

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3337
TO BE ANSWERED ON 13TH MARCH, 2020**

HEALTH CAMPAIGN

**3337. DR. CHANDRA SEN JADON:
SHRI SUNIL KUMAR MONDAL:**

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

- (a) whether the Government proposes to start/ implement any special health campaign on spread of infectious disease in the country, if so, the details thereof particularly in Firozabad district of Uttar Pradesh;
- (b) the number of Government health centres operational in this area;
- (c) whether any proactive action is being taken to protect infected people and precautions for the non infected people of the country; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise, if not, the reasons therefor?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY)**

(a) to (d): As per the Constitutional provisions, 'Health' is a State subject. However, the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare provides financial and technical assistance to States / Union Territories (UTs) under the National Health Mission (NHM) for strengthening of Primary and Secondary health care facilities to effectively respond to health care needs. Under the Integrated Disease Surveillance Programme (IDSP), additional manpower, training of identified Rapid Response Team members for outbreak investigations, strengthening of laboratories for detection of epidemic prone diseases, information technology equipment for data entry, analysis and data transfer, and provision of funds for operationalization, etc. are provided to prevent the spread of disease outbreaks.

(b): At present, there are 216 sub centres, 43 Primary Healthcare Centers (PHCs), 9 Community Health Centers (CHCs), 4 Health and Wellness Centre-Sub Centers (HWC-SCs), 22 (HWC-PHCs), and 3 district Hospitals working in Firozabad district of Uttar Pradesh.