

Allocation for Health and Family Welfare

5907. DR. T. KALPANA DEVI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the budget allocation made during the Fifth, Sixth and Seventh Plans for the Health and Family Welfare sector;

(b) whether the share of Health and Family Welfare in the budget has been declining in the successive plans;

(c) if so, the detailed reasons for the decline;

(d) whether the present allocation is too meagre to achieve the goals laid down in the National Health Policy; and

(e) if so, whether Government propose

to increase the budget allocation for Health and Family Welfare Sector?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE):

(a) A statement is given below.

(b) No, Sir. From the enclosed statement it appears that the share of Health and Family Welfare Plan Expenditure is almost same during 5th and 6th Five Year Plan. There is an increase in the budget allocation for Health and Family Welfare Sector during 7th Plan.

(c) Question does not arise

(d) and (e). Yes, Sir, Efforts are on to increase the share of Health and Family Welfare Sector further during 8th Five Year Plan.

STATEMENT

Pattern of Investment on Health and Family Welfare (Plan Outlays/Expenditure) during the 5th, 6th and 7th Plans in Public Sector-Centre, States and UTs.

Period	(Rs. in Crores)				Total (3+2)
	Total Plan Investment Outlay (All Heads of Development)	Health Programmes	Family Welfare Programmes		
	1	2	3	4	5
5th Plan (1974-79) actuals		39426.2 (100%)	760.8	491.8	1252.6 (3.2%)
6th Plan (1980-85) actuals		109291.7 (100%)	2028.7	1383.5	3412.2 (3.1%)
7th Plan (1985-90) Outlay		180000.0 (100%)	3392.89	3256.26	6649.15 (3.7%)