

**Blue print of National Health Stack**

1070. SHRI SANJAY RAUT: Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

(a) whether NITI Aayog has come with a blue print of the National Health Stack (NHS), a shared digital healthcare infrastructure, with a view to implement the Centres flagship scheme Ayushman Bharat and other public healthcare programmes in the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (RAO Inderjit Singh): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Strategy and Approach paper on the National Health Stack which is a blueprint for India's futuristic digital health system has been prepared by NITI Aayog. The National Health Stack will facilitate collection of comprehensive healthcare data, create a single source of truth for and manage master health data of the nation across the country.

This Strategy and Approach paper has been placed on the official website of NITI (<http://www.niti.gov.in/writereaddata/files/document-publication/NHS-Strategy-and-Approach-Document-for-consultation.pdf>) for seeking views of public, experts and other stakeholders.

**Controlling drug Addiction among children**

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SHRI VISHAMBHAR PRASAD NISHAD:

Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that drug addiction is increasing among school children;

(b) whether any study has been conducted to find out the number of children consuming drugs and the reasons responsible for inclination of children towards drug addiction;

(c) the action plan of Government to curb drug addiction among children; and

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.