

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

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 3609
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21/03/2025**

ESTABLISHMENT OF AIIMS IN MANIPUR

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

- (a) whether there is any proposal or consideration to establish an All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) in Manipur, if so, the details thereof;
- (b) whether there is any plan to upgrade the Regional Institutes of Medical Sciences (RIMS), Imphal into an AIIMS; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof along with the proposed timeline for implementation?

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI PRATAPRAO JADHAV)**

(a) to (c) Under Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojana (PMSSY), till date establishment of 22 All India Institutes of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) has been approved in various States/UTs in the country including one AIIMS in the north east region at Guwahati (Assam), which is functional. In the current phase of PMSSY, there is no proposal for establishment of a new AIIMS in Manipur. Further, new AIIMS are set up as Institutes of National Importance under AIIMS Act. All AIIMS are greenfield projects and there is no provision to upgrade an existing Institute into AIIMS under the Act.
