

Ministry of Health & Family Welfare Government of India



Ayushman Bharat Health and Wellness Centres

Transforming India's Primary Health Care System









Ayushman Bharat- Health and Wellness Centres (AB-HWCs)

Health and Wellness Centres aim to provide Comprehensive Health Care Services (CPHC) closer to the community and reduce financial hardship.

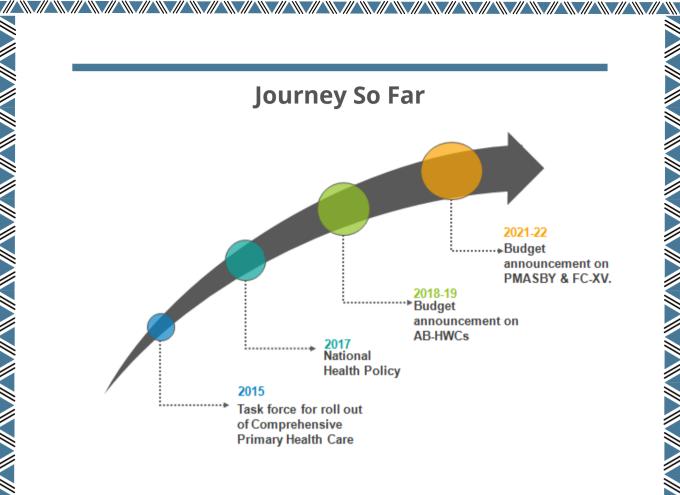


Ayushman Bharat strives for Universal Health Coverage through two inter-related components ; Establishment of **150,000 Health and Wellness Centers (HWCs) by 2022** to provide universal free and quality primary healthcare closer to people's homes and **Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (PM-JAY),** a health insurance cover for poor and vulnerable families.

Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHFW) is transforming existing Sub Health Centres (SHCs), Primary Health Centres (PHCs) and Urban PHCs (UPHCs) across the country into Ayushman Bharat -Health and Wellness Centres (AB-HWCs).

They have been conceptualized to provide Comprehensive Primary Health Care (CPHC), which ensures the highest possible level of health and well-being at all ages, through a set of preventive, promotive, curative and rehabilitative services.

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In 2017, the National Health Policy was launched, which not only the recommendations accepted of the Task for Force Primary Health Comprehensive Care and endorsed the establishment of Health & Wellness Centres (HWCs), but also stated that two-thirds of the budget be allocated to primary health care.

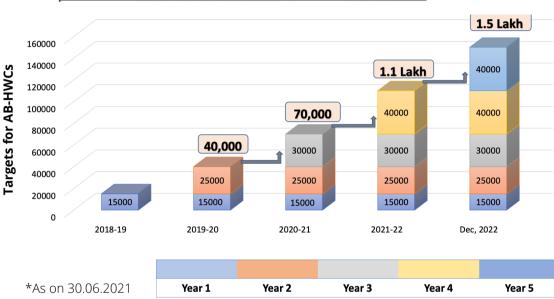
In the budget speech for Financial Year 2018-19, the **Ayushman Bharat Health & Wellness Centres Programme was announced.**

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Ayushman Bharat Health and Wellness Centres - Target Vs Achievement

 Achievement
 17,149 (2018-19)
 38,595 (2019-20)
 74,947 (2020-21)
 76,588* (2021-22)





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Source: https://ab-hwc.nhp.gov.in/home/

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Equitable, Efficient and Effective Health Care



- Provide universal access to free primary health care services : Including essential medicines and diagnostics.
- **Promote wellness and prevent illness**: Platform for physical activity, yoga, healthy diets, and regular screening.
- **Strengthen accountability**: Active engagement of community collectives : Jan Arogya Samities.
- **Provide first contact care close to people's homes:** Reduce patient hardship.
- Enable treatment adherence and follow-up: Early detection of complications.
- Enhance Continuum of Care: Two way referral systems between all levels of care.
- **Expand access to higher level care**: Use of telemedicine to bridge access barriers.

