

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3228
TO BE ANSWERED ON 07TH AUGUST, 2026**

HEART AND LIVER TRANSPLANT SERVICES

3228. SHRI RAJEEV RAI:

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

- a) whether the Government is aware of reports that heart transplant and/or liver transplant services at AIIMS, New Delhi have been disrupted, suspended or significantly curtailed due to shortage of faculty or other reasons, if so, the details thereof, including the period of such disruption and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (b) the number of heart transplants and liver transplants performed at AIIMS, New Delhi during each of the last five years, year-wise;
- (c) the number of patients presently on the waiting list for heart transplantation and liver transplantation at AIIMS, New Delhi, along with the number of surgeries deferred or cancelled during the last three years, year-wise; and
- (d) the timeline by which the Government expects full transplant services to function at optimal capacity?

ANSWER

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

- (a) There has been no disruption or suspension of heart and liver transplant services in AIIMS, New Delhi.
- (b) The number of heart and liver transplants performed during the last five years is as under: -

Sl. No.	Year	Heart Transplant	Liver Transplant
1.	2021	02	00
2.	2022	06	04
3.	2023	05	07
4.	2024	06	03
5.	2025	00	04

- (c) At present, there are 02 patients for heart transplantation and 11 patients for liver transplantation in the active waiting list at AIIMS, New Delhi. No transplant surgeries were deferred or cancelled during the last three years.
- (d) Transplant services are functional at AIIMS, New Delhi. The effectiveness of these services depends on multiple factors including donor organ availability and recipient suitability.
