

Year	2014	2030
Estimated Breast Cancer cases*	97328	Approx. - 1,84,000

*Based on the Reports on Time Trend in cancer Incidence Rates 1982-2010 and 2009-2011 PBCR Report.

Increase in deaths caused by AES

*174. SHRI BAISHNAB PARIDA: 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 deaths caused by Acute Encephalitis Syndrome (AES) in the country;

(b) whether Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Assam and West Bengal are the major regions where this problem has been going unabated;

(c) the number of such deaths that have taken place during the last three years; and

(d) whether Government has devised some action plan to save lives from this disease in the country, if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA): (a) As per information received from the States, number of deaths due to Acute Encephalitis Syndrome (AES) have declined in 2015 (1109 deaths till November) as compared to 1472 deaths during corresponding period of 2014.

(b) Number of deaths in Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Assam and West Bengal also declined in 2015 till November as compared to corresponding period of 2014.

State	Death due to AES	
	2014 (Till November 29)	2015 (Till November 29)
Assam	358	260
Bihar	162	80
Uttar Pradesh	588	422
West Bengal	346	329

(c) Number of AES deaths in the country during the last three years.

Year	2013	2014	2015 (Till November 29)
Number of AES Deaths	1273	1719	1109

(d) A multi-pronged strategy has already been adopted under the National Programme for Prevention and Control of Japanese Encephalitis (JE)/Acute Encephalitis

Syndrome (AES) in sixty high priority districts in 5 States of Assam, Bihar, Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh and West Bengal with the participation of (i) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare; (ii) Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation; (iii) Ministry of Housing Urban Poverty Alleviation; (iv) Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment; (v) Ministry of Women and Child Development; and (vi) Ministry of Human Resource Development (Department of School Education and Literacy).

Establishment of Pediatric ICU at district level in 60 high burdened districts is one of the major components under the Programme to reduce case fatality. Furthermore, incentive has been provisioned for ASHAs under the programme for early referral of cases to reduce mortality.

Scholarship schemes

*175. SHRI DILIP KUMAR TIRKEY: Will the Minister of MINORITY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the scholarship schemes being run by the Ministry;
- (b) the details of allocations made under these schemes in the current financial year; and
- (c) the details of beneficiaries under the various scholarship schemes run by the Ministry for the current financial year, State-wise?

THE MINISTER OF MINORITY AFFAIRS (DR. NAJMA A. HEPTULLA): (a) and (b) For educational empowerment of students belonging to the notified minority communities, three Scholarship Schemes namely Pre-matric Scholarship scheme for classes I to X; Post-matric Scholarship scheme from class XI up to Ph.D. level; and Merit-cum-means based Scholarship scheme for professional and technical courses at under-graduate and post-graduate levels, are implemented by the Ministry of Minority Affairs. The details of earmarked budget under these schemes in the current financial year are as under:

Sl.No.	Name of Scheme	Earmarked Budget (₹ in crore)
1.	Pre-matric Scholarship scheme	1040.10
2.	Post-matric Scholarship scheme	580.10
3.	Merit-cum-Means based Scholarship scheme	335.00

In addition, the Maulana Azad Education Foundation (MAEF), an autonomous body under the Ministry also implements Maulana Azad National Scholarships for meritorious girl students studying in class XI and XII. MAEF disburses scholarship amount out of interest accrued on its corpus fund and thus does not allocate the amount.