| Team at Ay | yushman Bharat- Wellness Centres | |
|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | At every PHC | Primary Health |
| 1 PHC | MBBS MO | Centre (PHC) for |
| | Other staff as | 30,000 population |
| | per IPHS Norms | (20,000 population |
| | | in hilly/tribal/desert areas) |
| | At every SHC | One Sub Health |
| 1 Community Health Office5 SHC2 / 3 Multi Purpose Worke | 1 Community | Centre (SHC) for |
| | Health Officer | 5,000 population |
| | | (3,000 population in |
| | Purpose workers | hilly/tribal/desert |
| | 5 ASHAs | areas) |

Who is a Community Health Officer (CHO)?

The primary healthcare team at the Sub Health Centre level AB-HWCs is headed by a Community Health Officer (CHO) - who is a B.Sc./GNM Nurse or an Ayurveda Practitioner, trained and accredited in an approved Certificate Programme in Community Health.

Primary Health Care Team

The CHO heads the team of Multi-Purpose Workers (Male and Female) and Accredited Social Health Activists (ASHAs).

Comprehensive Health Care Services (CPHC) at AB-HWCs

Promotive Healthcare

- Eat Right
 - Fit India Movement
- Yoga / Wellness activities

Continued Thrust on

- RMNCAH+N service delivery-SRH Services
- Communicable
 Diseases increased
 surveillance for TB,
 Leprosy, Vector Borne

Preventive Healthcare

- Screening / follow-up
- Hypertension,
 Diabetes,
- 3 common cancers oral, breast and cervical cancer



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Moving from Selective Primary Care to Comprehensive Primary Health Care



Neonatal and Infant

Health Care Services

birth

Care in

Pregnancy

and Child-

Childhood and Adolescent Health Care Services

Reproductive Health Services including Family Planning -Contraceptive Services and Counselling



Management of Communicable Diseases



General Out-patient Care for Acute Simple Illnesses and Minor Ailments

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Screening, Prevention, Control and Management of Noncommunicable Diseases and Chronic Communicable diseases



Basic Oral Health Care



Care for Common Ophthalmic and ENT Problem



Elderly and Palliative Health Care Services



Emergency Medical Services including Burns and Trauma

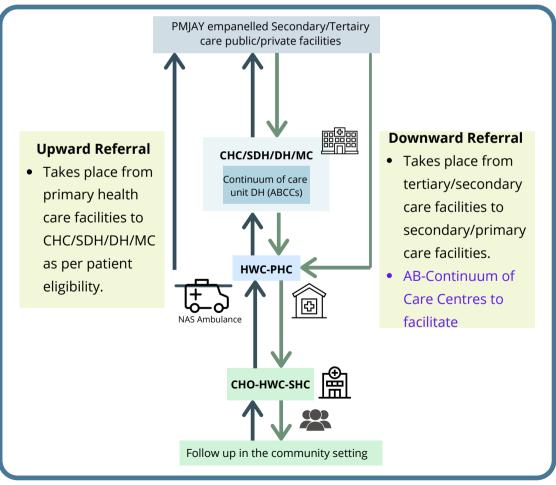


Screening and Basic Management of Mental Health Ailments



Bi-directional Referral and Return Linkages for Continuum of Care with AB-Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojna (PMJAY)

Ayushman Bharat, which is India's path to Universal Health Care, is designed to ensure Continuum of Care between Health and Wellness Centres (HWC), providing universal, free Comprehensive Primary Health Care, through community-based outreach and out-patient care and the Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (PMJAY) that **provides secondary and tertiary hospitalization care, to 40% of poor and marginalized population.**



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HWCs During COVID-19

COVID-19 showed the high potential of primary health care teams in AB-HWC. These teams :

- Ensured community awareness and reducing vaccine hesitancy.
- Promoted COVID appropriate behaviour including vaccination.
- Enabled contact tracing and enhanced surveillance.
- Facilitated access to testing.
- Supported isolation and quarantine facilities.





