

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

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:213  
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STATUS OF APEX HEALTH CARE INSTITUTES  
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**Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:**

- (a) the present status of all Six Apex Healthcare Institutes being set up in Bhopal, Bhubaneswar, Jodhpur, Patna ,Raipur and Rishikesh;
- (b) the details of the budget of each Institute ;
- (c) the expenditure already incurred on these institutes ;
- (d) whether any time schedule has been fixed for completion of all these Institutes; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

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

- (a) The proposal to set up six AIIMS like institutions under the Pradhan Mantri Swasthya Suraksha Yojna has been considered by the Expenditure Finance Committee on 24-11-2004 and will now be placed before the Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs for approval. Pending approval, start-up activities like construction of boundary wall, the process for selection of Project Consultant for providing comprehensive consultancy services and selection of architectural concepts/designs for AIIMS like institution have been started.
- (b) & (c): The tentative cost of setting up each institute comes around Rs.284.50 crores and annual estimated recurring cost on salaries, maintenance etc. , comes to Rs.60 crores per institute. Rs. 6 crores have been spent on boundary wall construction.
- (d) & (e): Yes, Sir. The hospitals are expected to become operational after three years from the date of commencement of construction.