GOVERNMENT OF INDIA HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3040 ANSWERED ON:07.08.2015 Linking of CGHS Cards with Aadhaar Reddy Shri Mekapati Rajamohan

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(a) whether the Government has asked the Central Government Health Scheme (CGHS) beneficiaries to enrol/link their CGHS cards with Aadhaar cards in their respective dispensaries; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor along with the benefits likely to be accrued to the beneficiaries therefrom?

Answer

(a & b): Yes. CGHS beneficiaries can add their Aadhaar Number to CGHS data base online or through CGHS Wellness Centre. Such linkage shall facilitate option to provide online registration for consultation with specialists in Central Government Hospitals and CGHS Wellness Centres and acts as a deterrent against misuse of CGHS card at empanelled hospitals and diagnostic centres.