

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

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TREATMENT OF PATIENTS IN AIIMS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the patients coming from various parts of the country in general and particularly those suffering from fatal diseases are not getting proper treatment in All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS);
- (b) if so, the facts and details in this regard and reasons therefor;
- (c) whether patients have to get the tests done from outside as various types of testing equipment are out of order in AIIMS; and
- (d) if so, the action plan formulated by the Government to overcome these shortcomings?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b) No. All patients coming to AIIMS from various parts of the country are attended in various speciality/super speciality/casualty as per maximum handling capacity.
- (c) & (d) No. All the available tests are being done in various laboratories in AIIMS as per maximum handling capacity. However, in view of large number of OPD patients coming to AIIMS, they have to either wait for required investigations or may have to get these done from outside.