

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

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2190
TO BE ANSWERED ON THE 22nd MARCH, 2022**

**NEW MEDICAL COLLEGES IN PRATAPGARH AND JALORE DISTRICTS OF
RAJASTHAN**

2190. SHRI NEERAJ DANGI:

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

- (a) whether Government proposes to sanction the pending proposals for setting up new medical colleges in Pratapgarh and Jalore districts of Rajasthan; and
- (b) if so, by when and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

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

(a) & (b) The Ministry of Health & Family Welfare administers a Centrally Sponsored Scheme (CSS) for 'Establishment of new Medical Colleges attached with existing district/referral hospitals' with preference to underserved areas and aspirational districts, where there is no existing Government or private medical college.

In three phases of the said Scheme, 23 new medical colleges in Rajasthan have been sanctioned, out of which, 7 have become functional. Further, all 75 medical colleges to be established in Phase-III of the Scheme, have already been sanctioned.
