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Title: Request to set up a medical college and clinical facilities for the treatment of people of in Chitradurga, Karnataka.

SHRI A. NARAYANA SWAMY (CHITRADURGA): Hon. Speaker, Sir, thank you for permitting me to draw the attention of the House to an urgent matter of my Parliamentary Constituency Chitradurga, which is a Constituency reserved for Scheduled Castes in Karnataka.

Chitradurga is declared as a drought area where there is no irrigation facility and drinking water. The people in Chitradurga are suffering from diseases like fluorosis caused by presence of excess fluoride. Women who are mainly suffering from excessive bleeding, infection in uterus and tumour in the uterus are forced to go in for removal of uterus. More than 3000 such cases per annum can be seen. At the same time, we find cervix mouth and cervical cancer in more women. This Government announced setting up of medical colleges in many Districts but my Constituency was left out. So, I humbly urge upon the hon. Prime Minister and the hon. Health Minister to announce setting up of a medical college in Chitradurga in the coming Budget and also set up clinical research facilities and provide medical interventions that are required regularly to address the issues. Thank you.