Between February 2020 and June 2021, 47,297 AB-HWCs were made functional and received footfalls of over 43.58 lakhs of which 53% were women.

Over 8.01 crore screenings were done for hypertension and over 6.47 crores for diabetes.

The teams at HWCs ensured uninterrupted access to essential health services, especially for mothers and children.

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Teleconsultation Services at AB-HWCs

Free real-time online consultations with doctors and specialists through e-Sanjeevani

- Over sixty-eight lakh tele-consultations across the country
- More than 31 lakhs of these conducted at the AB-HWCs
- 35 States and UTs providing online consultations

The web-based National Teleconsultation Services ensure access to teleconsultation services with the doctors and specialists closer to the community.

This ensured continued provisioning of essential healthcare services along with consultations for COVID-19 during the pandemic even for remote and hard to reach areas.



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Fifteenth Finance Commission (FC-XV) : New Dimension

Allocation of 70,180 crores to Strengthen Primary Health Care over 5 years (2021-2026)

- FC-XV aims to enable decentralized planning, implementation and delivery of quality primary health care services based on population needs.
- The health grants will be provided to the Local Bodies for the identified Urban and Rural components.
- Grants provided for augmentation of Primary Health Care Infrastructure in Rural and Urban areas.
- Increasing access to healthcare services for the vulnerable and marginalized by setting up of AB-HWCs in the Urban and Rural Areas to address infrastructure gaps.
- Support for setting up diagnostic infrastructure for improved Public Health function and preparedness.



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Above : HWC- Koraput -Odisha (Aspirational District) Left : RAT testing for COVID-19, Turuk District, Sikkim Below : International

Yoga Day Celebrations 2021, Chandigarh



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 Left : Yoga Session with the Youth on World Yoga Day 2021 : Mayurbhanj, Odisha
 Right : Geo-tagged Health and Wellness Centre with location at Balaitha, Bihar
 (This feature is enabled on the AB-HWC application)
 Centre : Menstrual Hygiene Day Awareness Camp at Sub Health Centre - Malda, West-Bengal

Ranking of the States in FY 2020-21

- The process of ranking of the States and UTs began in 2019 and has been streamlined over the period of time.
- The ranking, now done quarterly takes into account the number of AB-HWCs made functional in the State / UT based on the functionality criteria and other parameters.



Functionality Criteria and other parameters include :

- 1. Availability of Human Resource as per norms,
- 2.Completion of stipulated trainings,
- 3. Availability of essential medicines and diagnostic services etc.,

4. Service delivery parameters like initiation of **Population Enumeration**, Initiation of **screening** for all four NCDs (Hypertension, Diabetes, Oral and Breast Cancer),

5. Utilization of the IT application, providing **Tele-consultation services**,

- 6. Conduct wellness activities,
- 7. The monthly and daily **reporting** by these centres on the AB-HWC portal.
- 8. Provision of **performance linked payments** to the CHOs.

