

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT

**RAJYA SABHA**  
**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2240**  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 19.03.2025

**DEVELOPMENTAL SCHEMES FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN IN ODISHA**

2240. SMT. MAMATA MOHANTA:

Will the Minister of WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether it is fact that Government has taken steps for upliftment of women & child condition in rural and tribal areas;
- (b) if so, the details of schemes which have been started for women and children particularly in tribal dominated areas like Odisha;
- (c) the details regarding the amount of funds released for the State of Odisha in such schemes during last five years; and
- (d) the details of beneficiaries in State of Odisha since the scheme's inception, District-wise?

**ANSWER**

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT  
(SHRIMATI SAVITRI THAKUR)

(a) & (b) For better implementation and efficient monitoring, all schemes implemented by the Ministry, including those for upliftment of women and child condition in rural and tribal areas, have been clubbed into three Umbrella Missions, viz. (1) Mission Saksham Anganwadi & Poshan 2.0 for improving nutrition & health indicators in the country (2) Mission Shakti, for safety, protection and empowerment of women; and (3) Mission Vatsalya, for protection, care and welfare of children in difficult circumstances. Details of the schemes are as under:

**(i) Saksham Anganwadi & Poshan 2.0 (Mission Poshan 2.0):** Under this mission, Anganwadi Services Scheme, POSHAN Abhiyaan and Scheme for Adolescent Girls have been reorganized into 3 primary sub-verticals: (i) Nutrition Support for POSHAN and for Adolescent Girls (ii) Early Childhood Care and Education [3-6 years] and (iii) Anganwadi Infrastructure including modern, upgraded Saksham Anganwadis.

Hon'ble PM has launched PM- JANMAN (Pradhan Mantri Janjati Adivasi Nyaya Maha Abhiyan) on 15th November, 2023. The Mission is aimed at targeted development of 75 Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PVTGs) residing in 18 States and a UT. This Mission focuses on 11 critical interventions related to 9 key Ministries including Ministry of Women and Child Development. As per Cabinet approval, a total of 2,500 Anganwadi Centres

(AWCs) are set to be sanctioned and constructed over the fiscal years 2023-24, 2024-25, and 2025-26. PM-JANMAN is also implemented in the State of Odisha from 2023-24 onwards. 90 AWCs have been sanctioned for new construction and including already operational under JANMAN, which includes 38 new AWCs and 20 already operational AWCs during FY 2023-24, and 32 new AWCs for FY 2024-25.

(ii) **Mission Shakti:** It comprises of two verticals ‘**Sambal**’ and ‘**Samarthya**’ for safety, security and empowerment of women, respectively.

(a) **Sambal** - The following schemes have been included under the Sambal vertical: **One Stop Centres (OSC)** - for providing integrated support and assistance to women affected by violence and those in distress, both in private and public spaces in a convergent and coordinated manner under one roof; **Women Helplines (181-WHL)** is a 24 x 7 x 365 toll-free emergency/non-emergency response system that is integrated with ERSS (112) and other existing helplines/institutions; **Beti Bachao Beti Padhao (BBBP)** - launched with an aim to address declining Sex Ratio at Birth (SRB) and related issues of empowerment of girls and women over a life cycle continuum; **Nari Adalat** - an initiative aimed at empowering women by ensuring justice and to offer services such as alternate dispute resolution, grievance redressal, counselling, evidence-based decision-making, pressure group tactics, negotiation, mediation, and reconciliation.

(b) **Samarthya** - The following schemes have been included under ‘Samarthya’ vertical: **Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojana (PMMVY)** - a Centrally Sponsored Maternity Benefit Scheme under which cash incentives flow to the beneficiaries in Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) mode for the first child and the second girl child; **Ujjwala and Swadhar Greh (renamed as Shakti Sadan)** - an Integrated Relief and Rehabilitation Home for women in distress situations including trafficked women; **Working Women Hostel (renamed as Sakhi Niwas)** - to promote availability of safe and conveniently located accommodation for working women in urban, semi-urban and also in rural areas where employment opportunities for women exist; **National Hub for Empowerment of Women (NHEW)** - to facilitate intersectoral convergence of schemes and programs meant for women at National level, State/ UT level and district level and **National Creche Scheme (renamed as Palna)** that aims to increase the participation of women in work force in the economy by providing quality crèche facility in safe and secure environment for children.

