

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:732  
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DENTAL COLLEGES  
Jadhav Shri Prataprao Ganpatrao

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

- (a) the number of dental colleges and the number of seats therein, State/UTwise;
- (b) whether the Government proposes to set up new dental colleges in the country and if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise; and
- (c) the number of proposals for setting up/recognition of new dental colleges received by the Government/ Dental Council of India along with the action taken/ proposed to be taken by the Government thereon during the last year and the current year, State/UT-wise?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA)

- (a): There are 305 Dental Colleges in the country. Statement-I indicating State/UT-wise number of Dental Colleges in the Country is enclosed
- (b): No.
- (c) Statement-II containing the number of proposals for setting up new dental colleges in the country received by Government / Dental Council of India during the academic years 2014-15 and 2015-16 (current) is enclosed.