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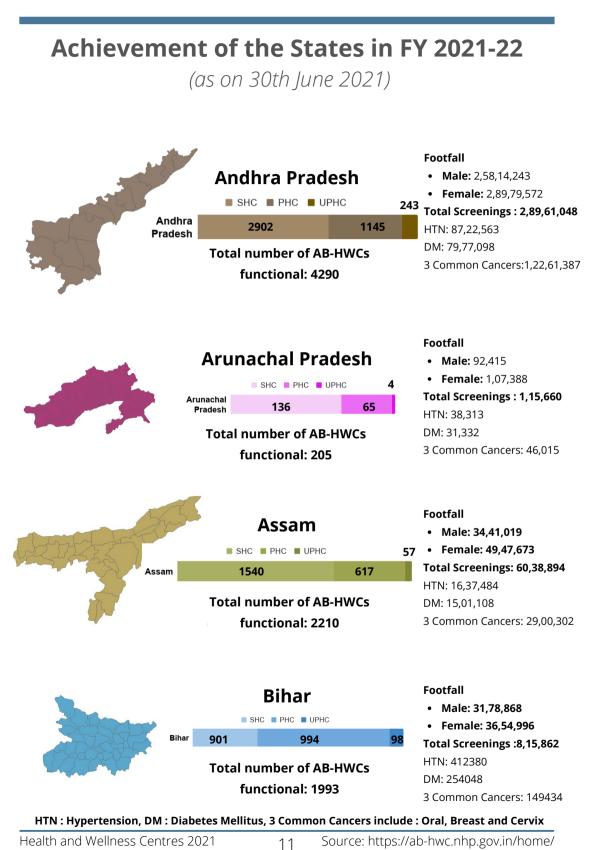
| | Ranking of | the States | | |
|----|-----------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| 6 | P U N J A B | 18 | A R U N A C H A L | P R A D E S H |
| 7 | G O A | 19 | SIKKIM | |
| 8 | M E G H A L A Y A | 20 | HARYANA | |
| 9 | TAMIL NADU | 21 | ODISHA | |
| 10 | MIZORAM | 22 | K E R A L A | |
| 11 | WEST BENGAL | 23 | TELANGANA | |
| 12 | A S S A M | 24 | J H A R K H A N D | |
| 13 | MADHYA PRADES | 25 | MANIPUR | |
| 14 | UTTAR PRADESH | 26 | RAJASTHAN | |
| 15 | HIMACHAL PRAD | ESH 27 | TRIPURA | |
| 16 | U T T A R A K H A N D | 28 | BIHAR | |
| 17 | N A G A L A N D | | | |
| | Ranking of t | he UT*s in | FY 2020-21 | |
| 1 | C H A N D I G A R H | _ | A&N ISLAND | S |
| 2 | PUDUCHERRY | 7 | LADAKH | |
| 3 | DAMAN & DIU | 8 | LAKSHADWE | E P |
| 4 | DADRA & NAGAR | HAVELI | | |
| 5 | JAMMU & KASHN | IIR [*] DI PRI | ELHI HAS NOT IMPLEME DGRAMME | NTED AB-HWCS |

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| | Chhattisgarh | Footfall Male: 64,83,293 Female: 86,99,697 ⁴⁵ Total Screenings: 1,75,11,840 |
|---------------------|--|---|
| Chhattisgarh | 2431 | 627 HTN: 5543546 |
| | Total number of AB-HWCs functional: 3103 | DM: 4803540 3 Common Cancers: 7164754 |
| | Goa shc Phc UPhc | Footfall • Male: 6,00,003 • Female: 6,12,620 |
| Goa | 49 54 | 5 Total Screenings: 2,35,417 |
| | Total number of AB-HWCs functional: 108 | HTN: 67,274 DM: 59,989 3 Common Cancers: 1,08,154 |
| line. | Gujarat | Footfall 316 • Male: 2,34,04,779 |
| Gujarat | | • Female: 2,56,71,345 |
| Gujarat | 4429 14 Total number of AB-HWCs functional: 6214 | 69 Total Screenings: 3,82,87,537 HTN: 1,05,01,845 DM: 95,92,967 3 Common Cancers: 1,81,92,72 |
| 3 | Haryana | Footfall • Male: 58,08,588 • Female: 75,05,280 |
| Haryana | 427 360 | 100 Total Screenings: 37,33,475 HTN: 12,66,771 |
| | Total number of AB-HWCs functional: 887 | DM: 10,82,157 3 Common Cancers: 13,84,54 |
| | Himachal Pradesh | Footfall • Male: 18,24,245 14 • Female: 24,37,162 |
| Himachal Pradesh | 557 /07 | Total Screenings: 18,09,021 |
| | Total number of AB-HWCs functional: 1059 | HTN: 9,48,738 DM: 5,35,485 3 Common Cancers: 3,24,798 |

