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16. Sikkim	345
17. Tripura	1,914
18. Uttar Pradesb	86,860
19. West Bengal	41,082
20. A and N Islands	346
21. Chandigarh	45
22. D and N Haveli	74
23. Delhi	127
24. Goa, Daman and Diu	884
25. Lakshadweep	42
26. Mizoram	770
27. Pondicherry	270
Total:	3,94,023

During 1987-88, there is no training for Village Health Guides.

Gardenreach and Kharagpur Railway Hospitals

SHRI NARAYAN CHOUBEY: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of beds in the South Bastern Railway Hospitals at Gardenreach and Kharagpur;
- (b) the number of doctors, nurses, wardboys in these hospitals;
- (c) the number of indoor patients in both the hospitals during the years 1983, 1984, 1985 and 1986:
- (d) whether there are a large number of vacancies of doctors at Kharagpur hospital and that facilities of specialists in various specialities, such as, Cardiology. Medicine, Dental, Skin etc. are not available in this hospital;
- (e) whether there is a general shortage of doctors in the Indian Railways to cater to the needs of the Railwaymen; if so, the reasons thereof; and

(f) the steps Government propose to take to appoint more doctors and specialists in the Railway hospitals?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) There are 250 heds in Gardenreach and 386 beds in Kharagour Hospitals of South Bastern Railway.

(b)	Gardenreach	Kharagpur
No. of doctors	32	30
No. of hurses	113	105
No. of wardboys (ayahs)	69	109
(c)	Gardenreach	Kharagpur

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- (d) There are six vacancies. Orders have been issued to post four new UPSC recruited doctors at Kharagpur. One lady doctor from Nagpur is under orders of transfer to Kharagpur. Regarding specialists, one Cardiologist, six Physicians and dental specialist are available Kharagpur. There is no post of skin specialist in the sanctioned cadre at Kharagpur hospital. However, Dr. N. Pal, a diploma holder in Dermatology, who is posted at Adra visits Kharagpur Hospital once a week.
- (e) and (f). At present there is no general shortage of doctors on the Railways and adequate recruitment is made every year to ensure that no shortage of doctors is felt over the Railways.

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Pedestrian Bridge at Lahori Gate, Delhi

6129. SHRI MANVENDRA SINGH: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state [