

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 502
TO BE ANSWERED ON 26TH FEBRUARY, 2016**

MEDICAL COLLEGES

502. SHRI RAVNEET SINGH:

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

- (a) the number of MBBS seats in the Government medical colleges across the country, State/UT-wise including Punjab;
- (b) the details of the proposals received by the Government for setting up of medical colleges across the country during the last three years, State/UT-wise and the action taken by the Government thereon;
- (c) whether any study has been conducted to assess the availability/ shortage of medical colleges in the country and the quality of medical education being imparted;
- (d) if so, the details thereof and outcome/ findings of the study thereof; and
- (e) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to scale up the availability of medical colleges and quality of medical education in the country?

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

(a) & (b): Details are at Annexure-I and II.

(c): No.

(d): Does not arise.

(e): With a view to bridging the gap in underserved areas, the Central Government is implementing a Centrally Sponsored Scheme, namely “Establishment of new Medical Colleges attached with District/Referral Hospitals”. Further, Medical Council of India Regulations provides for relaxed norms relating to land requirement, bed occupancy to facilitate the setting up of Medical Colleges in North East and Hilly Areas.

Medical Council of India under IMC Act, 1956 & Regulations made thereunder regulates and maintains the standards of medical education in the country.

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ANNEXURE-I**NUMBER OF MBBS SEATS IN GOVERNMENT MEDICAL COLLEGE**

Sl. No.	State	No. of Colleges	Seats
1	Andhra Pradesh	17	2700
2	A & N Islands	1	100
3	Assam	6	726
4	Bihar	9	950
5	Chandigarh	1	100
6	Chhattisgarh	5	550
7	Delhi	5	800
8	Goa	1	150
9	Gujarat	11	1830
10	Haryana	4	500
11	Himachal Pradesh	2	200
12	Jammu & Kashmir	3	400
13	Jharkhand	3	350
14	Karnataka	15	1950
15	Kerala	9	1250
16	Madhya Pradesh	6	800
17	Maharashtra	21	2950
18	Manipur	2	200
19	Meghalaya	1	50
20	Orissa	3	550
21	Pondicherry	1	150
22	Punjab	3	450
23	Rajasthan	8	1400
24	Sikkim	0	0
25	Tamil Nadu	22	2815
26	Tripura	2	200
27	Uttar Pradesh	15	1949
28	Uttarakhand	2	200
29	West Bengal	14	2050
30	<i>AIIMS</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>673</i>
31	<i>JIPMER</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>150</i>
	TOTAL	200	27143

ANNEXURE -II

Details of Number of proposals received and permission granted for establishment of medical colleges during the last three years											
SL.		2013-14			2014-15			2015-16			2016-17
		Received	Approved	Disapp.	Received	Approved	Disapp.	Received	Approved	Disapp.	Received
1	Andhra Pradesh	14	3	11	15	3	12	7	1	6	3
2	Assam	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
3	Bihar	6	2	4	4	0	4	4	0	4	2
4	Chhattisgarh	8	2	6	6	1	5	2	0	2	4
5	Delhi	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	1
6	Gujarat	1	0	1	0	0	0	3	2	1	1
7	Himachal Pradesh	2	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	4
8	Haryana	1	1	0	5	0	5	3	1	2	7
9	Jammu & Kashmir	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
10	Jharkhand	3	0	3	2	0	2	1	0	1	2
11	Karnataka	17	3	14	11	1	10	14	3	11	8
12	Kerala	5	2	3	13	5	8	6	0	6	9
13	Madhya Pradesh	2	1	1	6	1	5	4	1	3	11
14	Maharashtra	7	0	7	10	1	9	10	3	7	5
15	Orissa	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
16	Punjab	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
17	Rajasthan	4	0	4	5	2	3	2	1	1	5
18	Tamil Nadu	6	3	3	4	0	4	5	1	4	8
19	Uttar Pradesh	14	3	11	17	2	15	18	4	14	22
20	Uttarakhand	1	0	1	3	0	3	4	0	4	1
21	West Bengal	5	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
22	Sikkim	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	Meghalaya	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	Nagaland	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1
25	Arunachal Pradesh	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	Mizoram	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1
27	Tripura	1	0	1							
28	Puducherry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
28	Telangana	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	10
30	A & Nicobar	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
TOTAL		109	25	84	105	17	88	91	18	73	109*

* For the current Academic year i.e. 2016-17 the proposals is under process.