(iii) **Mission Vatsalya:** Mission Vatsalya includes the Integrated Child Protection Scheme (ICPS) for better outreach and protection for children in need and care in a mission mode with the objective to: (i) Support and sustain Children in difficult circumstances. (ii) Develop context-based solutions for holistic development of children from varied backgrounds. (iii) Provide scope for encouraging innovative solutions, (iv) Cement convergent action.

(c) The details of funds released under the aforesaid schemes for the State of Odisha during the last five years is **annexed at Annexure I.**

(d) The details of beneficiaries under the schemes of the Ministry are not maintained district-wise. The details of beneficiaries under the aforesaid schemes in State of Odisha is **annexed at Annexure II.**

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**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) OF THE RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2240 FOR ANSWER ON 19.03.2025 ASKED BY SMT. MAMATA MOHANTA REGARDING 'DEVELOPMENTAL SCHEMES FOR WOMEN AND CHILDREN IN ODISHA'**

**Details of funds released under schemes of the Ministry for the State of Odisha during the last five years**

(Rs. in Lakhs)

S.No	Mission	Scheme	Funds released				
			FY 2019-20	FY 2020-21	FY 2021-22	FY 2022-23	FY 2023-24
1.	Mission Saksham Anganwadi & POSHAN 2.0	Mission Saksham Anganwadi & POSHAN 2.0	86066.00	85868.00	106598.00	92392.00	96880.00
		PM-JANMAN	-	-	-	-	696.00
2.	Mission Vatsalya (erstwhile Integrated Child Protection Scheme)		3541.66	3302.54	4019.15	3755.49	6028.17
3.	Mission Shakti – Sambal	Beti Bachao Beti Padhao	258.64	21.97	115.62	410	0*
		One Stop Centre	209.35	931.55	739.31	614.67	108.49
		Women Help Line	34.08	96.25	47.37	45.00	54.15
4.	Mission Shakti – Samarthya	Shakti Sadan (erstwhile Swadhar Greh and Ujjawala)	432.73	743.96	473.83	132.81	246.00
		Sakhi Niwas (erstwhile Working Women Hostel)	0.00 \$	0.00 \$	0.00 \$	0.00 \$	0.00 \$
		Palna	0.00^	0.00^	0.00^	0.00 @	0.00 @
		Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojana	0.00 @	0.00 @	0.00 @	0.00 @	0.00 @

\* No funds released due to non fulfilment of SNA compliances by State and unspent balance being more than 12.5% of the annual allocation

\$ No demand raised by the State Government

@ Scheme not implemented

^ Scheme not started

**Annexure-II**

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**Details of beneficiaries under schemes of the Ministry in the State of Odisha**

S.No	Mission	Scheme	Number of Beneficiaries			
			Beneficiary children (below the age of 6 years)	Pregnant women	Lactating mothers	Adolescent Girls
1.	Mission Saksham Anganwadi & POSHAN 2.0					
		Saksham Anganwadi & POSHAN 2.0	3577263	283576	224519	276793
		PM-JANMAN	1240	107	58	-
2.	Mission Vatsalya (erstwhile Integrated Child Protection Scheme)		<b>Children in Child Care Institutions</b>		<b>Children in Non-Institutional Care</b>	
			4431		3697	
3.	Mission Shakti – Sambal	One Stop Centre	352018			
		Women Help Line	54996			
4.	Mission Shakti – Samarthya	Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojna	Not yet implemented			
		Shakti Sadan (erstwhile Swadhar Greh and Ujjawala)	9831			
		Sakhi Niwas (erstwhile Working Women Hostel)	425			
		Palna	Not yet implemented			