

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

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BAN ON USE OF MOBILE PHONES IN HOSPITALS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to ban use of mobile phone by Junior Residents, Senior Residents, Technicians, Doctors , Specialists and Heads of Departments during treatment and operation of patients in various hospitals in the country including Safdarjung Hospital ; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (DR.ANBUMANI RAMADOSS)

(a) & (b) At present there is no proposal to ban the use of mobile phones in hospitals by Junior Residents, Senior Residents, Technicians, Doctors, Specialists and Head of Department during treatment and operation of patients in various hospitals in the country including Safdarjung Hospital.