

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

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MEDICAL COLLEGES AND INSTITUTES

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

- (a) the number of proposals received from various quarters for the setting up of medical colleges and institutes during each of the last three years and the current year, State/UT-wise;
- (b) the number of these proposals sanctioned and rejected by the Medical Council of India (MCI) during the said period alongwith the reasons for their rejection. State/UT-wise including Bihar and Gujarat;
- (c) whether a number of these proposals are pending approval;
- (d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the reasons for their pendency indicating the time by which these are likely to be sanctioned;
- (e) whether the Government has directed the MCI to slow down the sanction procedure in order to ensure the quality of new medical colleges/institutions; and
- (f) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD)

- (a) to (f): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.