

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 5750  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 27.03.2026**

**UPGRADATION OF MEDICAL INFRASTRUCTURE IN ANDHRA PRADESH**

**5750. SHRI PUTTA MAHESH KUMAR:  
SHRI MAGUNTA SREENIVASULU REDDY:**

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

- (a) whether the Government has undertaken any study regarding the development/upgradation of medical infrastructure in Andhra Pradesh under the PM-ABHIM Yojana;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the present status of projects under the Central Sector component of PM-ABHIM across Andhra Pradesh, district-wise particularly in Eluru District; and
- (c) whether the Government has considered including medical research centres under the PM-ABHIM in the said State, 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 (c): The Government of India regularly reviews the progress achieved under the Pradhan Mantri Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission (PM-ABHIM) through periodic review meetings, monitoring portals, and progress reports submitted by the States/UTs. The progress under the Mission is monitored with respect to the strengthening of rural and urban Ayushman Arogya Mandirs (AAMs), establishment of Integrated Public Health Laboratories (IPHLs), and Critical Care Blocks (CCBs) at district hospitals. The States/UTs have reported progress in the operationalization and upgradation of these health infrastructure components in accordance with the approved proposals and timelines under PM-ABHIM, and the same is being regularly reviewed by the Ministry to ensure effective implementation of the Mission.

Monitoring under the National Health Mission (NHM) and PM-ABHIM is carried out through a robust, multi-layered framework that includes review of State-wise Key Deliverables against approved targets during NPCC meetings with all States/UTs including Andhra Pradesh, regular assessment of performance through the Output–Outcome Monitoring Framework (OOMF). In addition, annual Common Review Missions (CRMs) provide independent, on-ground assessments of programme implementation, health system strengthening, and progress on key indicators, enabling identification of gaps, course correction, and strengthening of accountability at State and District levels.

PM-ABHIM is a Centrally Sponsored Scheme with certain Central Sector components, with a proposed outlay of Rs. 64,180 crore for the period FY 2021-22 to FY 2025-26. Under the CSS component of PM-ABHIM, administrative approvals have been accorded to the State of Andhra Pradesh for five years (i.e., FY 2021–22 to FY 2025–26) for an amount of Rs. 1118.80 crore for construction/strengthening of 696 Building-less Ayushman Arogya Mandirs (AAMs), 45 Urban Ayushman Arogya Mandirs (Health and Wellness Centres – HWCs), 26 Integrated Public Health Laboratories (IPHLs) and 24 Critical Care Blocks (CCBs), as per proposal submitted by the State.

The district-wise details of infrastructure approved, under the CSS & CS component of PM-ABHIM in the State of Andhra Pradesh are at **Annexure**.

Under the CSS component of the scheme, financial support is provided for construction of Building-less SHC-AAMs, U-AAMs, BPHUs, IPHLs and CCBs at District Hospitals/Government Medical College level. Medical research centres are not included under the scope of the scheme.

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**The district wise list of infrastructure approved under PM-ABHIM for the State of Andhra Pradesh**

| S. No. | District                    | Total HWCs | U-AAMs    | IPHL Facility       | CCB Facility          | CCB Beds |
|--------|-----------------------------|------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| 1      | Alluri Sitharama Raju       | 119        | -         | AH Araku            | GMC Paderu            | 50       |
| 2      | Anakapalli                  | 9          | 1         | DH Anakapalli       | DH Anakapalli         | 50       |
| 3      | Anantapur                   | 24         | 2         | AH Guntakal         | GMC Anantapur         | 50       |
| 4      | Annamayya                   | 17         | -         | AH Rayachoti        | AH Rayachoty          | 50       |
| 5      | Bapatla                     | 10         | 1         | AH Chirala          | AH Chirala            | 50       |
| 6      | Chittoor                    | 3          | 1         | AH Palamaner        | —                     | —        |
| 7      | East Godavari               | 15         | 2         | AH Anaparthi        | GMC Rajamahendravaram | 50       |
| 8      | Eluru                       | 33         | 1         | AH Jangareddygudem  | GMC Eluru             | 50       |
| 9      | Guntur                      | 13         | 4         | DH Tenali           | DH Tenali             | 100      |
| 10     | Kakinada                    | 15         | 2         | AH Tuni             | RMC Kakinada          | 50       |
| 11     | Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Konaseema | 9          | -         | AH Ramachandrapuram | —                     | —        |
| 12     | Krishna                     | 26         | 1         | AH Gudivada         | GMC Machilipatnam     | 50       |
| 13     | Kurnool                     | 30         | 3         | AH Yemmiganur       | Kurnool MC            | 50       |
| 14     | Nandyal                     | 51         | -         | AH Banaganapalli    | GMC Nandyal           | 50       |
| 15     | NTR                         | 15         | 6         | AH Nandigama        | Siddhartha MC         | 50       |
| 16     | Palnadu                     | 24         | 2         | AH Narasaraopeta    | AH Narasaraopeta      | 75       |
| 17     | Parvathipuram Manyam        | 132        | 1         | AH Seethampeta      | AH Palakonda          | 50       |
| 18     | Prakasam                    | 32         | 2         | AH Giddalur         | GMC Ongole            | 50       |
| 19     | SPSR Nellore                | 14         | 2         | DH Atmakur          | ACSR GMC Nellore      | 50       |
| 20     | Sri Sathya Sai              | 10         | -         | DH Hindupur         | DH Hindupur           | 50       |
| 21     | Srikakulam                  | 61         | 1         | DH Tekkali          | GMC Srikakulam        | 50       |
| 22     | Tirupati                    | 8          | 2         | AH Gudur            | Sri Venkateswara MC   | 50       |
| 23     | Visakhapatnam               | 0          | 6         | AH Aganampudi       | Andhra MC             | 50       |
| 24     | Vizianagaram                | 5          | 1         | AH Rajam            | GMC Vizianagaram      | 50       |
| 25     | West Godavari               | 12         | 1         | AH Tadepalligudem   | AH Bhimavaram         | 50       |
| 26     | YSR Kadapa                  | 9          | 3         | DH Proddutur        | GMC Kadapa            | 50       |
|        | <b>Grand Total</b>          | <b>696</b> | <b>45</b> | <b>26 IPHLs</b>     | <b>24 CCBs</b>        |          |

**The infrastructure approved under CS Component of PM-ABHIM for the State of Andhra Pradesh**

| S. No. | District            | National Centre for Disease Control (NCDC) State Branch | Metropolitan Surveillance Unit (MSU) | Bio Safety Level 3 Laboratory(BSL3) | Health Emergency Operation Centre (HEOC) |
|--------|---------------------|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| 1      | Guntur- Mangalagiri | 1   | 1                                    | 1                                   | 1  |