

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

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

- (a) whether any coastal health programme has been incorporated in the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM); and
- (b) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) The National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) has no specific programme on health care in coastal areas. However, the NRHM envisages improving health delivery in all areas, including coastal areas.