

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

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

- (a) the details of health centres established for pregnant women, Mobile Medical Units and emergency medical transport facilities including ambulance services functional in the country under the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM), State/UT-wise;
- (b) whether the Government has fixed any target for creation of such facilities across the country during the current financial year;
- (c) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise; and
- (d) the steps taken proposed to be taken by the Government to extend the benefits of such facilities to the needy people in the country?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (DR. HARSH VARDHAN)

(a):There are some facilities in many states which cater primarily to pregnant women. However, data about such centers in the country is not maintained in the Ministry as Public health is a State subject. The State/UT wise statement regarding number of functional SCs, PHCs and CHCs in the country as on 31st March, 2013 as per RHS Bulletin, 2013 is placed at Annexure I. These facilities provide healthcare services to all people including pregnant women visiting these centres. A State/UT wise statement regarding functional Mobile Medical Units and functional emergency medical transport facilities in the country is placed at Annexure II and III respectively.

(b) to (d):Public Health being a State subject, financial assistance is provided to State/UT Governments under National Health Mission (NHM) for strengthening their health care systems including for creation of health centres, provision of Mobile Medical Units and ambulances based on requirements posed by the States/UTs in their Programme Implementation Plans (PIPs). As such, no targets are fixed for creation of such facilities.