

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 970
TO BE ANSWERED ON 24/07/2026**

VACANCIES IN AIIMS

†970. SHRI MURARI LAL MEENA:

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

- (a) whether it is a fact that a large number of sanctioned faculty and non-faculty posts are lying vacant in various All India Institutes of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) in the country and if so, the details of the sanctioned, filled and vacant posts, institution-wise;
- (b) whether there are significant vacancies of faculty and non-faculty posts in AIIMS, New Delhi as well and if so, the impact of these vacancies on the long waiting time for patients undergoing tests and treatment, medical education and hospital administration;
- (c) the number of appointments made in various AIIMS institutions during the last three years, along with the action taken by the Government to fill up the current vacancies; and
- (d) whether the Government is going to implement a special action plan to ensure time-bound recruitment, availability of specialist doctors and timely diagnosis and treatment for patients across all AIIMS institutions and if so, the details thereof?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY
WELFARE
(SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV)**

(a) to (d): The details of sanctioned, filled and vacant faculty and non-faculty posts during last three years and current year, in various functional All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) are placed at Annexure.

Creation of posts and recruitment is a continuous and dynamic process. Filling up of vacant faculty/non-faculty positions is contingent on various factors including availability of suitable/eligible/qualified doctors/health professionals, reservation roster, location of the Institute etc. In order to expeditiously fill vacant sanctioned positions in various AIIMS following special measures have been taken by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare:

- (i) Standing Selection Committee has been constituted in each Institute as per the provision of their respective Act for selection of faculty etc.
- (ii) Provision has been made for engagement of retired faculty at the level of Professor, Additional Professor and Associate Professor, on contract basis, in new AIIMS, up to the age of 70 years from Institutes of National Importance (INIs) and Government Medical Colleges (GMCs).

(iii) Visiting Faculty Scheme has been formulated to allow Professors, Additional Professors and Associate Professors, who are holding academic positions in Government Institutions within India or academic institutions outside India, to be the Visiting Faculty in new AIIMS for teaching purposes.

(iv) Nursing Officer Recruitment Common Eligibility Test (NORCET) is conducted by AIIMS Delhi for recruitment of Nursing Officers for various AIIMS.

(v) Common Recruitment Examination (CRE) in 2025 was conducted by AIIMS Delhi twice in the year for recruitment to Group B and C non-faculty positions for various AIIMS.

(vi) The Institute of National Importance Combined Entrance Test (INI-CET) for selection of Junior Residents (Academic) and the Institute of National Importance Super Speciality (INI-SS) Exam for selection of Senior Residents (Academic) for various AIIMS are conducted by AIIMS Delhi twice a year.

The Institutes are undertaking several patient-centric initiatives, like leveraging technology, and streamlining administrative processes by expansion of Out-Patient Department (OPD) services, increase in patient registration capacity, online appointment system, implementation of Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission (ABDM)-enabled Digital Health Services, same-day-investigation, expansion of diagnostic facilities, integrated specialist care, cashless treatment under Government Schemes etc.

Annexure referred to the reply to part (a) to (d) of the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question Number 970 for answer on 24.07.2026.

