

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

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UPGRADATION OF MEDICAL COLLEGES

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

- (a) the details of the medical colleges/ institutions upgraded under the Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojna (PMSSY) and the Centrally Sponsored Scheme for Strengthening and Upgradation of State Governments' Medical Colleges in the country, phase-wise;
- (b) the funds sanctioned, released and utilised for the above purpose, college and State/UT-wise;
- (c) whether the Government has received a number of new proposals for strengthening and upgradation of medical colleges and institutions;
- (d) if so, the details thereof along with the present status of each of these proposals, State/UT-wise; and
- (e) whether the Government proposes to upgrade district hospitals into medical colleges and if so, the details thereof along with the hospitals identified for the purpose, State/UT-wise?

Answer

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

(a)&(b): Government of India has taken up upgradation of 19 Government Medical Colleges (GMCs) in the first phase and second phase of PMSSY. Details of upgradation projects completed and the projects in progress alongwith funds sanctioned/released for upgradation of these Institutions are given at Annex-I.

In addition, there are 72 Medical Colleges in 20 States which have been funded under the Centrally Sponsored Scheme for 'Strengthening and Up-gradation of State Government Medical Colleges for increasing PG seats'. The details of funds approved, funds released etc. are given at Annex-II.

(c)&(d): Based on the proposals received from various State Governments, 39 Government Medical Colleges/Institutions have been approved for upgradation under Phase III of PMSSY, as per list at Annex-III.

Under the newly introduced Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) for "Upgradation of existing State Government/Central Government Medical Colleges to increase MBBS seats in the country", proposals from the State of Odisha, Uttarakhand, Punjab and Karnataka have been received.

(e): Under the new Centrally Sponsored Scheme for "Establishment of New Medical Colleges attached with District/Referral hospitals", with fund sharing between the Central Government and State Government in the ratio of 90:10 for North East/ special category States and 75:25 for other States with a total cost of Rs.189 crore per medical college, several district/referral hospitals have been identified. The list is at Annex-IV.