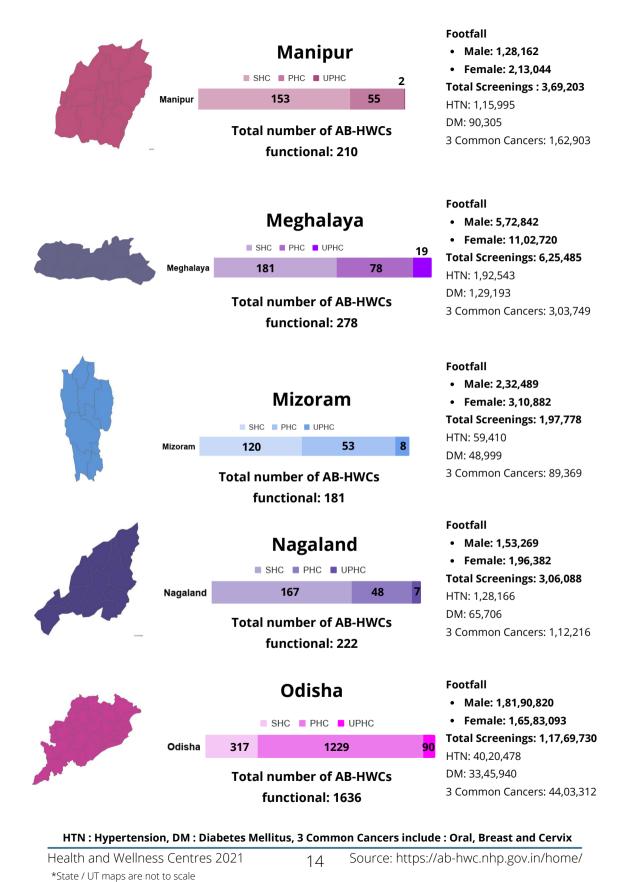
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| • | Jhark | | Footfall • Male: 12,20,388 |
|---|--|---|---|
| Jharkhand 1396 173 Total number of AB-HWCs functional: 1596 | | Female: 18,38,213 Total Screenings: 19,06,712 HTN: 6,10,655 DM: 4,59,393 3 Common Cancers: 8,36,664 | |
| Karnataka | | | Footfall Male: 1,79,81,464 Female: 2,09,89,100 Total Screenings: 1,39,65,360 HTN: 53,78,024 DM: 46,17,077 3 Common Cancers: 39,70,259 |
| (C. | SHC PHC SHC PHC I506 Total number function | UPHC 859 94 of AB-HWCs | Footfall • Male: 1,78,32,417 • Female: 2,12,68,821 Total Screenings: 71,88,497 HTN: 43,52,591 DM: 26,97,892 3 Common Cancers: 1,38,014 |
| Madhya Pradesh | SHC PHC 5089 Total number | Pradesh UPHC 1124 er of AB-HWCs nal: 6357 | Footfall • Male: 1,11,31,322 • Female: 1,42,94,782 Total Screenings: 1,79,11,285 HTN: 55,54,852 DM: 46,89,537 3 Common Cancers: 76,66,896 |
| Maharashtra | SHC PHO | ashtra □ UPHC 4 1824 r of AB-HWCs | Footfall Male: 2,30,06,453 Female: 2,48,88,785 Total Screenings: 6,06,59,500 HTN: 1,70,66,454 DM:1,54,87,083 |
| ~ | Total numbe functior | r of AB-HWCs nal: 8636 | |

