

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2943
TO BE ANSWERED ON 10.03.2026**

SENIOR CITIZEN HOMES

2943. SHRI KARAN BHUSHAN SINGH:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of staff currently employed with functional senior citizen homes under the Atal Vayo Abhyudaya Yojana in Gonda and Bahraich;
- (b) the details of training on geriatric and health care provided to the staff and training personnels to maintain minimum standards of senior citizen homes; and
- (c) the number of trained personnels and staff that have enrolled and thereafter completed their training?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT

(SHRI B.L.VERMA)

(a): The Department of Social Justice and Empowerment provides financial support for the running and maintenance of one 25-bedded senior citizen home each in Gonda and Bahraich districts of Uttar Pradesh. A total of 10 staff members are employed in each of these Senior Citizen Homes.

(b) & (c): As per the scheme guidelines, there is a mandatory provision of regular visits of the doctors, nurses and yoga therapists for ensuring the well being of the senior citizens in the Senior Citizen Homes. Further, regular sensitization programs are conducted for the other managerial/ support staff of these Senior Citizen Homes at Gonda and Bahraich districts.
