

| Sl. No. | Programme | Release |
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| | 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

(c) if so, what is the plan of action that has been formulated?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA) : (a) to (c) Pursuant to the declaration of Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) as Public Health Emergency of International Concern by World Health Organization, Government of India commenced screening of passengers arriving from or transiting through EVD affected countries at identified Airports and Ports. At present, such passengers coming by Air are being routed through seven International airports. Passengers / crew arriving through ships are screened at nine major Ports. Special Health units are functioning at these Airports and Ports and are manned by trained medical and paramedical staff.

The Integrated Disease Surveillance Programme is tracking the passengers who arrive in India from EVD affected countries and who have history of contact with a suspect or confirmed EVD case. The tracking is done for 30 days. Two laboratories namely National Institute of Virology (NIV), Pune and National Centre for Disease Control (NCDC), Delhi are testing clinical samples of high risk passengers. 10 more existing laboratories with required Bio Safety Level (BSL) standards have been identified to collect, test and store samples.

The States have been provided guidelines on screening, risk categorization of patients, clinical case management and infection control practices.

State Governments have identified isolation facilities to manage cases of Ebola Virus Disease. Master Trainers of 25 States have been trained and Mock-drill conducted. Rapid Response Teams of all States/Union Territories have been trained. Personal Protective Equipment provided to all States/Union Territories to deal with EVD cases. A helpline is also functioning from Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.

AIIMS-like hospital in Jammu and Kashmir

†1034. SHRI NAZIR AHMED LAWAY: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government plans to open a big hospital in Jammu and Kashmir on the line of AIIMS;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

[†]Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.