(iii) achieve and maintain a cure rate of >85% in new sputum positive patients for TB and to reduce incidence of new cases to reach elimination status by 2025, (iv) reduce prevalence of blindness to 0.25/1000 by 2025 and disease burden by one third from current levels and (v) achieve and maintain elimination status of Leprosy by 2018, Kala-Azar by 2017 and Lymphatic Filariasis in endemic pockets by 2017.

Further, the NCD Global Monitoring Framework and Action Plan aims to achieve relative reduction in the overall mortality from cardiovascular disease, cancer, diabetes, or chronic respiratory disease upto 10% by 2020 and upto 25% by 2025.

Quality of education in nursing colleges

†3023. SHRI RAM KUMAR KASHYAP: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the State-wise number of nursing colleges coming under Government as well as private sector in the country, at present;
- (b) whether Government has received complaints about the quality of education being imparted in these colleges; and
 - (c) if so, the details thereof and action taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE): (a) The State-wise number of nursing colleges under Government as well as in private sector in the country is given in the Statement (See below).

- (b) and (c) Indian Nursing Council has taken a decision to conduct 10% surprise inspection in a year to improved the quality of nursing education. Some of the other steps taken to improve the quality of nursing education are as follows:—
 - 1. Institution should have its own 100 bedded hospital.
 - 2. Institution should have own building within two years of the establishment.
 - Renewals are issued every year after scrutinizing the documents w.r.t. INC norms.
 - 4. Faculty details are to be updated on the website by the institution.

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

Statement

State-wise distribution of Nursing Institutions and the Admission Capacity in the country as on 31st March, 2016 in Government as well as in Private Sector

State	Institutions		Seats		Total	
	Government	Pvt.	Government	Pvt.	Instt.	Seats
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
B.Sc. (N)						
Andaman and Nicobar Islands	1	0	40	0	1	40
Andhra Pradesh	8	138	381	7200	146	7581
Arunachal Pradesh	0	1	0	40	1	40
Assam	4	7	230	320	11	550
Bihar	1	4	40	160	5	200
Chandigarh	2	0	95	0	2	95
Chhattisgarh	8	79	390	3450	87	3840
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	1	0	60	0	1	60
Daman and Diu	0	0	0	0	O	0
Delhi	7	4	385	210	11	595
Goa	1	2	100	80	3	180
Gujarat	8	61	390	2800	69	3190
Haryana	2	33	105	1500	35	1605
Himachal Pradesh	1	20	60	780	21	840
Jammu and Kashmir	4	8	190	420	12	610
Jharkhand	1	8	50	320	9	370
Karnataka	13	316	790	17110	329	17900
Kerala	8	125	525	6635	133	7160
Madhya Pradesh	4	154	220	6965	158	7185
Maharashtra	6	94	300	4125	100	4425
Manipur	1	6	40	230	7	270

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Meghalaya	1	1	50	40	2	90
Mizoram	2	0	65	0	2	65
Nagaland	0	1	0	40	1	40
Odisha	1	19	40	860	20	900
Puducherry	2	13	175	840	15	1015
Punjab	5	99	260	4800	104	5060
Rajasthan	8	160	570	7175	168	7745
Sikkim	1	1	100	30	2	130
Tamil Nadu	5	171	250	9820	176	10070
Telangana	6	79	330	4210	85	4540
Tripura	0	4	0	180	4	180
Uttar Pradesh	5	66	240	3040	71	3280
Uttarakhand	6	12	260	540	18	800
West Bengal	11	11	510	645	22	1155
Grand Total	134	1697	7241	84565	1831	91806
M.Sc. (N)						
Andaman and Nicobar Islands	0	0	0	0	0	C
Andhra Pradesh	1	31	30	578	32	608
Arunachal Pradesh	0.0	0	0	O	0	C
Assam	3	2	57	34	5	91
Bihar	0	0	0	0	0	C
Chandigarh	1	0	20	0	1	20
Chhattisgarh	1	15	25	264	16	289
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	1	0	20	0	1	20
Daman and Diu					0	0
Delhi	3	3	45	60	6	105
Goa	1	0	25	0	1	25
Gujarat	2	11	35	236	13	271

