

and speed up the completion of New Dispensary in the area to give relief to the CGHS beneficiaries of the area?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA): (a) At present 54,722 beneficiaries are served by Dispensary No. 36-A, Dwarka, Delhi.

(b) Yes, Dwarka dispensary is facing some operational problems like slow speed of internet due to 2-MBPS leased line.

(c) (i) Adequate doctors and staff are posted in Dwarka Wellness Centre.

(ii) There is no frequent power breakdown at CGHS Wellness Centre, Dwarka, hence power back-up/generator is not required for the time being.

(iii) The feasibility of providing 4MBPS leased line connection has been taken up with the MTNL authorities.

(iv) Construction of two CGHS buildings is under process by CPWD at Sector-9 and Sector-23 Dwarka.

#### **Mission Indradhanush in Puducherry**

1096. SHRI N. GOKULAKRISHNAN: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of funds allocated, released and utilised for Mission Indradhanush in Puducherry;

(b) the details of activities undertaken under Mission Indradhanush in Puducherry, district-wise; and

(c) the efforts being made for more penetration of Mission Indradhanush in remote areas of Puducherry?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA): (a) No separate funds have been allocated to Puducherry for Mission Indradhanush.

(b) The district-wise details of activities undertaken along with beneficiaries reached under Mission Indradhanush in Puducherry are given in the Statement (*See below*).

(c) Under Mission Indradhanush, special focus has been made to reach areas with vacant sub-centres, areas with missed routine immunization sessions, high-risk areas

identified in polio programme, underserved and hard-to-reach population. Based on the need, ANMs have been deployed to cover areas beyond their sub-centre area. In addition, the Mission focuses on intensive Information Education Communication (IEC) activities to increase awareness and ensure maximum coverage of beneficiaries.

***Statement***

*Districts-wise coverage during two Phases of Mission Indradhanush in Puducherry*

Sl. No.	Activity	Name of district		
		Yanam (Phase 1)	Mahe (Phase 2)	Pondicherry (Phase 2)
1.	No. of Sessions held	65	8	147
2.	No. of Children vaccinated	118	13	467
3.	No. of children fully vaccinated	52	8	150
4.	No. of pregnant women vaccinated	0	0	75
5.	No. of Vitamin A doses given	58	8	315
6.	No. of ORS packets distributed	2	0	0
7.	No. of Zinc tablets distributed	14	0	0

**Non-selection of ASHAs from Puducherry**

1097. SHRI N. GOKULAKRISHNAN: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of ASHAs in the country, State and UT-wise;
- (b) whether it is a fact that Government has not selected ASHAs from Puducherry; and
- (c) if so, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI JAGAT PRAKASH NADDA): (a) The number of Accredited Social Health Activists (ASHAs) selected under the National Rural Health Mission State/UT-wise is given in the Statement (*See below*).

- (b) Yes. The Government of Puducherry has not selected ASHAs.
- (c) Public Health is a State subject. Under the National Health Mission (NHM), support is provided to States/UTs for strengthening their healthcare system including for