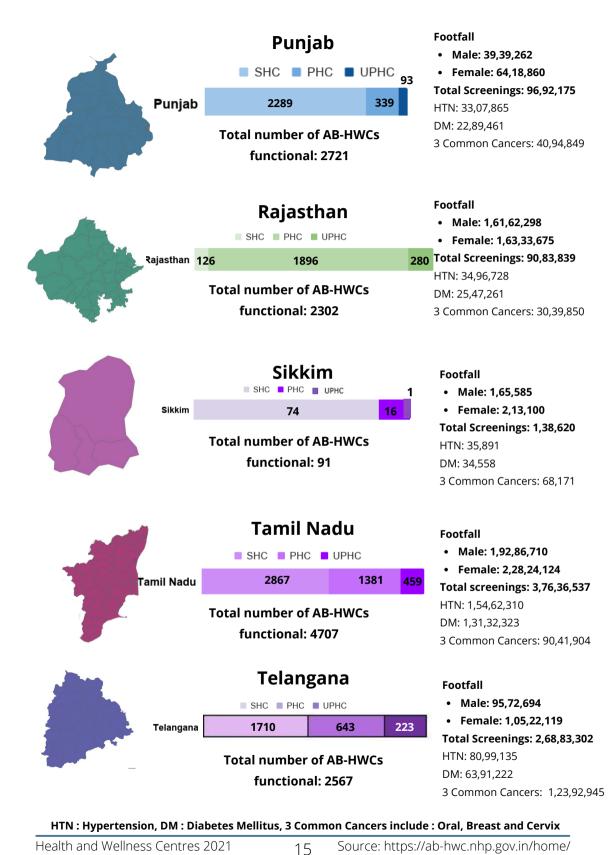
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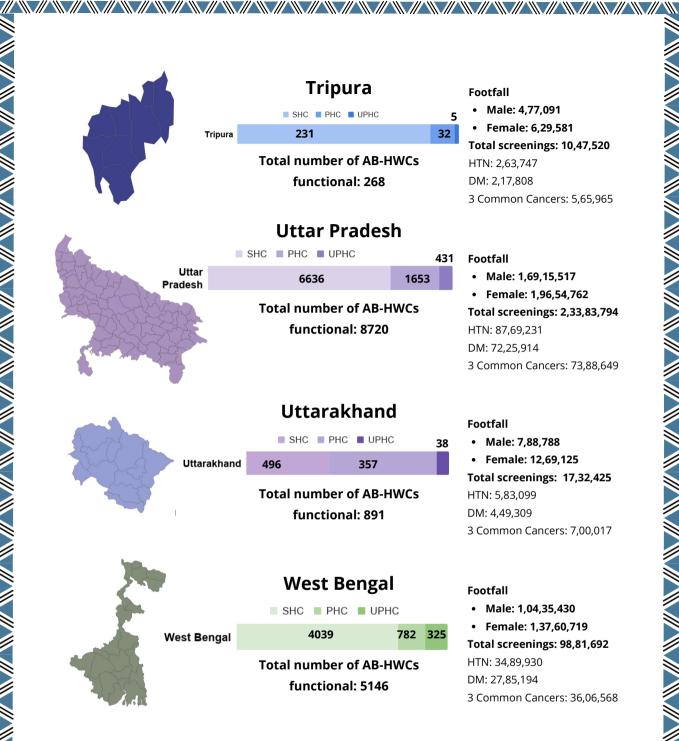
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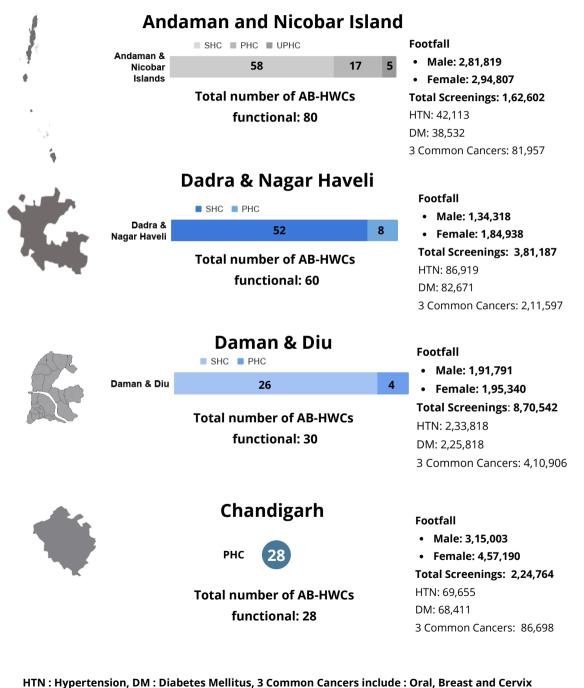
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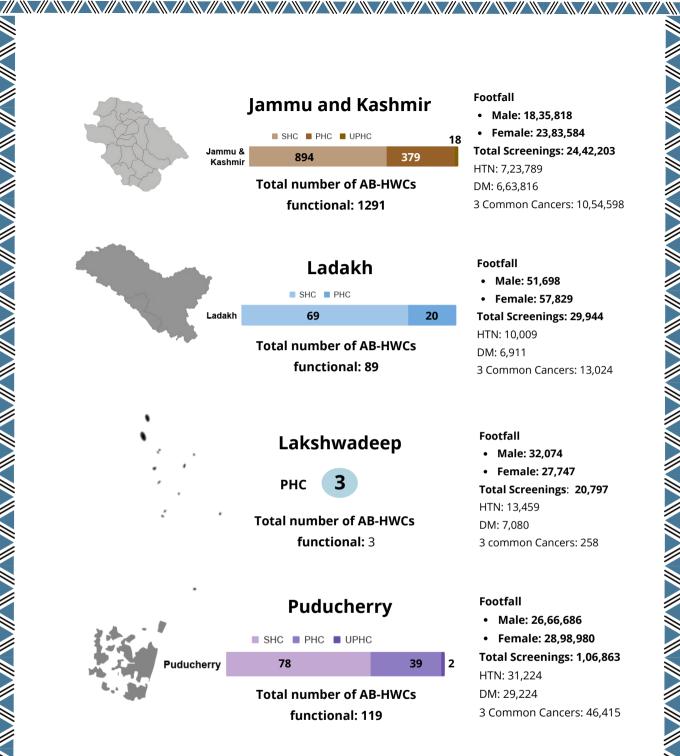
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Achievement of the UTs in FY 2021-22 (as on 30th June 2021)



