

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1563
TO BE ANSWERED ON 15th MARCH 2022**

IMPROVEMENT IN IMR, MMR AND LIFE EXPECTANCY

1563: SHRI K.J. ALPHONS:

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

- (a) What has been the improvement in Infant Mortality Rate (IMR) during the past five years;
- (b) What has been the improvement in Maternal Mortality Rate (MMR) during the past five years; and
- (c) What has been the improvement in life expectancy in the last five years?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY
WELFARE**

(DR. BHARATI PRAVIN PAWAR)

(a): As per the Sample Registration System (SRS) Bulletin of Registrar General of India (RGI), the Infant Mortality Rate (IMR) has reduced from 39 per 1000 live births in 2014 to 30 per 1,000 live births in 2019 at National Level.

(b): As per the SRS Report of RGI, the Maternal Mortality Rate (MMR) has reduced from 8.8 in 2014-16 to 6.5 in 2017-19 at National Level.

(c): As per the SRS based Abridged Life Tables report of RGI, the Life Expectancy at the time of Birth is 69.4 years during 2014-18 in comparison to 69.0 years during 2013-17 at National Level.
