

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

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VACANT POSTS OF DOCTORS IN HOSPITALS
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether several posts of expert doctors are lying vacant in Ram Manohar Lohia hospital, Safdarjung hospital and AIIMS, which are under Central Government;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, hospital-wise; and
- (c) the steps being taken by the Government to fill these posts?

Answer

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

(a) & (b) Yes, sir. The number of posts of specialists lying vacant are as follows:

Sr. No. Name of Institute/ Hospital Number of vacant posts

1. AIIMS 138

2. Dr. RML Hospital 13#

3. Safdarjung Hospital 16#

Excluding posts filled on contractual basis.

(c) The AIIMS has advertised 128 vacancies in respect of the Institute. In respect of the Dr. RML and Safdarjung Hospitals, vacancies have been intimated to the UPSC for making necessary recommendations for appointment to these posts. Simultaneously, pending regular appointment on the basis of recommendations of the UPSC, contractual appointments have also been made in Dr. RML and Safdarjung Hospitals.