

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

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NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR HUMAN RESOURCES IN HEALTH
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the objectives of the proposed National Council for Human Resources in Health (NCHRH);
- (b) whether comments and suggestions have been received from the State Governments and other stakeholders on the proposed Council; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI DINESH TRIVEDI)

(a) to (c) The Ministry has proposed to set up a National Council for Human Resources in Health (NCHRH) as a regulatory body for health sector to reform the current framework and enhance supply of skilled personnel. A Task Force was setup to workout the modalities of setting up the regulatory body to coordinate among various councils.

The Task Force has inter-alia recommended creation of regulatory body in the field medical and paramedical education to achieve the objective of enhancing the supply of skilled human resources in the health sector by bringing in the required reforms in the regulatory framework.

Comments and suggestions have been sought from State Governments and other stakeholders on the recommendations of the Task Force.

Only ten States/UTs have furnished their comments. Remaining States have been requested to expedite their reply.