

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

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SETTING UP OF SATELLITE UNITS OF AIIMS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to set up two satellite units of the All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) in Odisha;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the location identified and the present status of these satellite units;
- (c) the details of financial and operational modalities worked out for the purpose;
- (d) whether the Government also proposes to set up such satellite units in other States/UTs of the country; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof and the time by which a final decision is likely to be taken in this regard?

Answer

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

(a) to (c): The Central Government had requested Government of Odisha for allotment of 25 to 30 acres of land for setting up a Satellite Centre of the AIIMS Bhubaneswar as a superspecialty healthcare facility.

The State Government has handed over 19.91 acres of land for hospital and 5 acres of land for housing complex for establishment of Satellite Centre of AIIMS Bhubaneswar at Balasore in Odisha. Details of financial and operational modalities have not been worked out. There is no proposal for a second Satellite Centre at present.

(d) & (e): The Central Government has set up Jhajjar campus of AIIMS New Delhi in Haryana State. The Satellite Centre of PGIMER Chandigarh is being set up at Sangrur in Punjab. Central Government has written to State Governments of Bihar and Uttar Pradesh for allotment of land to set up Satellite Centres of AIIMS Patna and AIIMS Rae Bareli respectively.