

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

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

- (a) the number of cities where AIIMS is set up along with the total seats of MBBS allocated to them, separately;
- (b) the number of seats at present lying vacant due to non-availability of students therein;
- (c) the number of doctors and paramedical staffs including nursing staffs sanctioned and actual strength at present in the newly established AIIMS in the country;
- (d) whether AIIMS, Rishikesh had reportedly advertised the vacancies of different posts long back and obtained fees from candidates but examination has not been held so far especially of staff nurse; and
- (e) if so, the reasons therefor and the corrective steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SHRIPAD YESSO NAIK)

(a): AIIMS are set up in seven cities. Allocation of MBBS seats are:

AIIMS New Delhi - 77
AIIMS Bhopal - 100
AIIMS Bhubaneswar - 100
AIIMS Jodhpur - 100
AIIMS Patna - 100
AIIMS Raipur - 100
AIIMS Rishikesh - 100

(b): 44 MBBS are lying vacant for the Academic Session 2014-15. The details are AIIMS Patna – 33 seats and AIIMS Raipur – 11 seats.

(c): Details are annexed.

(d)&(e): Yes. All the sanctioned posts are not supposed to be filled at one go because the entire capacity of AIIMS Rishikesh including the 960 bed hospital are not functional at present. As per requirements, the posts are to be filled in a phased manner. Recruitment of Staff Nurse is in process.