

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1265  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 09.02.2024**

**HEALTHCARE CENTRES IN ASSAM**

**1265. SHRI M. BADRUDDIN AJMAL;**

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

- (a) the number of healthcare centres available in Assam specially in Dhubri and Goalpara districts;
- (b) the number of healthcare centres sponsored by Central Government and State Government;
- (c) the details of the staff, doctors and nurses at all the healthcare centres, district-wise;
- (d) whether the Government has plans to set up more healthcare centres in Assam particularly in Dhubri and Goalpara districts;
- (e) if so, the details thereof; and
- (f) if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER  
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY  
WELFARE  
(DR. BHARTI PRAVIN PAWAR)**

(a) As per the latest available Rural Health Statistics (RHS 2021-22), The distribution of tier-wise healthcare facilities in the State of Assam including the districts of 'Dhubri' and 'Goalpara' are as follow:

<b>State/District</b>	<b>DH</b>	<b>SDH</b>	<b>CHC</b>	<b>PHC</b>	<b>SC</b>
Assam	25	14	201	1010	4701
Dhubri	1	1	7	34	192
Goalpara	1	0	7	37	155

(b) All the healthcare centres mentioned above are jointly supported by the central as well as the State Government through the National Health Mission (NHM) in a proportion of 90 (GOI share): 10 (State share). In addition to these health centres, AIIMS Guwahati has been established under the Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana, which is entirely

sponsored by the Central Government. At present there are 12 functional Medical Colleges in the State of Assam. Out of which 6 Medical Colleges are constructed with the partial financial assistance from the Govt. of India.

(c) The details of staff, doctors, and nurses at all the healthcare centers, district wise is given at **Annexure-I**

(d) to (f) The health centers are established as per the population norms, defined under the Indian Public Health Standards. States are to conduct the assessment of their districts as per the IPHS norms, and if the gaps are identified, the State may propose for additional facilities in the subsequent Program Implementation Plan, which is appraised from the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.

In addition, States are progressively operationalising all primary healthcare centres into Ayushman Arogya Mandir by placing CHOs and Medical Officers at these centres.

## ANNEXURE - I

S. No.	District	Doctors	Nurses	Para Medical	Programme Management	Grand Total
1.	Baksa and Tamulpur #	91	271	133	107	602
2.	Barpeta and Bajali #	113	500	249	100	962
3.	Biswanath	54	252	62	49	417
4.	Bongaigaon	61	188	112	108	469
5.	Cachar	70	539	136	149	894
6.	Charaideo	34	162	58	42	296
7.	Chirang	40	174	77	71	362
8.	Darrang	72	357	162	170	761
9.	Dhemaji	53	234	120	77	484
10.	Dhubri	91	383	156	95	725
11.	Dibrugarh	74	375	201	127	777
12.	Dima Hasao	29	146	45	44	264
13.	Goalpara	80	323	184	163	750
14.	Golaghat	89	374	125	141	729
15.	Hailakandi	43	199	116	71	429
16.	Hojai	36	117	55	44	252
17.	Jorhat	73	287	149	88	597
18.	Kamrup Metro	81	556	131	110	878
19.	Kamrup Rural	193	500	337	129	1159
20.	Karbi Anglong	56	187	74	78	395
21.	Karimganj	80	315	98	106	599
22.	Kokrajhar	91	341	99	91	622
23.	Lakhimpur	58	358	160	153	729
24.	Majuli	16	94	48	23	181
25.	Morigaon	60	287	137	80	564
26.	Nagaon	142	477	224	206	1049
27.	Nalbari	90	350	160	75	675
28.	Sivasagar	48	333	116	98	595
29.	Sonitpur	57	288	124	91	560
30.	South Salmara	29	71	59	28	187
31.	Tinsukia	70	288	120	126	604
32.	Udalguri	72	271	128	106	577
33.	West Karbi Anglong	30	98	48	46	222
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>2276</b>	<b>9695</b>	<b>4203</b>	<b>3192</b>	<b>19366</b>

# Bajali and Tamulpur are newly created districts.