

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

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ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR HEALTH SECTOR  
Das Shri Khagen

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

- (a) the details of funds earmarked for Health Sector during the Eleventh Five Year Plan;
- (b) whether the above funds have been fully utilised as per the plan;
- (c) if so, the details thereof alongwith the present status of the allocation and utilisation of the above fund; and
- (d) if not, the steps taken/proposed for utilisation of remaining funds?

**Answer**

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

(a) The planned Central allocation for Health Sector for the Eleventh Plan (2007-2012), was Rs. 1,40,135 crore. The approved outlay during 2007-08 to 2011-12 has been Rs. 99,491 crore.

(b) to (d) The utilization during the first four years of the Eleventh Plan (2007-08 to 2010-11) has been Rs. 66,361.24 crore as against the actual allocation of Rs. 72,731 crore during the same period. During the first four years of Eleventh Plan, the percentage of utilization of funds under the Central Sector was 91.2%. Assuming cent percent utilization during 2011-12, the overall utilization by the end of Eleventh plan is likely to be about 93.5%. The constraints on the absorptive capacity in different States are being addressed regular interaction with State Governments.