

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2331  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 11<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2016**

**FNAC**

**2331. SHRI GANESH SINGH:**

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

- (a) whether sufficient facilities are available for Fine Needle Aspiration Cytology test (FNAC) undertaken in Department of Microbiology in Central Hospitals is not done on Saturdays;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to make full facilities available to patients even on Saturday in the said hospital?

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

(a) to (c): In so far as the three Central Government Hospitals in Delhi viz. Safdarjung Hospital, Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital and Lady Hardinge Medical College & Associated Hospitals are concerned, sufficient facilities for Fine Needle Aspiration Cytology test (FNAC) are available and this test is undertaken in these Hospitals on the weekdays including Saturdays.

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