

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4715
ANSWERED ON:18.04.2001
POLIO ERADICATION PROGRAMME
RAMSHETH THAKUR

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

- (a) the number of polio cases detected during 1999-2000 and 2000-2001 in the country, State-wise;
- (b) the details of the assistance provided by the WHO to eradicate the polio during the period;
- (c) whether the WHO had fixed any target for complete eradication of polio by 2000 A.D; and
- (d) if so, the achievement made in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

- (a) The Statement is annexed.
- (b) WHO has been providing technical guidance in implementation of strategies for polio eradication as well as for polio surveillance activities. WHO has also been assisting the Government of India in mobilization of resources from various donor agencies.
- (c)&(d) The WHO has revised its target for achieving zero polio incidence by 2002 and certification for polio eradication by 2005.

Statement referred to in reply to part (a) of Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No.4715 for 18.4.2001

Wild Polio cases 1999-01 (as on 7/04/2001)

SL.No.	NAME OF THE STATE/UT	1999	2000	2001
1.	A & N ISLANDS	0	0	0
2.	ANDHRA PRADESH	21	0	0
3.	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	0	0	0
4.	ASSAM	0	0	0
5.	D & N HAVELI	0	0	0
6.	DAMAN & DIU	0	0	0
7.	GOA	0	0	0
8.	HIMACHAL PRADESH	0	0	0
9.	JAMMU & KASHMIR	0	0	0
10.	LAKSHADWEEP	0	0	0
11.	MANIPUR	0	0	0
12.	MEGHALAYA	0	0	0
13.	MIZORAM	0	0	0
14.	NAGALAND	0	0	0

15.	ORISSA	0	0	0
16.	PONDICHERY	0	0	0
17.	PUNJAB	4	0	0
18.	RAJASTHAN	18	0	0
19.	SIKKIM	0	0	0
20.	TAMIL NADU	7	0	0
21.	TRIPURA	0	0	0
22.	CHANDIGARH	2	1	0
23.	KERALA	0	1	0
24.	GUJRAT	9	2	0
25.	MADHYA PRADESH	17	2	0
26.	DELHI	73	3	1
27.	HARYANA	19	4	1
28.	MAHARASHTRA	18	7	0
29.	KARNATAKA	21	8	0
30.	WEST BENGAL	21	8	0
31.	BIHAR	123	50	0
32.	UTTAR PRADESH	773	179	6
33.	CHHATTISGARH	-	-	0
34.	JHARKHAND	-	-	0
35.	UTTARANCHAL	-	-	0
TOTAL		1126	265	8