

- (c) A patient visits a particular hospital as per his choice.

NRHM in Telangana and Andhra Pradesh

1032. SHRI GARIKAPATI MOHAN RAO: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the salient features and objectives of the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM);
- (b) whether Government has identified some districts of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh which need more attention under NRHM; and
- (c) if so, the details alongwith the funds allocated to the districts?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA): (a) National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) was launched to improve accessibility to quality healthcare particularly for the rural population, bridge gaps in healthcare, facilitate decentralized planning in the health sector and bring about inter-sectoral convergence. It sought to provide effective healthcare to rural population throughout the country with special focus on 18 States, which have relatively weak public health indicators and/or weak infrastructure.

Broad objectives of NRHM included the following:

- Reduction in Infant Mortality Rate (IMR) and Maternal Mortality Ratio (MMR).
- Universal access to public health services such as Women's health, child health, immunization and nutrition.
- Prevention and control of communicable and non-communicable diseases, including locally endemic diseases.
- Access to integrated comprehensive primary healthcare.
- Population stabilization, gender and demographic balance.
- Revitalize local health traditions and mainstream AYUSH.

Major Components of NRHM/NHM are as follows:

- Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn, Child and Adolescent Health (RMNCH+A)- includes services for maternal health, child health, family planning etc.

- Health System Strengthening under NRHM and NUHM including the human resources for health, infrastructure, ambulances, communitisation including ASHAs, drugs and equipment etc.
- Control of Communicable Diseases like TB, Malaria, Leprosy etc.
- Control of Non-Communicable diseases like Cancer, Cardiovascular Diseases, Diabetes, Mental Illnesses, Blindness.
- Infrastructure Maintenance to pay for the salary requirement of salaries of the Auxiliary Nurse Midwives (ANMs) and the Lady Health Visitors (LHVs), Urban Family Welfare Centres, ANM/LHV Training Schools, Health and Family Welfare Training Centers, and Training of Multi-Purpose Workers (Male).

(b) and (c) Government of India has identified some districts of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh as High Priority Districts (HPDs) as mentioned below:

State	High Priority Districts
Telangana	Adilabad
Telangana	Mahbubnagar
Andhra Pradesh	Vizianagaram
Andhra Pradesh	Cuddapah
Andhra Pradesh	Kurnool
Andhra Pradesh	Vishakhapatnam

The States are expected to allocate about 30% more funds per capita to HPDs as compared to the non-High Priority Districts. The Ministry does not allocate/release funds district wise. The details of funds released during the year 2014-15 for the States of Telangana and Andhra Pradesh programme-wise is given in the Statement (*See below*).

Statement

*The details showing the Release during the
Financial Year (F.Y.) 2014-15 for Telangana*

		(₹ in crore)
Sl. No.	Programme	Release
A. NRHM Flexible Pool		
1.	RCH Flexible Pool	102.76
2.	Mission Flexible Pool	101.61
3.	Routine Immunization	5.11
4.	Pulse Polio Immunisation	6.27
5.	National I.D.D. Control Prog.	0.23
6.	Infrastructure Maintenance	80.26
7.	Communicable Disease Control Programmes	24.29
	a. National Vector Borne Diseases Control Programme	4.29
	b. Revised National Tuberculosis Control Programme	17.95
	c. National Leprosy Eradication Programme	1.18
	d. Integrated Disease Surveillance Project	0.88
8.	Non Communicable Disease Programmes	9.27
	a. National Prog. for Prevention and Control of Cancer, Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases and Stroke (NPCDCS)	4.01
	b. National Prog. for Control of Blindness	3.00
	c. National Mental Health Prog.	1.66
	d. National Programme for the Healthcare of the Elderly	0.00
	e. National Prog. for prevention and Control of Deafness	0.00

Sl. No.	Programme	Release
f.	National Tobacco Control Prog.	0.60
g.	Other New Initiative under Non-Communicable Disease Injuries and Trauma	0.00
h.	National Oral Health Programme	0.00
SUB TOTAL (1+2+3+4+5+6+7+8)		329.80
B. National Urban Health Mission-Flexible Pool		48.63
GRAND TOTAL		378.43

Note:

Release for the F.Y. 2014-15 are updated up to 31.03.2015 and is provisional.

The above Releases relate to Central Govt. Grants and do not include state share contribution.

The details showing the Release during the Financial Year (F.Y.)- 2014-15 for Andhra Pradesh

(₹ in crore)

Sl. No.	Programme	Release
A. NRHM Flexible Pool		
1.	RCH Flexible Pool	172.92
2.	Mission Flexible Pool	148.05
3.	Routine Immunization	0.00
4.	Pulse Polio Immunisation	7.82
5.	National I.D.D. Control Prog.	0.25
6.	Infrastructure Maintenance	85.58
7.	Communicable Disease Control Programmes	34.66
a.	National Vector Borne Diseases Control Programme	7.67
b.	Revised National Tuberculosis Control Prog.)	24.12
c.	National Leprosy Eradication Prog.	1.65

Sl. No.	Programme	Release
	d. Integrated Disease Surveillance Project	1.22
8.	Non Communicable Disease Programmes	12.55
	a. National Prog. for Prevention and Control of Cancer, Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases and Stroke (NPCDCS)	5.61
	b. National Prog. for Control of Blindness	4.34
	c. National Mental Health Prog.	1.66
	d. National Programme for the Healthcare of the Elderly	0.00
	e. National Prog. For Prevention and Control of Deafness	0.00
	f. National Tobacco Control Prog.	0.94
	g. Other New Initiative under Non-Communicable Disease Injuries and Trauma	0.00
	h. National Oral Health Programme	0.00
SUB TOTAL (1+2+3+4+5+6+7+8)		461.83
B.	National Urban Health Mission-Flexible Pool	57.55
GRAND TOTAL		519.38

Note:

Release for the F.Y. 2014-15 are updated up to 31.03.2015 and is provisional.

The above Releases relate to Central Govt. Grants and do not include state share contribution.

Handling of Ebola outbreak in the country

1033. SHRI K. T. S. TULSI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the extent of India's preparedness for dealing with the outbreak of Ebola virus in India and its neighbouring countries;

(b) whether India has been rated as fragile and weaker than Ebola effected Liberia; and