

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

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VACCINATION FOR HEPATITIS 'A' VIRUS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has any plan to launch mass vaccination in children against Hepatitis A Virus (HAV) all over the country; and

(b) if so, when and if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a) No, Sir. Hepatitis A is not a part of Routine Immunization.

(b) In view of above question does not arise.