GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OFHEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE **RAJYA SABHA**

QUESTION NO27.08.2001

ANSWERED ON

DISTRICT MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMME.

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Will the Minister of POWERTOURISM AND CULTUREHEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state :-

- (a) whether a District Mental Health Programme is under operation since 1996;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) whether Government have proposed to increase the number of districts as well as States under the scheme?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

(a) to (c) The District Mental Health Programme under the National Mental Health Programme launched in 1996-97 on a pilot basis and is presently being implemented in 25 districts spread over 20 States and Union Territories. More districts will be covered under the programme on the basis of willingness of the State/Union Territory Governments and availability of funds. A statement showing details of the Districts/States where District Mental Health Programme is being implemented is placed as Annexure.

ANNEXURE

STATEMENT SHOWING DETAILS OF DISTRICTS/STATES WHERE DISTRICT MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMME IS BEING IMPLEMENTED

STATE/DISTRICT/NODAL INSTITUTE Andhra Pradesh Medak Distt. - Institute of Mental Health, Hyderabad Vizianagaram Distt-Govt. Hospital for Mental Care, Vizhakapatnam Assam Nagaon and Goalpara Distts- Guwahati Medical College NE Rajasthan Seekar Distt- SMS Medical College, Jaipur Tamil Nadu Ttrichy, Ramanathapuram and Madurai Distts - Institute of Mental Health, Chennai Arunachal Pradesh Naharlagun Distt - Govt. Hospital, Naharlagun NE Haryana Kurukshetra Distt - Pt. B D Sharma PGIMS, Rohtak Himachal Pradesh Bilaspur Distt - I.G. Medical College, Shimla Punjab Muktsar Distt - Medical College, Amritsar Madhya Pradesh Shivpuri Distt - Manasik Arogyashala, Gwalior Maharashtra Raigad Distt - Instt. of Mental Health, Pune Uttar Pradesh Kanpur Distt - KG Medical College, Lucknow Kerala Thiruvananthapuram Distt - Mental Health Centre, Tvm. Trissur Distt.- Mental Health Centre, Thrissur West Bengal Bankura Distt - State Mental Health Authority Gujarat Navsari Distt - Civil Hospital, Navsari Goa: South Goa Distt. Mizoram Aizoram Distt - Distt. Hospital, Aizawl (DHS) NE Chandigarh (UT) Distt. Hospital (DHS) Manipur Imphal East Distt - State Mental Health Authority NE Delhi Chhatarpur Vill. (BJJRH Jehangir) - IHBAS Daman & Diu (UT) of Daman & Diu

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