

**GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY**  
**O/o THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR (PUBLIC HEALTH),**  
**PUDUCHERRY**

The Office of the Deputy Director (Public Health), Puducherry is supervising and controlling 27 Primary Health Centres – 12 Urban & 15 Rural Primary Health Centres and 51 Sub-centres – 18 Urban and 33 Rural Sub-centres. These centres are providing essential health care services to the public and implementing all National Health Programmes.

The following are the activities of the Office of the Deputy Director (Public Health), Puducherry.

1. Implementing various preventive and curative Health care programmes through Primary Health Centres and Sub-centres in Puducherry region.
2. The Deputy Director (Public Health), Puducherry is the Nodal Officer for U.T. of Puducherry for the Integrated Disease Surveillance Project.
3. The Deputy Director (Public Health) also function as District Registering Authority for Puducherry District under Clinical Establishment Act, 2010 and issue licenses to all Private and Government hospitals and other clinical establishments in Puducherry District as per Rules and Regulations of CEA 2010.

**Implementation of Health care programmes:**

The PHCs in Puducherry region cover about 7.80 lakh population and over 25.15 lakh patients utilize the facilities annually. Out of 27 PHCs, 15 are functioning 24 hours (7 Urban & 8 Rural). 2 PHCs at Bahour & Villianur are functioning 24 hours with Medical Officers. Regarding Nursing facility, 15 Centres are functioning round the clock, 6 Centres are functioning in two shifts (08.00 A.M. to 02.00 P.M. and 02.00 P.M. to 08.00 P.M.) and the remaining 6 Centres are functioning in single shift (08.00 A.M. to 02.00 P.M.) Lab facilities are made available in all the PHCs in Puducherry region. Eye, Dental and General awareness camps were conducted in the PHCs.

**Achievements during the year 2016-17:**

New building (own) was inaugurated on 18.08.2016 for Sub-centre at Nallavadu in Puducherry Commune.

At present, Health care facilities are provided to rural population through 15 Primary Health Centres and 33 Sub-centres (including at Thondamanatham) and urban population through 12 Primary Health Centres and 18 Sub-centres in Puducherry



region. All the Primary Health Centres and 33 Sub-centres are functioning in Govt. building and the remaining Sub-centres are in rented / rent free building in Puducherry region. Ambulance facilities are available in all the Primary Health Centres of Puducherry region. Anti-Rabies vaccines, Anti-snake venom and Insulin injections are made available in all the Primary Health Centres. Staff quarters are available in 19 Primary Health Centres and 26 Sub-centres in Puducherry region.

In the PHCs of Puducherry region, Out-patients and In-patients were treated during the years 2016-17 as detailed below.

<b>PHCs in Puducherry region</b>	<b>2016-17</b>
Out-patient	1738063
In-patient	9970
<b>Total Patients</b>	<b>1748033</b>
Value of medicines used	426,32,924.62
Average cost of medicines issued per patient	24.38
Hypertension patients	3805
Diabetes patients	4073

No. of Institutional Cases & Deaths due to Principal communicable diseases reported in the UT of Puducherry:

<b>Year</b>	<b>Cases</b>	<b>Deaths</b>
<b>2016 - 2017</b>	1014801	71

No. of Institutional Cases & Deaths due to Principal Non-communicable diseases reported in the PHCs of Puducherry region:

<b>Year</b>	<b>Cases</b>	<b>Deaths</b>
<b>2016 - 2017</b>	590270	Nil

Report on value of Medicine and consumables issued for 2016-17:

<b>Year</b>	<b>Patent (₹)</b>	<b>Non-patent (₹)</b>	<b>Surgical (₹)</b>	<b>Total (₹)</b>
<b>2016-17</b>	329,14,811.61	23,96,312.43	73,21,800.59	426,32,924.62



No. of Dog bite cases & ARV used in the U.T. of Puducherry:

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dog bite Cases</b>	<b>ARV used</b>
2016 - 2017	22516	26982

No. of Snake bite cases reported in the PHCs of Puducherry region:

<b>Year</b>	<b>Snake bite Cases</b>
2016 - 2017	1684

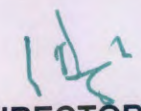
Integrated Disease Surveillance Project:

Under this Project, the Deputy Director (Public Health), Puducherry is designated as State Nodal Officer. The Nodal Officer will help and support the Local Health staff in management of control of the outbreak of diseases. Under this project, reports of all Communicable and Non-Communicable Diseases reports will be received from weekly from all Private and Government Health Institutions and sent to the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India. The reports were analyzed and steps will be taken to prevent occurrences of epidemics of communicable and non-communicable diseases.

Registering of Private and Government Hospitals and other health institutions, clinics, labs, scan centres etc. was done, under Clinical Establishment Act, 2010. The Clinical Establishment Act 2010 has been implemented in the U.T. of Puducherry from May 2014.

No. of Hospitals / Nursing Homes and Labs registered:

<b>Year</b>	<b>No. of Institutions registered</b>		
	<b>Hospitals / Nursing Homes</b>	<b>Labs</b>	<b>Scan Centres</b>
<b>2016-17</b>	92	96	8

  
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