

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

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

- (a) whether the World Health Organisation's (WHO) norms to give adequate immunization to the Nurses are being followed by the Government/Private Hospitals in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the steps taken by the Government to ensure implementation of the said norms of WHO?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABIAZAD)

(a) to (d) WHO works in collaboration with its member States. It shares evidence based guidelines for management of common public health problems with the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare from time to time. These guidelines are then adequately adapted by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare depending on our needs/local situations for inclusion under various National Health Programmes to provide appropriate health services in the country.