

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

**RAJYA SABHA
ADMITTED UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1559
TO BE ANSWERED ON 20.12.2022**

STEPS TAKEN TO CHECK DRUG ADDICTION

1559. SHRI VIKRAMJIT SINGH SAHNEY:

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

- (a) whether Government has undertaken any steps to tackle drug addiction in the country;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, and if not, the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether Government plans to set up specialised de-addiction centres and/or shelter homes for the same;
- (d) if so, the details thereof, and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (e) the details of fund allocated and utilised under Drug-Addiction Program (DDAP) in last three years?

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

(a) & (b): As informed by Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment that under the scheme for National Action Plan for Drug Demand Reduction (NAPDDR), financial assistance is provided to (i) 'State Governments/ Union Territory (UT) Administrations for Preventive Education and Awareness Generation, Capacity Building and Programmes for Drug Demand Reduction by States/UTs etc. and (ii) 'NGOs/VOs for running and maintenance of Integrated Rehabilitation Centres for Addicts (IRCA's), Community based peer Led Intervention (CPLI) for early Drug Use Prevention among Adolescents, Outreach and Drop In Centres (ODIC) and District De- Addiction Centres (DDACs)'.

(c) & (d): Under the NAPDDR Scheme 341 Integrated Rehabilitation Centres for Addicts (IRCAs), 49 Community based Peer led Intervention (CPLI) Centres, 72 Outreach and Drop InCentres (ODICs) and 41 Addiction Treatment Facilities (ATFs) in Government hospitals are supported by the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment. Under the National Drug De-Addiction Programme (DDAP) of the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, 27 drug treatment clinics are functional in District/Civil Hospital across the country in which OPD Services are provided.

(e): Fund allocated and utilised under Drug De-addiction Programme (DDAP) under Ministry of Health & Family Welfare is as under:

(Rs. in crores)

Fund allocated	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022
Budget Allocation	45.00	53.00	54.94
Funds Utilised	42.93	48.70	52.35
