

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

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SETTING UP OF PHCS/CHCS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to set up more number of new Primary Health Centres (PHCs)/Community Health Centres (CHCs) under National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) in the country; and

(b) if so, the number of PHCs set up, State-wise during the last three years and the number of PHCs proposed to be set up during the year 2011-12?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SUDIP BANDYOPADHYAY)

(a) & (b): The Primary Health Centres and Community Health Centres are established on the basis of population norms, case/work load and distance by respective State/UT Governments. All State/UT Governments incorporate their requirements in their annual Programme Implementation Plan[PIPs] under National Rural Health Mission[NRHM] as per their felt needs and priorities and based on approval accorded by Government of India, they are taken up for implementation.

A statement showing the number of PHCs functional in all States/UTs during the last three is annexed.