban-AAMs. As on date, Rs. 2,033.40 Cr. has been released.

The details of projects sanctioned for Andhra Pradesh under 15th Finance Commission Health Grants for the period FY 2021-22 to 2025-26 is at **Annexure-II**.

Annexure – I

Details of projects sanctioned for Andhra Pradesh under PM-ABHIM (Pradhan Mantri Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission) for the period FY 2021-22 to 2025-26

I. Integrated Public Health Laboratories (IPHLs):

Sl. No	Year	District	IPHL Facility	Capital Cost
1	2021-22	YSR	DH Proddutur	1.25
2	2022-23	Vizianagaram	AH Rajam	1.25
3	2022-23	West Godavari	AH Tadepalligudem	1.25
4	2022-23	Prakasam	AH Giddalur	1.25
5	2023-24	Krishna	AH Gudivada	1.25
6	2023-24	Guntur	DH Tenali	1.25
7	2023-24	Annamayya	AH Rayachoti	1.25
8	2024-25	Srikakulam	DH Tekkali	1.25
9	2024-25	SPSR Nellore	DH Atmakur	1.25
10	2024-25	Kurnool	AH Yemmiganur	1.25
11	2025-26	Anakapalli	DH Anakapalli	1.25
12	2025-26	Konaseema	AH Ramachandrapuram	1.25
13	2025-26	Sri Satyasai	DH Hindupur	1.25
14	2024-25	Eluru	AH Jangareddygudem	1.25
15	2024-25	Anantapur	AH Guntakal	1.25
16	2024-25	Chittoor	AH Palamaner	1.25
17	2024-25	ASR	AH Araku	1.25
18	2024-25	Kakinada	AH Tuni	1.25
19	2024-25	Palnadu	AH Narasaraopeta	1.25
20	2024-25	PVP Manyam	AH Seethampeta	1.25
21	2024-25	Visakhapatnam	AH Aganampudi	1.25
22	2024-25	Nandyal	AH Banaganapalli	1.25
23	2024-25	East Godavari	AH Anaparthi	1.25
24	2024-25	Bapatla	AH Chirala	1.25
25	2024-25	NTR	AH Nandigama	1.25
26	2024-25	Tirupati	AH Gudur	1.25
	Total			32.50

II. Critical Care Blocks (CCBs):

Sl. No.	Year	District	CCB Facility	No. of Beds	Capital Cost
1	2021-22	YSR	GMC Kadapa	50	23.75
2	2022-23	SPSR Nellore	ACSR GMC Nellore	50	23.75
3	2022-23	Srikakulam	GMC Srikakulam	50	23.75
4	2023-24	Tirupati	Sri Venkateswara MC	50	23.75
5	2023-24	Visakhapatnam	Andhra MC	50	23.75
6	2024-25	Ananthapuram	GMC Anantapur	50	23.75
7	2024-25	Prakasam	GMC Ongole	50	23.75
8	2025-26	East Godavari	GMC Rajamahendravaram	50	23.75
9	2025-26	Kurnool	Kurnool MC	50	23.75
10	2025-26	NTR	Siddhartha MC	50	23.75
11	2025-26	Vizianagaram	GMC Vizianagaram	50	23.75
12	2025-26	Guntur	DH Tenali	100	44.50
13	2025-26	Sri Satyasai	DH Hindupur	50	22.25
14	2025-26	Anakapalli	DH Anakapalli	50	22.25
15	2024-25	A.S.R	GMC Paderu	50	23.75
16	2024-25	Eluru	GMC Eluru	50	23.75
17	2024-25	Krishna	GMC Machilipatnam	50	23.75
18	2024-25	Nandyal	GMC Nandyal	50	23.75
19	2024-25	Palnadu	AH Narasarao peta	75	36.35
20	2024-25	PVP Manyam	AH Palakonda	50	23.75
21	2024-25	West Godavari	AH Bhimavaram	50	23.75
22	2024-25	Annamayya	AH Rayachoty	50	23.75
23	2024-25	Kakinada	Rangaraya MC	50	23.75
24	2024-25	Bapatla	AH Chirala	50	23.75
	Total				600.35

III. Construction of Sub Health Centers (AAMs) in rural areas:

Sl.No.	Details	No. of Units	Total Amount
1	Ayushman Arogya Mandirs (AAMs) in rural areas	1786	535.80 Cr

Annexure – II

**Details of projects sanctioned for Andhra Pradesh under 15th Finance
Commission Health Grants for the period FY 2021-22 to 2025-26**

I. Construction of Primary Health Centres:

Sl. No.	Details	No. of Units	Total Amount
1	Primary Health Centers	100	143.00 Cr

Sl. No.	District	Number of Units
1	Alluri Sita Ramaraju	2
2	Anakapalli	2
3	Anantapuramu	5
4	Annamayya	2
5	Bapatla	4
6	Chittoor	4
7	East Godavari	8
8	Eluru	4
9	Guntur	7
10	Kakinada	4
11	Konaseema	1
12	Krishna	1
13	Kurnool	9
14	Nandyal	6
15	NTR	2
16	Palnadu	7
17	Prakasham	5
18	Spsr Nellore	6
19	Sri Satya Sai	4
20	Srikakulam	5
21	Tirupathi	2
22	Visakhapatnam	1
23	Vizianagaram	3
24	West Godavari	4
25	YSR Kadapa	2
	Total	100

II. Construction of Sub Health Centers (AAMs) in rural areas:

Sl. No.	Details	No. of Units	Total Amount
1	Building-less Subcentres	1558	532.04 Cr

Sl. No	District	Number of Units
1	Alluri Sitharama Raju	12
2	Anakapalli	37
3	Anantapur	40
4	Annamayya	49
5	Bapatla	109
6	Chittoor	71
7	East Godavari	47
8	Eluru	63
9	Guntur	67
10	Kakinada	140
11	konaseema	153
12	Krishna	97
13	Kurnool	59
14	Nandyal	69
15	NTR	77
16	Palnadu	63
17	Parvathipuram Manyam	22
18	Prakasam	71
19	SPSR Nellore	98
20	Sri Sathya Sai	25
21	Srikakulam	20
22	Tirupathi	80
23	Visakhapatanam	9
24	Vizianagaram	40
25	West Godavari	34
26	Y.S.R	6
	Total	1558