

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
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IN-VITRO-FERTILIZATION PROCEDURE IN AIIMS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) has developed a new in-vitro fertilization procedure;
- (b) if so, the time by which the treatment of patients through the newly developed procedure is likely to commence in AIIMS; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government to popularise and make available this highly cost effective procedure at other similar Government facilities?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b) A new research is being done at AIIMS on in-vitro-fertilisation which is expected to be completed by the end of the year 2012.
- (c) As the research is yet to be completed, question does not arise.