

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1061  
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**Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of girls and women residing in shelter homes for women in the country, State-wise: and
- (b) the criteria for the intake of girls or women in these shelter homes?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI KRISHNA TIRATH)

(a) & (b) The Ministry of Women & Child Development is implementing two shelter based schemes for women/girls for difficult circumstances without any family support i.e. Swadhar and Short Stay Home. State-wise number of beneficiaries as on 31.3.2010 is at Annex-I.

Categories of women/girls who can take shelter in the shelter homes is at Annex-II.