

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS  
LOK SABHA**

STARRED QUESTION NO:305  
ANSWERED ON:15.12.2011  
OPENING OF JAN AUSHADHI OUTLETS  
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**Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of Jan Aushadhi outlets opened so far, State-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has received proposals from various State Governments for providing infrastructure, and other support for opening such outlets in their States during the last six months;
- (c) if so, the details thereof alongwith the action taken thereon: and
- (d) the time by which an outlet in each district of the country is likely to be made functional?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF STATISTICS AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION  
AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI SRIKANT KUMAR JENA)

(a) to (d) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

Statement referred to in reply to parts (a) to (d) of Lok Sabha Starred Question No. 305 for 15.12.2011

(a) As of today, 115 Jan Aushadhi Outlets have been opened in different States/UT in the country. The State-wise details of Jan Aushadhi Outlets opened across the country are as follows:-

Sl.No. State No. of Jan Aushadhi  
Outlets opened

1 Punjab 22

2 Andhra Pradesh 03

3 Odisha 14

4 Haryana 04

5 Rajasthan 53

6 Uttrakhand 02

7 West Bengal 03

8 Himachal Pradesh 07

9 Jammu & Kashmir 01

10 Delhi 03

11 Chandigarh 03

Total 115

(b) & (c) A proposal was received from Secretary (Health & Family Welfare), Government of Karnataka, to open Jan Aushadhi Store in the premises of Sri Dev Raj Urs Medical College and Hospital, Kolar, Karnataka. It is being examined.

(d) The timeline for opening the Jan Aushadhi Outlets in each district in the country depends on the support and cooperation being extended by the State Governments after taking into account their prevailing health policy, in allotting the space in their Government Hospitals and also in identifying the agency to manage such stores to sell quality medicines at affordable prices to the common man.