

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

**LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 285
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 12TH JULY, 2019
MEDICAL COLLEGES**

***285. SHRI PINAKI MISHRA:**

SHRI MAGUNTA SREENIVASULU REDDY:

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

(a) whether the Government proposes to build 180 Medical Colleges in the country, if so, the details thereof indicating the places/locations identified during the last three years and the current financial year, location and State/UT-wise;

(b) the details of the criteria/norms adopted/being adopted by the Government to shortlist the cities/locations/areas for these new medical colleges;

(c) whether the said criteria/norms are being diligently followed, if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor along with the budgetary allocation made and utilised and the time period fixed for commencement, completion and operationalisation thereof;

(d) whether the setting up of Medical Colleges is likely to be carried out under the Central scheme or in collaboration with the concerned States/UTs; and

(e) whether the existing hospitals in various States are proposed to be upgraded to medical colleges, if so, the details thereof and if not, the manner in which infrastructure would be created for such new medical colleges?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
(DR. HARSH VARDHAN)**

(a) to (e): A statement is laid on the Table of the House

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA
STARRED QUESTION NO. 285* FOR 12TH JULY, 2019**

(a) to (e): No. However, the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare administers a Centrally Sponsored Scheme for “Establishment of new medical colleges attached with existing district/referral hospitals”. 82 new Medical Colleges are to be established under the scheme in two phases. The fund sharing ratio between the Central Government and States under the Scheme is 90:10 for NE/Special Category States and 60:40 for other States. The funds are released under the Scheme for civil work for medical college; hostel & residence for students/faculty; equipments; and for up-gradation of district hospital.

Under Phase-I of the Scheme, 58 districts in 20 States/UT have been identified and approved. Total cost of establishment of one Medical College is Rs.189 crore. Funds to the tune of Rs.7507.70 crore have been released to the State/UT Governments for the approved medical colleges under the Scheme. 39 medical colleges have become functional. Phase-I of the Scheme was launched in January 2014 and extended till 2019-20. Details are at **Annexure-I**.

Further, under Phase-II of the Scheme, 24 new medical colleges in 8 States have been identified. The total cost of establishment of one Medical College under this Phase is Rs.250 crore. The State Governments have identified the locations on Challenge mode. Out of 24 medical colleges, 17 have been approved till date and funds to the tune of Rs.1375.13 crore have been released to the State Governments. The Phase-II of the Scheme was launched in February, 2018 and will be implemented till 2021-22. Details are at **Annexure-II**.

The norms/criteria for identification of Districts under Phase-I of the Scheme were (i) District Hospitals/referral hospitals with bed strength of 200 or more, (ii) District/Referral hospitals of the districts where there is no medical college and (iii) Preference to underserved areas. Phase-II of the scheme was launched with the objective to ensure availability of one medical college in every 3 Parliamentary Constituencies and one Government medical college in each State on Challenge mode. This criterion has been followed to identify the locations.

Funds released under Phase-I of Centrally Sponsored Scheme for 'Establishment of new Medical Colleges attached with existing District/Referral Hospitals'**Rs. in crore**

S.N.	State/UT		Districts	Approved Cost	Central Share 60% (90% for NE)	Total Central Share Released
1	A & N Islands	1	Port Blair	189.00	113.40	113.40
2	Arunachal Pradesh	2	Naharlagun	189.00	170.10	170.10
3	Assam	3	Dhubri	189.00	170.10	170.10
		4	Nagaon	189.00	170.10	170.10
		5	North Lakhimpur	189.00	170.10	170.10
		6	Diphu	189.00	170.10	170.10
4	Bihar	7	Purnia	189.00	113.40	113.40
		8	Saran (Chhapara)	189.00	113.40	113.40
		9	Samastipur	189.00	113.40	80.00
5	Chhattisgarh	10	Rajnandgaon	189.00	113.40	113.40
		11	Sarguja	189.00	113.40	113.40
6	Himachal Pradesh	12	Chamba	189.00	170.10	170.10
		13	Hamirpur	189.00	170.10	170.10
		14	Nahan (Sirmour)	189.00	170.10	170.10
7	Haryana	15	Bhiwani	189.00	113.4	113.40
8	Jharkhand	16	Dumka	189.00	113.40	113.40
		17	Hazaribagh	189.00	113.40	113.40
		18	Palamu (Daltonganj)	189.00	113.40	113.40
9	Jammu & Kashmir	19	Anantnag	189.00	170.10	170.10
		20	Baramulla	189.00	170.10	170.10
		21	Rajouri	189.00	170.10	170.10
		22	Doda	189.00	170.10	170.10
		23	Kathua	189.00	170.10	170.10
10	Madhya Pradesh	24	Datia	189.00	113.40	113.40
		25	Khandwa	189.00	113.40	113.40
		26	Ratlam	189.00	113.40	113.40
		27	Shahdol	189.00	113.40	113.40
		28	Vidisha	189.00	113.40	113.40
		29	Chindwara	189.00	113.40	113.40
		30	Shivpuri	189.00	113.40	113.40
11	Maharashtra	31	Gondia	189.00	113.40	113.40
12	Meghalaya	32	West Garo Hills (Tura)	189.00	170.10	170.10

