

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1111
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24th JULY 2026**

UNIVERSAL IMMUNIZATION PROGRAMME IN CHHATTISGARH

†1111. SHRI MAHESH KASHYAP:

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

- (a) The progress made so far under the Universal Immunisation Programme in Chhattisgarh, particularly in the Bastar Parliamentary Constituency;
- (b) the details of immunisation coverage and the number of fully immunized children and pregnant women, along with the new vaccines recently included in the programme in the State, district-wise;
- (c) whether any special action plan has been implemented by the Union Government in Chhattisgarh to strengthen pandemic preparedness, disease surveillance systems, laboratory networks, health emergency response mechanisms and health services in tribal and remote areas, based on the experiences gained during the COVID-19 pandemic, especially in the Bastar Parliamentary constituency; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

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

- (a) The antigen wise coverage for Chhattisgarh and the districts of Bastar parliamentary constituency under the Universal Immunization program is placed in **Annexure-1**.

- (b) The district wise details of fully immunized children and pregnant women of the State of Chhattisgarh is placed in **Annexure 2**.

The Nationwide HPV vaccination campaign was launched on 28th February 2026 for identified and eligible beneficiary girls aged 14 years across all 36 States and Union Territories. The HPV vaccine is delivered free of cost at designated government health facilities, including Ayushman Arogya Mandirs- Primary Health Centres (PHCs), Community Health Centers (CHCs), Sub-District Hospitals (SDH)/District Hospitals (DHs) & Government Medical Colleges (GMCs). Awareness generation is promoted through IEC materials such as radio jingles, posters, banners, myth-busting digital content and social media platforms to ensure high vaccine uptake among girls particularly in rural, tribal, and urban slum areas. Training on HPV vaccination has been completed for medical and paramedical staff across all 36 States/UTs in the country.

- (c) and (d) The measures taken in the State of Chhattisgarh including Bastar Parliamentary Constituency are given below:-

- Pradhan Mantri-Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission (PM-ABHIM) launched in 2021 strengthens public health infrastructure at the primary and secondary levels of care, enhance capacity for disease surveillance, diagnostics, and research for emerging and re-emerging diseases and develop a resilient health system capable of responding effectively to public health emergencies.
- Integrated Disease Surveillance Programme (IDSP) strengthened for carrying out disease surveillance activities, has a decentralized system of response through trained multi-disciplinary Rapid Response Teams (RRTs).
- Indian Council of Medical Research (ICMR) established a network of more than 160 Virus Research and Diagnostic Laboratories (VRDLs) for laboratory based diagnosis of pathogens.
- Oxygen cylinders, oxygen concentrators & Liquid Medical Oxygen tanks supplied to the States/UTs, along with establishment of Pressure Swing Adsorption plants (PSA) plants and Medical Gas Pipeline Systems in States/UTs.
- To strengthen pandemic preparedness Integrated Health Information Platform (IHIP), Integrated Disease Surveillance Programme (IDSP), Health Management Information System (HMIS), Ayushman Arogya Mandir (AAM) Portal and National Program for Non Communicable Disease (NP-NCD) Portal are operational. These portals enable real-time data collection, data analysis, data visualization and dissemination of epidemiological information to support early detection of outbreaks.

Annexure 1

Annexure as mentioned in Part (a) of the LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1111 for answer on 24th JULY 2026

Antigen wise coverage for Chhattisgarh and the districts of Bastar parliamentary constituency in Universal Immunization Program.

State/District	Hep B-0	BCG	Penta-3	OPV-0	OPV-3	Rota-3	PCV-Booster	IPV-3	MR-1	MR-2	FIC	DPT Booster-2	Td-10	Td-16	Pregnant Women Td-2+
Chhattisgarh	94.6	77.7	87.4	75.1	87.1	87.1	89.8	89.4	90.4	87.8	91.0	77.0	71.0	63.2	77.0
Kondagaon	99.2	103.3	107.2	107.5	107.6	104.8	108.9	107.8	107.9	107.2	108.4	101.7	96.9	92.3	98.2
Narayanpur	98.9	121.8	117.3	113.1	117.3	117.3	118.4	118.4	118.4	111.1	118.4	121.0	112.4	106.4	111.1
Bastar	87.3	115.6	111.1	113.3	111.1	111.1	116.5	116.8	116.9	112.0	116.4	95.6	84.5	69.7	104.5
Dantewada	99.0	95.5	101.0	95.4	100.5	100.8	99.7	99.6	99.3	99.5	98.5	83.9	75.7	66.2	93.2
Bijapur	94.8	118.5	126.9	113.5	126.9	126.9	130.8	131.0	131.0	125.3	130.5	113.2	102.2	90.8	132.1
Sukma	93.8	118.4	127.2	114.9	127.9	126.2	133.7	134.2	134.0	124.4	136.4	108.8	101.9	89.6	139.0

*Source : HMIS as on 25th June 2026

Annexure as mentioned in Part (b) of the LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1111 for answer ON 24th JULY 2026

Full Immunization Coverage (FIC) and Pregnant Women Td-2 Coverage of Chhattisgarh for FY 2025-26

Name of District	2025-26*		
	FIC (%)	FIC (No.)	Pregnant Women Td-2
Balod	81.3	12349	11441
Balodabazar-Bhatapara	54.8	22148	21723
Balrampur-Ramanujganj	101.6	20997	23053
Bastar	116.4	20482	20879
Bemetara	83.4	17643	15946
Bijapur	130.5	7221	8300
Bilaspur	99.6	51677	46772
Dakshin Bastar Dantewada	98.5	6742	7243
Dhamtari	81.6	13154	12005
Durg	103.4	34590	31459
Gariyaband	78.0	11934	11642
Gaurela-Pendra-Marwahi	109.9	9621	8233
Janjgir-Champa	116.4	24232	22443
Jashpur	94.6	17686	16087
Kabeerdham	56.7	18390	19367
Uttar Bastar Kanker	85.8	12913	13254
Khairagarh-Chhuikhadan-Gandai	74.9	7307	7247
Kondagaon	108.4	13187	13565
Korba	99.8	27833	28194
Korea	108.6	6154	6255
Mahasamund	85.2	20938	18078
Manendragarh-Chirmiri-Bharatpur(MCB)	103.8	7291	7919
Mohla-Manpur-Ambagarh Chouki	81.7	5437	5546
Mungeli	108.8	25217	21051
Narayanpur	118.4	3457	3684
Raigarh	95.1	23163	20755
Raipur	81.2	53275	55861
Rajnandgaon	71.7	15836	15828
Sakti	88.4	13095	11490
Sarangarh-Bilaigarh	84.6	11748	10901
Sukma	136.4	7340	8495
Surajpur	104.6	22681	22224
Surguja	113.3	25655	21648

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