

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

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AIIMS IN PATNA
Paswan Shri Chhedi

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

- (a) whether the All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Patna, Bihar has been reportedly made functional without emergency services, seating arrangements in out patient departments, availability of beds in accordance with the capacity of hospitals, a small number of operation theatres and a few departments;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) whether there is a single doctor faculty for the departments of eye, psychiatry, general medicine, skin, pharmacology, S.M.T. anatomy, dental, paediatrics, surgery, cardiotherapy surgery shortage of CT scan machines, MRI cathlab, heart-lung machine endoscopy, dialysis and laparoscopy machines in the said hospital;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) the action taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to improve the overall functioning of the said hospital?

Answer

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

(a) & (b): Yes. AIIMS, Patna has been made functional without emergency service as Cardio-thoracic and Neuro Surgery Departments could not be made functional due to non- availability of CT Scan and Cardio Cath-Lab. However, Out-Patient Department (OPD) and In-Patient Department (IPD) with 180 beds have been made functional at AIIMS, Patna. Operation Theatres are functioning (excluding Minor OT) and three more Modular Operation Theatres are ready for use. More than 1279 major surgeries have been performed so far.

(c) to(e): Single faculty departments from the listed departments are General Medicine, Skin, Pharmacology, FMT, Anatomy, Dentistry and Cardio-thoracic surgery. To improve the overall functioning of the hospital, steps for meeting different requirements such as medical equipment like CT Scan machines, MRI, heart-lung machine, dialysis and laparoscopy machines; faculty and non faculty recruitment; the statutory approvals etc. are being taken.