

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1178
TO BE ANSWERED ON 06TH FEBRUARY, 2026**

VACANT POSTS IN AIIMS

†1178. **SMT. SANJNA JATAV:**

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

(a) whether it is a fact that out of 1306 faculty posts, around 524 posts are lying vacant in AIIMS New Delhi, due to which the faculty members are unable to give much time to the patients and the dates for operations and intensive check-ups are given in advance for coming months, if so, the details thereof;

(b) the details of vacant faculty positions in AIIMS across the country, AIIMS-wise; and

(c) whether the Government proposes to fill these posts under any recruitment scheme, if so, the time by which these posts are likely to be filled up, AIIMS-wise?

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

(a) to (c): Creation of posts and recruitment is a continuous process. The present status of sanctioned, filled and vacant faculty positions in various AIIMS is at Annexure. In order to expedite the filling of faculty and non-faculty vacant sanctioned positions in various AIIMS, following steps have been taken:-

- (i) Standing Selection Committee (SSC) has been constituted in each AIIMS as per the provisions of AIIMS Act, 1956 for selection of faculty.
- (ii) Provision has been made for engagement of retired faculty at the level of Professor, Additional Professor and Associate Professor, on contract basis, up to the age of 70 years from Institutes of National Importance and Government Medical Colleges.
- (iii) The Visiting Faculty Scheme allows Professors, Additional Professors and Associate Professors from Government institutions in India or academic institutions abroad to serve as Visiting Faculty in AIIMS for teaching purposes.
- (iv) Nursing Officer Recruitment Common Eligibility Test (NORCET) is conducted by

AIIMS Delhi for recruitment of Nursing Officers for various AIIMS twice a year.

- (v) Common Recruitment Examination (CRE) is conducted by AIIMS Delhi for recruitment to Group B and C non-faculty positions in various AIIMS.
- (vi) Junior Residents (Academic) and Senior Residents (Academic) are selected through the Institute of National Importance - Combined Entrance Test (INI-CET) and Institute of National Importance - Super Specialty (INI-SS) exams respectively, conducted by AIIMS Delhi twice a year.

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) TO (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.1178 FOR 06.02.2026 ASKED BY SMT. SANJNA JATAV REGARDING VACANT POSTS IN AIIMS

Sl. No.	AIIMS	Faculty position		
		Sanctioned	In position	Vacancies
1.	AIIMS, New Delhi	1306	860	446
2.	AIIMS, Bhopal (Madhya Pradesh)	312	241	71
3.	AIIMS, Bhubaneswar (Odisha)	337	238	99
4.	AIIMS, Jodhpur(Rajasthan)	405	221	184
5.	AIIMS, Patna (Bihar)	305	219	86
6.	AIIMS, Raipur (Chhattisgarh)	305	200	105
7.	AIIMS, Rishikesh(Uttarakhand)	355	229	126
8.	AIIMS, Bathinda (Punjab)	219	143	76
9.	AIIMS, Bibinagar (Telangana)	183	132	51
10.	AIIMS, Bilaspur (Himachal Pradesh)	217	130	87
11.	AIIMS, Deoghar (Jharkhand)	208	132	76
12.	AIIMS, Gorakhpur (Uttar Pradesh)	213	117	96
13.	AIIMS, Guwahati (Assam)	183	117	66
14.	AIIMS, Jammu (Jammu & Kashmir)	183	119	64
15.	AIIMS, Kalyani (West Bengal)	309	175	134
16.	AIIMS, Madurai (Tamil Nadu)	183	70	113
17.	AIIMS, Mangalagiri (Andhra Pradesh)	309	171	138
18.	AIIMS, Nagpur (Maharashtra)	373	238	135
19.	AIIMS, Raebareli (Uttar Pradesh)	209	111	98
20.	AIIMS, Rajkot (Gujarat)	183	78	105