

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

**LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 700  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 5<sup>TH</sup> February, 2021**

**PRADHAN MANTRI GARIB KALYAN PACKAGE**

**700. SHRIMATI GEETA KORA:  
SHRI DILESHWAR KAMAIT:  
SHRI JUGAL KISHORE SHARMA:**

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

- (a) the number of health workers covered under the Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Package: Insurance Scheme for Health Workers Fighting against COVID-19 along with the details thereof, State/UT-wise; and
- (b) the details of the benefits likely to be extended to health workers under the said scheme?

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

- (a): Approximately 22.12 lakh health workers throughout the country are covered under the Pradhan Mantri Garib Kalyan Package: Insurance Scheme for Health Workers Fighting against COVID-19. State/UT-wise details of such workers is not maintained.
- (b): The Scheme provides comprehensive personal accident cover of Rs. 50 lakh to the family of each health worker on loss of his/her life due to COVID-19 and accidental death on account of COVID-19 related duty.