

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

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AVAILABILITY OF BASIC MEDICINES IN HOSPITALS  
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**Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government has received complaints regarding many hospitals in Delhi not having basic medicines required for burn injuries;
- (b) whether many hospitals in Delhi do not have burn wards or existing burn wards are sometimes shut down;
- (c) if so, whether the recent bomb blast victims in Delhi were asked to purchase medicines from outside and the amount in majority of the cases has not been reimbursed; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the reaction of the Government thereto?

**Answer**

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

(a) to (d): Well-equipped facilities are available to treat the burn patients in Safdarjung Hospital, Dr.R.M.L.Hospital and Lok Nayak Jai Prakash Hospital in Delhi. Facilities are also available to treat burn injury patients in Guru Teg Bahadur Hospital and Deen Deyal Upadhaya Hospital under the supervision of Surgical discipline.

So far as the Central Government Hospitals are concerned, appropriate medicines were provided to the victims of Bomb Blast.