

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1105
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DENTAL COLLEGES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of dental colleges in Government and Private Sectors separately at present in the country, State-wise;
- (b) the number of seats available in the Private unaided Dental Colleges in each State;
- (c) the number of seats which remained vacant in each State during 2004-05 and 2005-06 and the reasons therefore; and
- (d) the time by which the seats are likely to be filled?

Answer

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

- (a) The information is given in Annexure-I.
- (b) The information is given in Annexure-II.
- (c) & (d): In terms of the orders of the Hon`ble Supreme Court of India in Islamic Academy of Education case, the competent authority of the concerned State Government monitors the entire admission process.

Further, in terms of the schedule appended to the guidelines issued by the Central Government on 14.05.2003, in pursuance of the direction issued by the Hon`ble Supreme Court of India in Madhu Singh case, the last date for completion of the admission process to BDS Course is 30th September of a given year, and no admission is permitted beyond the said date.

Annexure-I

Statewise number of Dental Colleges in Government and Private Sectors at present in the Country.

State	Government	Private	Total
Andhra Pradesh	2	15	17
Assam	1	0	1
Bihar	1	6	7
Chhattisgarh	1	3	4
Delhi	1	0	1
Goa	1	0	1
Gujarat	2	5	7
Haryana	1	8	9
Himachal Pradesh	1	4	5
Jammu & Kashmir	1	0	1
Karnataka	1	41	42
Kerala	3	9	12
Madhya Pradesh	1	7	8
Maharashtra	4	20	24
Orissa	1	1	2
Pondicherry	1	0	1
Punjab	2	9	11
Rajasthan	1	8	9
Tamil Nadu	1	15	16
Uttar Pradesh	2	21	23
Uttaranchal	0	1	1
West Bengal	2	1	3
Grand Total	31	174	205

Annexure-II

Statewise list of Number of seats in Private Dental Colleges

S. State Name Number of Seats
No. in Private
Dental
Colleges.

1 Andhra Pradesh 1360
2 Bihar 280
3 Chhatisgarh 300
4 Gujarat 380
5 Haryana 660
6 Himachal Pradesh 280
7 Karnataka 2740
8 Kerala 500
9 Madhya Pradesh 620
10 Maharashtra 1690
11 Orissa 60
12 Punjab 720
13 Rajasthan 760
14 Tamil Nadu 1280
15 Uttar Pradesh 2060
16 Uttaraanchal 100
17 West Bengal 100

Total 13890