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RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2671
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21st DECEMBER 2021

PLAN TO SET UP ANOTHER AIIMS LIKE INSTITUTE IN DELHI

2671. SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR GUPTA:

Will the Minister of Health and Family Welfare be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Government has any plan to set up one more AIIMS like medical institute in Delhi keeping in view the huge number of patients coming from all over India;
- (b) if so, the details in this regard; and
- (c) if not, whether Government will consider having it on priority basis?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(DR. BHARATI PRAVIN PAWAR)**

- (a) to (c): There is no such proposal. However, in order to reduce the burden of patients on AIIMS, New Delhi, Government is implementing Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY) for expanding tertiary healthcare facilities across the country through setting up of new AIIMS and upgradation of existing Government Medical Colleges (GMCs) in various States. Setting up of 22 AIIMS and 75 projects for upgradation of GMCs have been approved under PMSSY. Simultaneously, various projects such as Mother and Child Block, National Centre for Ageing, Surgical Block and Paid Private Wards have been added in AIIMS, New Delhi.