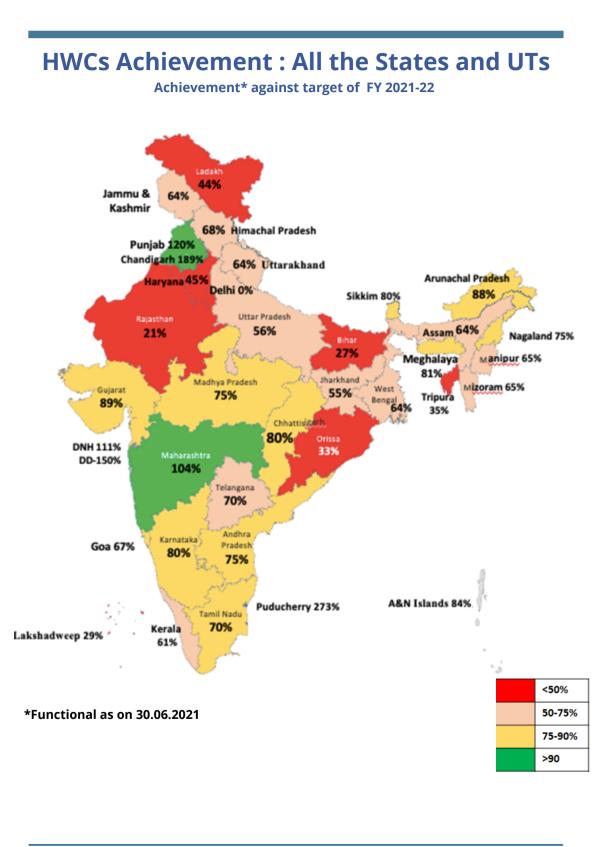
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