

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2188
TO BE ANSWERED ON 29TH JULY, 2016**

SHORTAGE OF MEDICAL COLLEGES

**2188. SHRI RAVNEET SINGH:
SHRI MOHD. SALIM:
DR. BANSHILAL MAHATO:
SHRI DILIP PATEL:**

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 and Gujarat;
- (b) the details of the proposals received by the Government for setting up of medical colleges across the country during the last three years and the current year, location, State/UT-wise including West Bengal along with the status thereon;
- (c) whether Government/MCI has reduced/proposes to reduce the number of seats in medical colleges throughout the country, if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor;
- (d) 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; and
- (e) if so, the details and outcome/ findings of the study thereof and 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 STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE)**

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

(c): No.

(d) & (e): No. Under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme for 'Establishment of New Medical Colleges attached with district/referral hospitals', 58 districts have been identified in 20 States/UTs in under served areas. A common entrance test viz. National Eligibility cum Entrance Test (NEET) has been introduced to ensure better quality of medical education.

NUMBER OF MBBS SEATS IN GOVERNMENT MEDICAL COLLEGE

Sl. No.	State	Government	
		No. of College	Seats
1	Andhra Pradesh	13	2050
2	A & N Islands	1	100
3	Assam	6	726
4	Bihar	9	950
5	Chandigarh	1	100
6	Chhattisgarh	6	650
7	Delhi	6	900
8	Goa	1	150
9	Gujarat	11	1930
10	Haryana	4	500
11	Himachal Pradesh	3	300
12	Jammu & Kashmir	3	400
13	Jharkhand	3	350
14	Karnataka	18	2300
15	Kerala	9	1250
16	Madhya Pradesh	6	800
17	Maharashtra	22	3050
18	Manipur	2	200
19	Meghalaya	1	50
20	Orissa	3	650
21	Pondicherry	1	150
22	Punjab	3	500
23	Rajasthan	8	1450
24	Sikkim	0	0
25	Tamil Nadu	23	3015
26	Telangana	6	1000
27	Tripura	2	200
28	Uttar Pradesh	16	2049
29	Uttarakhand	3	350
30	West Bengal	14	2150
31	AIIMS	7	673
32	JIPMER	1	150
	TOTAL	212	29093

Annexure-II**Details of Number of proposals received and permission granted for establishment of medical colleges during the last three years**

SL.		2014-15			2015-16			2016-17			2017-18		
		Received	Approved	Disapp.	Received	Approved	Disapp.	Received	Approved	Disapp.	Received		
1	Andhra Pradesh	15	3	12	7	1	6	3	0	3	6		
2	Assam	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
3	Bihar	4	0	4	4	0	4	2	0	2	3		
4	Chhattisgarh	6	1	5	2	0	2	4	1	3	2		
5	Delhi	0	0	0	2	0	2	1	1	0	0		
6	Gujarat	0	0	0	3	2	1	1	1	0	2		
7	Himachal Pradesh	1	0	1	1	0	1	4	1	3	3		
8	Haryana	5	0	5	3	1	2	6	0	6	6		
9	J & K	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
10	Jharkhand	2	0	2	1	0	1	2	0	2	1		
11	Karnataka	11	1	10	14	3	11	8	3	5	5		
12	Kerala	13	5	8	6	0	6	9	1	8	5		
13	Madhya Pradesh	6	1	5	4	1	3	11	0	11	6		
14	Maharashtra	10	1	9	10	3	7	5	2	5	4		
15	Orissa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2		
16	Punjab	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
17	Rajasthan	5	2	3	2	1	1	5	1	4	11		
18	Tamil Nadu	4	0	4	5	1	4	8	1	7	4		
19	Uttar Pradesh	17	2	15	18	4	14	21	2	19	18		
20	Uttarakhand	3	0	3	4	0	4	1	1	0	1		
21	West Bengal	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	3		
22	Sikkim	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
23	Meghalaya	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
24	Nagaland	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0		
25	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
26	Mizoram	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	1		
27	Tripura	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0		
28	Puducherry	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0		
28	Telangana	0	0	0	2	0	2	10	2	10	6		
30	A & C Nicobar	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0		
TOTAL		105	17	88	91	18	73	107	17	90	89*		

* For the Academic year 2017-18 the proposals are received in the current year . The last date for taking decision is 31.05.2017.