

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3913

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ENHANCEMENT OF BUDGETARY SUPPORT TO GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS

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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government Hospitals such as Safdarjung and Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia are provided less budgetary support in comparison to that of the All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS);
- (b) if so, the details in this regard alongwith the reasons therefor;
- (c) whether the Government proposes to enhance the budgetary support to the Government Hospitals;
- (d) if so, the details thereof; and
- (e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

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

- (a) & (b) The budgetary allocations to Government hospitals and other Institutes are made keeping in view the schemes and projects approved for implementation during the particular year. No comparison of the budget outlay of these hospitals/institutions is made while allocations are approved in the Annual Budget.
- (c) & (e) Budgetary allocations to these Government Hospitals have also gone up over the years.