

(b) As per the information maintained by the Central Drugs Standard Control Organisation (CDSCO), the number of deaths reported during the clinical trials for various reasons like disease-related deaths viz. cancer etc. or administration to critical or terminally ill patients or side-effects or unrelated causes etc. in the years 2008, 2009 and 2010, were 288, 637 and 668 respectively.

(c) Department of Financial Services has provided the following details of compensation paid or reported in respect of Public Sector General Insurance Companies during the last three years:-

Company	Year	No. of Claims Paid/ reported	Amount (In Rs.)	State
National Insurance	2010-11	1 Paid	15000	Maharashtra
New India Assurance	2010-11	2 Paid	2,54,302/- and 2,85,063/-	Maharashtra
Oriental Insurance	2011-12	1 Reported	4,00,000	Maharashtra
United India	No Claims Reported			

#### Review of health centres

3038. SHRI P. BHATTACHARYA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has reviewed the functioning of health centres in various States of the country;

(b) if so, whether any survey has been conducted in this regard;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the action taken by Government thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SUDIP BANDYOPADHYAY): (a) Health being a State subject, primary responsibility of reviewing the functioning of health centres across the country rests with the State Government. However, there are monitoring mechanisms under the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) also to monitor and review the implementation of NRHM including the functioning of health centres, which include Annual Common Review Mission (CRM), Joint Review Mission, Regular assessment of NRHM through online Health Management Information System (HMIS), and visit of Joint monitoring teams to high focus districts.

(b) and (c) District Level Household and Facility Survey (DLHS-3), a nationwide survey covering 601 Districts from 34 States and Union Territories of India was conducted during December, 2007 to December, 2008. In DLHS-3, apart from household survey information regarding facilities available at the Sub-Centre, Primary Health Centre (PHC), Community Health Centre (CHC) and District Hospital was also collected. The main objectives of the health facility survey were to assess the facilities having critical inputs as per norms, and to know the extent of utilization of facilities at various levels.

Further, Concurrent Evaluation of NRHM was done by International Institute of Population Sciences (IIPS), Mumbai during 2009-10 which covered 187 districts in all 33 States and Union Territories.

(d) The survey results are widely disseminated among the States and the results are used by the States while preparing State Annual Plans. Under NRHM, the Government has identified 264 backward districts based on the outcomes of District Level Household Survey for focused monitoring. Further, in order to strengthen the infrastructure facilities of health centres, States have been provided with funds for new construction/ up-gradation/renovation works. States are also assisted for contractual appointments to fill the gaps of healthcare professionals.

#### **PHCs in Karnataka**

3039. DR. VIJAY MALLYA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of Primary Health Centres (PHCs) in Karnataka, District-wise;
- (b) the number of medical specialists working in PHCs of the State;
- (c) whether Government proposes to set up an All India Institute of Medical Sciences-like institute in the State; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI SUDIP BANDYOPADHYAY): (a) As per Bulletin on Rural Health Statistics in India 2010, a statement showing District-wise functional Primary Health Centres (PHCs) in Karnataka is given in Statement (*See below*).

(b) The post of a Specialist is not sanctioned for PHC. The services of Specialists are made available at Community Health Centres.

(c) and (d) There is no proposal to set up an AIIMS-like institution in the State of Karnataka under Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana [PMSSY]. However, the Union Ministry of Health and FW has taken up upgradation of Government Medical College, Bangalore