

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

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CGHS DISPENSARY IN DWARKA
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government is aware that there is no CGHS dispensary in Dwarka sub-city in Delhi ;
- (b) if so, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether CGHS dispensary No. 66 at Palam Village is overburdened where residents of Dwarka have been clubbed with;
- (d) if so, the details thereof;
- (e) whether requests have been made by the residents of Dwarka for setting up of CGHS dispensary and Central Government Hospital there; and
- (f) if so, the action taken/proposed to be taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a)&(b): The Central Government employees residing in Dwarka are availing CGHS medical facilities from the CGHS dispensary at Palam Colony.

There is no Government Sanction for opening a new dispensary in Dwarka under CGHS Delhi.

(c)&(d): The number of CGHS cards/beneficiaries registered with the CGHS dispensary Palam Colony are as under:-

Total number of CGHS cards 15021

Total number of CGHS beneficiaries 72454

Keeping in view that the CGHS dispensary Palam Colony is heavily loaded, adequate number of doctors and staff is posted at the dispensary for serving the beneficiaries attached to the dispensary.

(e)&(f): Some requests have been received for opening of a new CGHS dispensary at Dwarka. However, due to constraints of resources and manpower, it would not be possible to open a new dispensary in Dwarka at present. Further, there is no proposal to open a Central Govt. Hospital in Dwarka at present.