

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1009
TO BE ANSWERED ON 22ND JULY, 2016**

BREAST AND CERVICAL CANCER

1009. SHRI CHANDRA PRAKASH JOSHI:

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

- (a) whether there has been a spurt in the cases of breast and cervical cancer among women and lung cancer among men;
- (b) if so, the details thereof along with the number of such cases reported during the last three years, State/UT-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has put in place any awareness programmes, treatment plan and preventive healthcare scheme to control the cases of above type of cancers among women and men; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken in this regard?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY HEALTH AND FAMILY
WELFARE
(SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE)**

(a) & (b): As informed by Indian Council of Medical Research, there has been increase in estimated total incidence of breast cancer and cervical cancer among women and lung cancer among men.

The estimated incidence of cancer cases for breast and cervical among women and lung cancer among men in India, State/UT wise for the last three years are at **Annexure I, II & III**.

(c) & (d): Central Government supplements the efforts of the State Government for improving healthcare including prevention, diagnosis and treatment of Cancer. The objectives of National Programme for Prevention and Control of Cancer, Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases and Stroke (NPCDCS) being implemented under National Health Mission (NHM) for interventions upto district level include awareness generation for Cancer prevention, screening, early detection and referral to an appropriate level institution for treatment. The focus is on three types of cancer namely breast, cervical and oral cancer. Operational guidelines for implementing population wide screening of common cancer viz. breast, cervical and oral cancer have been issued to the State Governments. The guidelines include screening for the risk factors of cancer among common Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs). Such screening will also spread

awareness on the risk factors of common NCDs including cancer. Self Breast Examination is also promoted for early detection for breast cancer. Electronic and Print media is utilized for health awareness for cancer.

The Government of India is implementing “Tertiary Care Cancer Centre” Scheme to assist to establish/set up State Cancer Institutes (SCI) and Tertiary Care Cancer Centres (TCCC) in different parts of the country. Oncology in its various aspects has focus in case of new AIIMS and many upgraded institutions under Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojna (PMSSY). Setting up of National Cancer Institute at Jhajjar (Haryana) and 2nd campus of Chittranjan National Cancer Institute, Kolkata has also been approved. All these will enhance the capacity for prevention and treatment of cancer in the country.

Annexure I

Estimated Incidence cancer cases in India by different State / UT - Cervix- (2013-2015)- Females			
States	2013	2014	2015
Jammu & Kashmir	959	974	989
Himachal Pradesh	538	540	543
Punjab	2078	2089	2099
Chandigarh	76	77	78
Uttaranchal	804	815	825
Haryana	1911	1932	1954
Delhi	1244	1253	1262
Rajasthan	5314	5369	5424
Uttar Pradesh	15417	15630	15843
Bihar	8120	8261	8404
Sikkim	24	25	27
Arunachal Pradesh	53	54	55
Nagaland	73	74	74
Manipur	99	98	97
Mizoram	43	44	44
Tripura	148	154	160
Meghalaya	117	119	122
Assam	1190	1204	1218
West Bengal	7150	7225	7302
Jharkhand	2612	2653	2693
Odisha	3313	3335	3357
Chhattisgarh	2072	2105	2138
Madhya Pradesh	5678	5756	5835
Gujarat	4671	4728	4785
Daman & Diu	16	17	18
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	26	27	28
Maharashtra	8598	8644	8688
Telangana	2865	2919	2977
Andhra Pradesh	4038	4116	4196
Karnataka	4824	4867	4909
Goa	114	114	115
Lakshadweep	5	5	6
Kerala	2817	2865	2920
Tamil Nadu	5591	5562	5533
Pondicherry	105	108	111
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	28	28	28
Total	92731	93786	94857
*Based on cancer incidence data (2009-2011) and Time trends in cancer incidence rates (1982-2010) report.			

Annexure II

Estimated Incidence cancer cases in India by different State / UT - Breast- (2013-2015)- Females			
States	2013	2014	2015
Jammu & Kashmir	955	991	1029
Himachal Pradesh	535	550	564
Punjab	2070	2125	2182
Chandigarh	76	78	81
Uttaranchal	801	829	858
Haryana	1903	1966	2032
Delhi	1239	1275	1312
Rajasthan	5293	5463	5641
Uttar Pradesh	15356	15903	16476
Bihar	8088	8406	8740
Sikkim	49	53	58
Arunachal Pradesh	109	113	118
Nagaland	150	154	158
Manipur	204	205	207
Mizoram	88	91	95
Tripura	303	321	342
Meghalaya	240	250	260
Assam	2440	2518	2599
West Bengal	7121	7351	7593
Jharkhand	2602	2699	2801
Orissa	3299	3393	3491
Chhattisgarh	2064	2142	2223
Madhya Pradesh	5656	5857	6067
Gujarat	4652	4810	4976
Daman & Diu	16	17	19
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	26	27	29
Maharashtra	8564	8795	9035
Telangana	2854	2971	3096
Andhra Pradesh	4022	4187	4364
Karnataka	4807	4952	5105
Goa	113	116	119
Lakshadweep	5	6	6
Kerala	2806	2916	3037
Tamil Nadu	5569	5660	5754
Pondicherry	105	110	115
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	28	28	29
Total	94208	97328	100611
*Based on cancer incidence data (2009-2011) and Time trends in cancer incidence rates (1982-2010) report.			

Annexure III

Estimated Incidence cancer cases in India by different State / UT - Lung - (2013-2015)- Males			
States	2013	2014	2015
Jammu & Kashmir	572	593	614
Himachal Pradesh	289	296	303
Punjab	1214	1240	1266
Chandigarh	48	50	51
Uttaranchal	438	453	467
Haryana	1135	1166	1198
Delhi	743	759	774
Rajasthan	3010	3099	3190
Uttar Pradesh	8917	9215	9522
Bihar	4664	4840	5022
Sikkim	29	31	33
Arunachal Pradesh	61	62	64
Nagaland	85	86	88
Manipur	106	105	104
Mizoram	46	46	47
Tripura	161	167	173
Meghalaya	125	127	129
Assam	1306	1318	1331
West Bengal	3951	4062	4176
Jharkhand	1447	1496	1548
Odisha	1774	1819	1865
Chhattisgarh	1098	1136	1176
Madhya Pradesh	3199	3302	3408
Gujarat	2666	2748	2832
Daman & Diu	16	19	21
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	17	19	20
Maharashtra	4868	4983	5100
Telangana	1518	1574	1633
Andhra Pradesh	2123	2201	2283
Karnataka	2615	2688	2763
Goa	62	63	64
Lakshadweep	3	3	3
Kerala	1357	1403	1454
Tamil Nadu	2952	2994	3037
Pondicherry	53	55	58
Andaman & Nicobar Islands	17	17	17
Total	52685	54235	55834
*Based on cancer incidence data (2009-2011) and Time trends in cancer incidence rates (1982-2010) report.			