

1	2	3	4	5
20.	Delhi	33	22	23
21.	Chandigarh	4	6	2
22.	West Bengal	0	0	0
23.	Uttar Pradesh	0	1	0
TOTAL		182	163	160

#### **Formation of a National Health Mission**

3812. SHRI ANIL DESAI:

SHRI SANJAY RAUT:

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

(a) whether the Prime Minister in his last Independence Day speech announced formation of a National Health Mission;

(b) whether it will be an entirely new structured mission; and

(c) if so, by when it will become a reality for Indians to get a proper healthcare system that is affordable for everybody and accountable?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI GHULAM NABI AZAD): (a) Yes.

(b) and (c) No decision has been taken at present in this regard.

#### **Fast track programmes to reduce under five mortality in Karnataka**

3813. SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government is implementing any programmes to fast track the reduction of the under five mortality rate in Karnataka so as to achieve the Millennium Development Goals of 2015;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any similar programmes are being initiated to control the very high Infant Mortality Rate in the State; and