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32.	D & N Haveli	14	8	37	ж	*	
33.	Daman & Diu	17	14	14	0	3	
34.	Delhi	5	5	7	*	*	
35.	Lakshadweep	25	52	52	0	*	
36.	Puducherry	45	131	139	ж	*	
	All India	63080	74098	65039	11757	12953	

Notes:

NA: Not Available.

## Increase in cases of various diseases

1906. SHRIMATI NAZNIN FARUQUE: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that there is an increase in the number of people suffering from lung cancer, haematological abnormalities, impaired liver function, genetic changes and neurobehavioral problems in the country;
  - (b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor; and
  - (c) what action is being taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA): (a) and (b) According to ICMR, the number of people suffering from lung cancer has been increasing and the details are given in the table below.

Year	2012	2013	2014
Estimated lung cancer prevalence	76783	79833	83035

Risk factors of cancer include larger number of ageing population, unhealthy life style, use of tobacco and tobacco products, unhealthy diet etc.

The data relating to impaired liver function, haematological abnormalities, genetic changes and neurobehavioral problems is not maintained Centrally.

<sup>+</sup>Data for 2013 repeated

<sup>#</sup>Data for 2011 repeated

<sup>##</sup>Sanctioned data for 2012 used

<sup>^</sup>Data for 2013-14 repeated

<sup>^^</sup>Sanctioned data for 2013-14 used One per Primary Health

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Centre and seven per Community Health Centre

<sup>\*</sup>Surplus. All India figures for vacancy and shortfall are the totals of State-wise vacancy and shortfall ignoring surplus in some States/UTs

(c) Health is a State subject. However, Central Government supplements the efforts of the State Government for improving healthcare including for Cancer and other diseases. At present, the National Programme for Prevention and Control of Cancer, Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases and Stroke (NPCDCS) being implemented under National Health Mission (NHM) for interventions up to the district level, includes awareness generation for Cancer prevention, screening, early detection and referral to an appropriate level institution for treatment. In addition, Government of India has approved "Tertiary Care for Cancer" Scheme under NPCDCS in the year 2013-14. Under the said scheme, Government of India assists to establish/set up State Cancer Institutes (SCI) and Tertiary Care Cancer Centres (TCCC) in different parts of the country.

In addition to the facilities available in State Health Institutions, diseases including Cancer, Hematological abnormalities, Liver Diseases and Genetic Diseases are treated at Central Government Health facilities such as All India Institutes of Medical Sciences, Safdurjung Hospital, Dr Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital, PGIMER Chandigarh, JIPMER Puducherry, Regional Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal, North Eastern Indira Gandhi Regional Institute of Health and Medical Sciences (NEIGRIHMS), Shillong, NIMHANS etc.

Hepatitis-B vaccination is included in Universal Immunization Programme of Government of India.

## Trauma Centres along National and State Highways

†1907. DR. VIJAYLAXMI SADHO: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government is aware that most of the deaths during road accidents occur due to non- availability of medical facilities in time;
- (b) if so, the number of deaths which took place State-wise and details thereof during last three years, year-wise and State-wise; and
- (c) whether Government proposes to set up trauma unit centres at National and State Highways to curb it and the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA): (a) to (c) Health is primarily a State subject, no such information is maintained centrally. However, the details of the number of the deaths (as available on the website of National Crime Research Bureau) due to road accidents during last three years (state-wise) are given in the Statement (See below).

<sup>†</sup>Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.