

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4692
ANSWERED ON:25.04.2000
HOSPITALS FOR AIDS PATIENTS
BHAWANA GAWALI (PATIL)

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

- (a) whether AIDS epidemic has gone out of control in the country;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government propose to set up hospitals exclusively for AIDS patients;
- (d) if so, the details thereof, location-wise; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE)
(SHRI N.T. SHANMUGAM)

- (a) No, Sir
- (b) Does not arise.
- (c) No, Sir.
- (d) Does not arise.
- (e) The AIDS patients are treated at par with other patients in all Government hospitals without any discrimination.