Details of Faculty and Non-Faculty position in various AIIMS

Sl. No.	AIIMS	Year	Faculty			Non-Faculty		
			Sanctioned	Filled	Vacant	Sanctioned	Filled	Vacant
1	New Delhi (Delhi)	2023-24	1207	850	357	12875	10761	2114
		2024-25	1235	803	432	13464	10914	2550
		2025-26	1306	860	446	13911	11369	2542
		2026-27	1313	877	436	13913	11452	2461
2	Bhopal (Madhya Pradesh)	2023-24	305	218	87	3876	1920	1956
		2024-25	305	232	73	3884	2846	1038
		2025-26	312	241	71	3874	2920	954
		2026-27	312	244	68	3874	3021	853
3	Bhubaneswar (Odisha)	2023-24	315	236	79	3904	2302	1602
		2024-25	315	237	78	3904	2794	1110
		2025-26	337	238	99	3963	2937	1026
		2026-27	337	238	99	3963	2918	1045
4	Jodhpur (Rajasthan)	2023-24	305	227	78	3876	2534	1342
		2024-25	305	222	83	3884	3203	681
		2025-26	405	221	184	4084	3322	726
		2026-27	405	221	184	4048	3353	695
5	Raipur (Chhattisgarh)	2023-24	305	188	117	3876	2331	1545
		2024-25	305	187	118	3884	2748	1136
		2025-26	305	200	105	3884	2815	1069
		2026-27	305	213	92	3982	2914	1068
6	Patna (Bihar)	2023-24	305	212	93	3876	2815	1061
		2024-25	305	224	81	3884	2493	1391
		2025-26	305	219	86	3884	2752	1132
		2026-27	305	217	88	3884	2781	1103
7	Rishikesh (Uttarakhand)	2023-24	305	213	92	3876	2231	1645
		2024-25	355	214	141	4095	2714	1381
		2025-26	355	229	126	4095	2951	1144
		2026-27	355	228	127	4095	3122	973
8	Mangalagiri (Andhra)	2023-24	259	134	125	1461	759	702
		2024-25	259	152	107	1469	1138	331

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	Pradesh)	2025-26	309	171	138	1953	1291	662
		2026-27	309	219	90	1953	1474	479
9	Nagpur (Maharashtra)	2023-24	298	148	150	1451	841	610
		2024-25	298	227	71	1459	1108	351
		2025-26	373	238	135	2107	1395	712
		2026-27	373	282	91	2107	1619	488
10	Kalyani (West Bengal)	2023-24	259	108	151	1520	708	812
		2024-25	259	168	91	1527	982	545
		2025-26	309	175	134	2221	1171	1050
		2026-27	309	194	115	2221	1717	504
11	Gorakhpur (Uttar Pradesh)	2023-24	183	104	79	1338	773	565
		2024-25	183	117	66	1346	931	415
		2025-26	213	117	96	1492	949	543
		2026-27	213	121	92	1523	1030	493
12	Bathinda (Punjab)	2023-24	209	143	66	1233	771	462
		2024-25	209	138	71	1624	1067	557
		2025-26	219	143	76	2090	1453	637
		2026-27	219	148	71	2090	1708	382
13	Bilaspur (Himachal Pradesh)	2023-24	188	96	92	1305	629	676
		2024-25	217	103	114	1511	917	594
		2025-26	217	130	87	1511	987	524
		2026-27	217	139	78	1511	1038	473
14	Guwahati (Assam)	2023-24	183	91	92	1019	250	769
		2024-25	183	105	78	1410	734	676
		2025-26	183	117	66	1630	879	751
		2026-27	183	119	64	1630	945	685
15	Deoghar (Jharkhand)	2023-24	183	110	73	1356	450	906
		2024-25	183	124	59	1364	848	516
		2025-26	208	132	76	1712	940	772
		2026-27	208	136	72	1712	1073	639
16	Bibinagar (Telangana)	2023-24	183	109	74	1366	428	938
		2024-25	183	121	62	1374	899	475
		2025-26	183	132	51	1374	898	476
		2026-27	183	131	52	1374	896	478
17	Raebareli	2023-24	201	102	99	1417	698	719

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	(Uttar Pradesh)	2024-25	201	106	95	1425	1019	406
		2025-26	209	111	98	1613	1120	493
		2026-27	209	113	96	1613	1188	425
18	Rajkot (Gujarat)	2023-24	183	70	113	1215	396	819
		2024-25	183	75	108	1247	527	720
		2025-26	183	78	105	1410	665	745
		2026-27	183	94	89	1410	760	650
19	Jammu (Jammu & Kashmir)	2023-24	183	84	99	951	442	509
		2024-25	183	102	81	1267	772	495
		2025-26	183	119	64	1311	935	376
		2026-27	183	114	69	1311	985	326
20	Madurai (Tamil Nadu)	2023-24	183	47	136	903	4	899
		2024-25	183	50	133	911	40	871
		2025-26	183	70	113	911	40	871
		2026-27	183	75	108	1011	72	939
