

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3718  
ANSWERED ON:13.12.2000  
PRIMARY HEALTH CENTRES  
VILAS BABURAO MUTTEMWAR

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

to the reply given to Starred Question No. 148 on November 29, 2000 and state;

- (a) the number of contractual appointment of anesthetics and specialists made by the State Governments, State-wise, during the last three years;
- (b) the number of existing Auxiliary Nurses /Midwives on contract basis and the additional staff proposed to be appointed;
- (c) the steps to be taken to provide medicines and other essential material to the Primary Health Centres;
- (d) whether the Government propose to provide adequate funds to the State Governments for the effective functioning of the Primary Health Centres;
- (e) if so, the amount earmarked for each State during the current financial year;
- (f) whether the Government also propose to make it obligatory standard passing medical courses to do six months compulsory service in Primary Health Centres before awarding the degree; and
- (g) if not, the reasons therefor?

**Answer**

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

(a) & (b) A statement is given at Annexure -I.

(c) : The medicines to PHCs are provided by the State Governments. In addition, the Central Government assists the States by providing drugs under reproductive and Child Health Programme.

(d) & (e) : Primary Health Centres are established and maintained by the respective State Governments out of the funds provided by the Planning Commission under State Sector Health Budgets and funds for Basic Minimum Services which includes Primary Health Care. However, under Pradhan Mantri Gramodaya Yojana (PMGY) which has been launched during the current financial year, a provision has been made an Additional Central Assistance (ACE) for strengthening the Primary Health Care facilities. A sum of Rs. 185 crores has been released to States for the purpose.

The State-wise payment of 1st six monthly instalment is given at Annexure-II.

(f) & (g) : For the award of a medical degree, it is obligatory for a candidate to pursue one year internship programme which includes six months; compulsory training in rural areas. Out of this rural posting, three months training is imparted in district taluks/hospital/CHCs and three months at PHC level.

Annexure -I

No. of Contractual Appointment made by State/Uts+ Updated on 8.12.2000

States/Uts	Addl ANM	PHN/SN	Lab Tech
Andhra			
Pradesh++			
Arunachal Pradesh		30	20
Assam	180		
Bihar			
Goa			4
Gujarat++			
Haryana	376	121	64
Himachal Pradesh			4
Jammu & Kashmir++			
Karnataka ++			

Kerala ++			
Madhya Pradesh	116	49	17
Maharashtra ++			
Manipur		17	27
Meghalaya ++			
Nagaland	83	14	16
Orissa	20		
Punjab			8
Rajasthan		2	3
Sikkim			
Tamil Nadu			
Tripura			4
Uttar Pradesh	2712	347	34
West Bengal		7	2
A&N Island			
Chandigarh			6
D&N Haveli			
Daman & Diu			
Delhi	38		2
Lakshadweep++			
Pondicherry			3
Mizoram	60	124	9
Total	3585	711	222

+ Based on report received from States/UTs

++ Fund released but no report on number of appointments by States/UTs

## ANNEXURE-II

Payment of first six monthly installment (April, 2000 to September, 2000) of Additional Central Assistance for Primary Health Component under Pradhan Mantri Gramodaya Yojna (PMGY) during States Annual Plan 2000-2001

(Rs. In lakhs)

Sl.N	States	Loan	Grant	Total
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### EAG States

1	Assam	134.68	1212.10	1346.78
2	Bihar	1508.06	646.31	2154.37
3	Haryana	88.10	37.75	125.85
4	Madhaya Pradesh	597.29	255.98	853.27
5	Orissa	517.39	221.74	739.13
6	Rajasthan	506.10	216.90	723.00
7	Uttar Pradesh	1831.77	785.05	2616.82
Sub	5183.39	3375.83	8559.22	

Total

### Non EAG States

1	Andhra Pradesh	745.81	319.64	1065.45
2	Arunachal Pradesh	51.13	460.15	511.28
3	Goa	4.10	1.75	5.85
4	Gujarat	340.14	145.78	485.92
5	Himachal Pradesh	52.96	476.62	529.58
6	J&K	128.69	1158.16	1286.85
7	Karnataka	394.43	169.04	563.47
8	Kerala	362.67	155.43	518.10
9	Maharashtra	520.43	223.04	743.47
10	Manipur	36.42	327.78	364.20

11	Meghalaya	30.44	273.99	304.43
12	Mizoram	30.31	272.77	303.08
13	Nagaland	30.85	277.63	308.48
14	Punjab	212.10	90.90	303.00
15	Sikkim	21.08	189.75	210.83
16	Tamil Nadu	550.14	235.78	785.92
17	Tripura	38.12	343.10	381.22
18	West Bengal	881.05	377.60	1258.65
	Sub Total	4430.87	5498.91	9929.78
	Grand Total`	9614.26	8874.74	18489.00