

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.92
TO BE ANSWERED ON 21ST JUNE,2019**

SHORTAGE OF CADAVERS

92. DR. UMESH G. JADHAV:

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

- (a) whether there is a shortage of human cadavers in the medical institutions for teaching purpose;
- (b) if so, the details thereof in public and private institutions; and
- (c) the steps taken by the Government in this regard?

**ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND
FAMILY WELFARE
(SHRI ASHWINI KUMAR CHOUBEY)**

(a) to (c): MCI regulations prescribe for having mandatory cadavers in medical colleges / institutions for teaching purpose. However, no data regarding shortage of human cadavers for medical education in the country is maintained centrally.