

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

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AIIMS LIKE INSTITUTIONS

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

- (a) the progress made in the setting up of AIIMS like Institutions in various parts of the country alongwith the upgradation of eleven medical institutions in various States;
- (b) whether there is any delay in setting up of the same;
- (c) if so, the reasons therefore; and
- (d) the time by which all the institutions are likely to be set up?

Answer

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

(a) to (d) The Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs (CCEA) in its meeting dated 16.3.2006 has approved the setting up of six AIIMS like institutions and accorded `in principle` approval to the proposal of upgradation of eleven (11) institutions under the Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY). Various start up activities like construction of boundary wall, the process of pre-construction survey at the sites, selection of Project Consultant for providing comprehensive consultancy services and selection of architectural concepts/designs for all the six AIIMS like institutions have been taken up. The upgradation proposals are being taken up, and assessment reports, for gap analysis are being prepared for each of the identified institutions. The PMSSY Scheme is expected to be implemented within three years.