

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3384
TO BE ANSWERED ON 07.08.2026**

NHM SCHEMES AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE IN ODISHA

3384. SHRI PRADEEP PUROHIT:

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

- (a) the details of programmes being implemented by the Union Government under the National Health Mission (NHM) in Odisha during the last two years, indicating the objectives and the funds released by the Central Government, year-wise and scheme-wise;
- (b) the number of beneficiaries covered under various NHM schemes during the last two years in the State, district-wise, particularly in Bargarh and Jharsuguda, scheme-wise and year-wise;
- (c) the details of financial assistance sanctioned, released and utilised under NHM for Odisha during the last two financial years, indicating the Central and State shares separately; and
- (d) whether the Government has assessed the adequacy of NHM infrastructure, healthcare manpower and service delivery in Bargarh and Jharsuguda districts and if so, the details thereof, along with any proposals under consideration for strengthening healthcare facilities in these districts?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV)**

(a) to (d): 'Public Health and Hospital' is a state subject. The primary responsibility for strengthening public healthcare system, including infrastructure, healthcare manpower and service delivery lies with the respective State/Union Territories (UTs), including Odisha.

However, under National Health Mission (NHM), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare provides technical and financial support to the States/UTs, including Odisha, to strengthen the public healthcare system based on the proposals received in the form of

Programme Implementation Plans (PIPs). The Government of India provides approval for the proposal in the form of Record of Proceedings (RoPs) as per norms & available resources. The RoPs of the State of Odisha can be accessed at

<https://nhm.gov.in/index4.php?lang=1&level=0&linkid=45&lid=58>

Ayushman Arogya Mandirs (AAMs) represent one of the most significant transformations in primary healthcare, serving as the cornerstone of universal health coverage in India. Going beyond basic curative care, these centres offer an expanded package of services, including screening and management of non-communicable diseases, maternal and child health, mental health, oral health, eye care, ENT care, and palliative care. By shifting the focus from curative care to community-based preventive and promotive health, Ayushman Arogya Mandirs are laying the foundation for a healthier and more resilient India.

The details of central release under the National Health Mission (NHM) during last two financial years from FY 2024-25 and 2025-26 to the State of Odisha is as follows:

(Rs. In Crore)

Financial Year	Central Release	Expenditure
2024-25	1,916.79	3,585.01
2025-26	1,760.71	4,330.21

Note: The above releases relate to Central Govt. Grants & do not include State share contribution.

The State/Union Territories (UTs)-wise details of healthcare facilities in the country, including districts Bargarh and Jharsuguda of Odisha, can be accessed at the following link of Health Dynamics of India (HDI), 2023-24:

<https://www.mohfw-dohfw.gov.in/static/uploads/2026/05/57202cf30629539e4d0fb0a2f700ac62.pdf>

To improve health infrastructure and services in public health facilities, government has laid down Indian Public Health Standards (IPHS). They provide guidance on the health system components such as infrastructure, human resource, drugs, diagnostics, equipment, quality, and governance requirements for delivering health services at these facilities. They are used as the reference point for public health care infrastructure planning and up-gradation in the States and UTs. The Ministry has developed an open-source toolkit and a web-based dashboard (www.iphs.mohfw.gov.in) launched under IPHS on 28th June 2024 to facilitate

self- assessment by all levels of facilities including Ayushman Arogya Mandirs. The IPHS Dashboard is designed to monitor public health facilities' compliance with the IPHS 2022 standards and offers real-time updates, enabling oversight and data-driven decision-making to identify gaps and facilitate timely interventions.

Under NHM, the performance of various health programmes including NHM infrastructure, healthcare manpower and service delivery is regularly monitored in all the States/UTs, through review meetings, mid-term reviews of key deliverables, field visits of senior officials, promoting performance by setting up benchmarks for service delivery & rewarding achievements etc. Also, Common Review Missions (CRM) are conducted annually to assess and monitor the progress and implementation status under the scheme.
