

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1447  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 4<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2016**

**NATIONAL YOUTH HEALTH PROGRAMMES**

**1447. SHRI DEVJI M. PATEL:**

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to operate youth clinics at each district centre under National Youth Health Programmes in the country including Rajasthan;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the total number of districts in which youth clinics are to be opened in the first phase in the country including Rajasthan;
- (d) whether the Government also proposes to open such clinics at primary health centres of villages; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

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

- (a): Government proposes to operate Adolescent Friendly Health Clinics in all districts in the country including Rajasthan.
- (b) to (e): Government proposes to operate Adolescent Friendly Health Clinics (AFHCs) at the level of Medical Colleges, District Hospitals, Sub District Hospitals, Community Health Centres and Primary Health Centres in a phased manner.

In the first phase, clinics will be opened in 213 Districts in the country including Rajasthan

These Adolescent Friendly Health Clinics will have the presence of trained MOs/ANMs to provide counselling and curative services to adolescents.

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