

Federation (IDF), the estimated cases of diabetes in India in the age group of 20-70 years were 65.0 million, 66.8 million and 69.1 million respectively in 2013, 2014 and 2015, which is estimated to have risen to 73 million in 2017.

The ICMR-India Diabetes (INDIAB) study estimated 62.4 million people with diabetes (>20 years of age) in 2011 and 73 million are projected to have diabetes in 2018. The study is completed in 21 States.

(c) The Government of India is implementing National Programme for Prevention and Control of Cancer, Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases and Stroke (NPCDCS) for interventions up to District level under the National Health Mission (NHM).

Under NPCDCS, testing, diagnosis and treatment facilities for diabetes are provided through different levels of healthcare by setting up NCD clinics in District Hospitals and Community Health Centres (CHCs).

Endocrinology is one of the focus areas of the new All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) and many other institutions upgraded under the Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY).

Further, for early diagnosis, population level initiative for prevention, control, screening and management of common Non-Communicable Diseases (diabetes, hypertension and common cancers *viz.* oral, breast and cervical cancer) has been rolled out in over 200 districts of the country under NHM. Under this initiative, services of frontline health workers and Accredited Social Health Activists (ASHAs) are being used for risk profiling and screening of population. Services for prevention and control of NCDs are also included under Health and Wellness Centres under Ayushman Bharat, Comprehensive Primary Health Care.

AIIMS for Uttar Pradesh

204. SHRI SANJAY SETH: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government in 2017 had promised to set up six All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) in the State of Uttar Pradesh;

(b) if so, the steps taken by Government to set up such institutions and their locations and the time by which these are likely to be set up; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY): (a) to (c) Government of India has approved setting up of two All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) at Rae Bareli and Gorakhpur in Uttar Pradesh.

An AIIMS in Rae Bareli is being set up a cost of ₹ 823 crore. Target date of completion is March, 2020.

Another AIIMS in Gorakhpur is being set up at a cost of ₹ 1011 crore. Target date of completion is April, 2020.

Handing over of Sub Centres in Andhra Pradesh to private players

205. SHRI V. VIJAYASAI REDDY: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the proposal of Government of Andhra Pradesh (GoAP) handing over 6,500 Sub Centres out of 7,500 to private agencies in the name of e-Sub Centres has come to the notice of Government;

(b) whether Sub Centres can be privatized by paying them more than ₹ 200 crores;

(c) whether Government is aware of GoAP handing over 40 Sub Centres earlier with promises ranging from tele medicine, medicine vending machines, tele consultancy, tele consultancy hub, etc., which have so far not been provided; and

(d) whether Government will contemplate stopping this practice of handing over of Sub Centres to private agencies by GoAP?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY): (a) to (d) Public health and hospitals is a State subject, it is upto the State Government as to how it provides the services through public health facilities.

As reported by the State Government of Andhra Pradesh, it has taken up 'e-Sub Centre' project to upgrade all the existing Sub Centres across the State into comprehensive primary health care centres. The concept of 'e-SubCentre' is to provide assured qualitative healthcare services by a Medical Officer through telemedicine at the door steps of Sub-Centres by leveraging technology. The project is being funded by World Bank.