

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

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SETTING UP OF MEDICAL CENTRE
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up a commission or committee or other working group to ascertain reasons of continuous increase in number of patients suffering from various diseases in Bihar;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to set up any medical centre to prevent the diseases in Araria including Kosi area in Bihar; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABIAZAD)

(a): No.

(b): Does not arise.

(c) & (d): There is no proposal to setup any special medical centre in Araria. However, sub-centres , PHCs, CHCs & District Hospitals, as per population norms are supported under NRHM, based on needs projected by the States in their annual Programme Implementation Plans. These health facilities provide preventive, promotive and curative services to population in their catchment area.