13	Mizoram	33	Falkawn	189.00	170.10	170.10
14	Nagaland	34	Naga Hospital	189.00	170.10	170.10
15	Odisha	35	Balasore	189.00	113.40	113.40
		36	Baripada (Mayurbhanj)	189.00	113.40	113.40
		37	Bolangir	189.00	113.40	113.40
		38	Koraput	189.00	113.40	113.40
		39	Puri	189.00	113.40	113.40
16	Punjab	40	SAS Nagar	189.00	113.40	113.40
17	Rajasthan	41	Barmer	189.00	113.40	113.40
		42	Bharatpur	189.00	113.40	113.40
		43	Bhilwara	189.00	113.40	113.40
		44	Churu	189.00	113.40	113.40
		45	Dungarpur	189.00	113.40	113.40
		46	Pali	189.00	113.40	113.40
		47	Sikar	189.00	113.40	113.40
18	Uttar Pradesh	48	Basti	189.00	113.40	113.40
		49	Faizabad	189.00	113.40	113.40
		50	Firozabad	189.00	113.40	113.40
		51	Shahjahanpur	189.00	113.40	113.40
		52	Bahraich	189.00	113.40	113.40
19	Uttarakhand	53	Almora	189.00	170.10	170.10
20	West Bengal	54	Birbhum (Rampur Hat)	189.00	113.40	113.40
		55	Cooch behar	189.00	113.40	113.40
		56	Diamond harbour	189.00	113.40	113.40
		57	Purulia	189.00	113.40	113.40
		58	Raiganj, North Dinajpur	189.00	113.40	113.40
Total				10962.00	7541.10	7507.70

Funds released under Phase-II of Centrally Sponsored Scheme for Establishment of new Medical Colleges attached with existing District/Referral Hospitals

S.No.	State		Location Selected by State Government	Approved Cost (Rs. in crore)	Central Share (Rs. in crore)	Amount released (Rs. in crore)
1	Bihar	1	Sitamarhi	250.00	150.00	-
		2	Jhanjharpur	250.00	150.00	-
		3	Siwan	250.00	150.00	-
		4	Buxar	250.00	150.00	-
		5	Jamui	250.00	150.00	-
2	Jharkhand	6	Koderma	250.00	150.00	93.43
		7	Chaibasa (Singhbhum)	250.00	150.00	93.43
3	Madhya Pradesh	8	Satna	250.00	150.00	93.43
4	Odisha	9	Jajpur	250.00	150.00	-
5	Rajasthan	10	Dholpur	250.00	150.00	93.43
6	Uttar Pradesh	11	Etah	250.00	150.00	56
		12	Hardoi	250.00	150.00	56
		13	Pratapgarh	250.00	150.00	56
		14	Fatehpur	250.00	150.00	56
		15	Siddharthnagar (Domariyaganj)	250.00	150.00	56
		16	Deoria	250.00	150.00	93.43
		17	Ghazipur	250.00	150.00	93.43
		18	Mirzapur	250.00	150.00	93.43
7	West Bengal	19	Barasat	250.00	150.00	93.43
		20	Uluberia	250.00	150.00	-
		21	Arambagh	250.00	150.00	93.43
		22	Jhargram	250.00	150.00	93.43
		23	Tamluk	250.00	150.00	93.43
8	Sikkim	24	Gangtok	250.00	225.00	67.40
Total				6000.00	3675.00	1375.13