

(d) Government of India initiated Integrated Disease Surveillance Programme (IDSP) in all States/UTs with the objective to detect and respond to disease outbreaks due to epidemic-prone diseases including Zika virus disease. Weekly data on morbidity for epidemic-prone diseases is collected and analysed to detect early rising phase of disease outbreaks, which is reported and responded to by trained Districts/States RRT.

Further, Indian Council of Medical Research, through its network of laboratories, conducted laboratory based surveillance to detect outbreaks of Zika Virus in the community and entomological surveillance to detect Zika virus in vector mosquito.

(e) There are no vaccines currently approved by the Government for prevention of Zika disease. However, at least one experimental vaccine in clinical trials now.

Shortage of dental treatment facilities with CGHS

1862. SHRI ANIL DESAI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there are shortage of dental treatment facilities in CGHS dispensaries in Delhi;

(b) if so, what measures have been taken to provide fast and efficient dental treatment facilities in Delhi; and

(c) how many dental wellness centres are working in Delhi, details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY): (a) to (c) CGHS Wellness Centres provide primary healthcare facilities and are manned by General Duty Medical Officers. Dental treatment facilities can be availed by CGHS beneficiaries at three Dental Clinics under CGHS in Delhi at Sewanagar, Kingsway Camp and Pusa Road. Dental treatment facility is also available at Dental Clinics in Government Hospitals and 102 exclusive Dental Clinics empanelled under CGHS in Delhi and National Capital Region.

Doctor-patient ratio in CGHS dispensaries

1863. SHRI ANIL DESAI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of CGHS dispensaries working in Delhi;

(b) the ideal patient-doctor ratio for the efficient health services;