

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:216
ANSWERED ON:24.07.2000
SHORTAGE OF BEDS IN HOSPITALS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether there is acute shortage of beds in hospitals of Central Government and Government of NCT of Delhi in Delhi;
- (b) if so, the details of additional requirement of beds in each hospitals; and
- (c) the steps taken/proposed to be taken to increase the bed capacity?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (PROF. RITA VERMA)

(a)to(c): There is no acute shortage of beds in Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital, Safdarjung Hospital, LHMC & Associated Hospitals and NDMC Hospitals. Since there is no restriction on admission, Seasonal shortage of beds may be noticed sometimes for which sharing of beds/floor beds are resorted to. There is a proposal for addition of 150 beds in Kalavati Saran Children Hospital, New Delhi in a phased manner.

However, the Government of NCT of Delhi has informed that there is shortage of beds in the Hospitals under their control. The Government of NCT of Delhi has proposed to increase the bed capacity as at Annexure-I.

ANNEXURE-I

S.No.	Name of Hospital	Proposed Beds
1.	Lok Nayak	500
2.	GB Pant	120
3.	GTB	150
4.	Guru Nanak Eye Centre	28
5.	Aruna Asaf Ali	60
6.	Super Speciality Hospital at Thairpur	650
7.	Super Speciality Hospital at Janak Puri	300
8.	Trauma Centre at DDU Hospital, Hari Nagar	140
9.	Paediatric Super Speciality Hospital, Geeta Colony	150
10.	General Hospital at Shastri Park	100
11.	Dr. Hadgover Arogya Sansthan, Karkadooma	200
12.	Maharishi Valmiki Hospital, Puthkhurd	100
13.	General Hospital, Nerala	200
14.	General Hospital, Pitampura	100
15.	Sanjya Gandhi Memorial Hospital, Mangol Puri	75
16.	Dr.B.R.Ambedkar, Rohini	500
17.	500 bedded at Dwarka	500