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Haryana	Ĭ	7	30	122	8	152	
Himachal Pradesh	1	1	25	20	2	45	
Jammu and Kashmir	0	2	0	33	2	33	
Jharkhand	0	1	0	17	1	17	
Karnataka	5	173	62	3533	178	3595	
Kerala	6	61	130	1203	67	1333	
Madhya Pradesh	2	43	15	665	45	680	
Maharashtra	3	33	60	577	36	637	
Manipur	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Meghalaya	1	0	10	0	1	10	
Mizoram	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nagaland	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Odisha	1	8	17	145	9	162	
Puducherry	1	6	22	120	7	142	
Punjab	2	39	50	750	41	800	
Rajasthan	5	19	100	285	24	385	
Sikkim	0	1	0	25	1	25	
Tamil Nadu	2	80	65	1765	82	1830	
Telangana	1	24	30	474	25	504	
Tripura	0	2	0	22	2	22	
Uttar Pradesh	0	14	0	292	14	292	
Uttarakhand	1	4	18	67	5	85	
West Bengal	8	4	135	77	12	212	
Grand Total	53	584	1026	11364	637	12390	
P.B.B.Sc. (N)							
Andaman and Nicobar Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Andhra Pradesh	0	30	0	880	30	880	
Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	0	0	

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Assam	0	4	0	115	4	115
Bihar	0	1	0	30	1	30
Chandigarh	1	0	40	0	1	40
Chhattisgarh	1	17	20	505	18	525
Dadra and Nagar Haveli	1	0	20	0	1	20
Daman and Diu	0	0	0	0	0	0
Delhi	1	2	20	50	3	70
Goa	1	0	10	0	1	10
Gujarat	1	17	30	460	18	490
Haryana	1	26	30	710	27	740
Himachal Pradesh	1	4	30	110	5	140
Jammu and Kashmir	0	4	0	150	4	150
Jharkhand	1	4	30	90	5	120
Karnataka	4	189	160	6850	193	7010
Kerala	6	45	190	1575	51	1765
Madhya Pradesh	3	59	100	1610	62	1710
Maharashtra	2	55	50	1545	57	1595
Manipur	0	0	0	0	0	0
Meghalaya	0	1	0	30	1	30
Mizoram	O	0	O	0	0	O
Nagaland	O	1	0	20	1	20
Odisha	1	5	40	170	6	210
Puducherry	1	6	25	195	7	220
Punjab	3	89	85	2850	92	2935
Rajasthan	2	45	45	1230	47	1275
Sikkim	0	1	0	50	1	50
Tamil Nadu	2	75	90	2580	77	2670
Telangana	0	18	0	530	18	530
Tripura	O	Ī	O	20	1	20

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Uttar Pradesh	2	29	50	820	31	870	
Uttarakhand	Ĭ	5	30	140	6	170	
West Bengal	7	4	330	125	11	455	
Grand Total	43	737	1425	23440	780	24865	

Note: Institutions have been closed due to non-admission of students in last two years.

Selection of director, AIIMS, New Delhi

†3024. CH. SUKHRAM SINGH YADAV: SHRIMATI CHHAYA VERMA: SHRI VISHAMBHAR PRASAD NISHAD:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is a fact that complaints have been received about neglecting seniority among names forwarded by selection committee for the post of Director in All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi;
 - (b) if so, the steps taken in view of the seriousness of the complaints; and
- (c) the details of the procedure adopted for selection against the said post and the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI FAGGAN SINGH KULASTE): (a) and (b) No such complaints has been received.

(c) In accordance with the guidelines, the post of Director, AIIMS, New Delhi was advertised in various national dailies (English and Hindi). A Search-cum-Selection Committee constituted with the approval of Department of Personnel and Training scrutinized the application received and recommended a panel of three officers for consideration of the Institute Body of AIIMS, New Delhi. The Institute Body accepted the recommendation of the Search-cum-Selection Committee. Thereafter, the panel was sent for consideration of Appointments Committee of Cabinet (ACC). The ACC has since approved the appointment of Director, AIIMS, New Delhi.

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