

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 1093  
TO BE ANSWERED ON-25/07/2025**

**SETTING UP OF AIIMS IN JALANDHAR**

**1093. SHRI CHARANJIT SINGH CHANNI.**

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

- (a) whether the Government is aware that Jalandhar district in Punjab has a population of approximately 22 lakh but lacks a Central Government health institution such as AIIMS;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether it is also a fact that there is no AIIMS or similar tertiary care institution in the entire Doaba region of Punjab, if so, the details thereof;
- (d) whether the Government proposes to establish an AIIMS-like Central Government hospital in Jalandhar to cater to the healthcare needs of people in Doaba and adjoining areas; and
- (e) 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 PRATAPRAO JADHAV)**

(a) to (e) Under Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY), setting up of 22 All India Institutes of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) has been approved including AIIMS at Bathinda in Punjab, which is functional. Further, for strengthening and upgrading tertiary healthcare facilities in Punjab, under another component of PMSSY upgradation of following Government Medical Colleges has been completed by way of construction of Super Specialty Blocks (SSBs) on Centre-State cost sharing basis: (i) Government Medical College, Amritsar and (ii) Government Medical College, Patiala. In the current phase of PMSSY there is no proposal to establish a new AIIMS in Jalandhar, Punjab.

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