



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 closer to the community and reduce financial hardship.

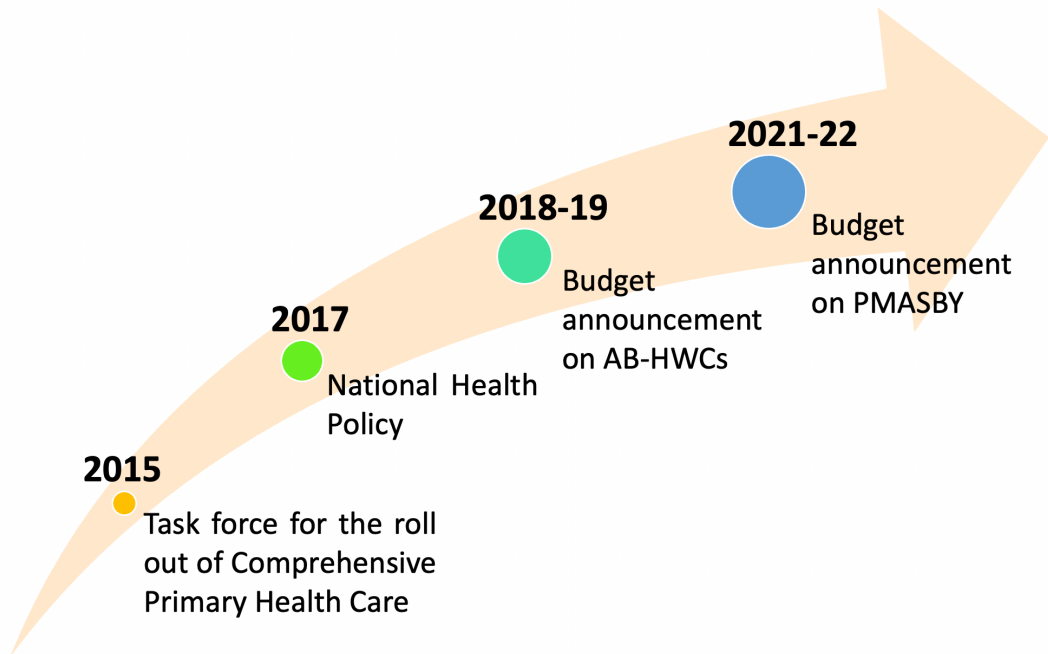


Ayushman Bharat strives for Universal Health Coverage through two inter-related components – establishment of **150,000 Health and Wellness Centers (HWCs) by 2022** to provide free and quality healthcare closer to people's homes and **Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (PM-JAY)**, a health insurance cover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

Journey So Far

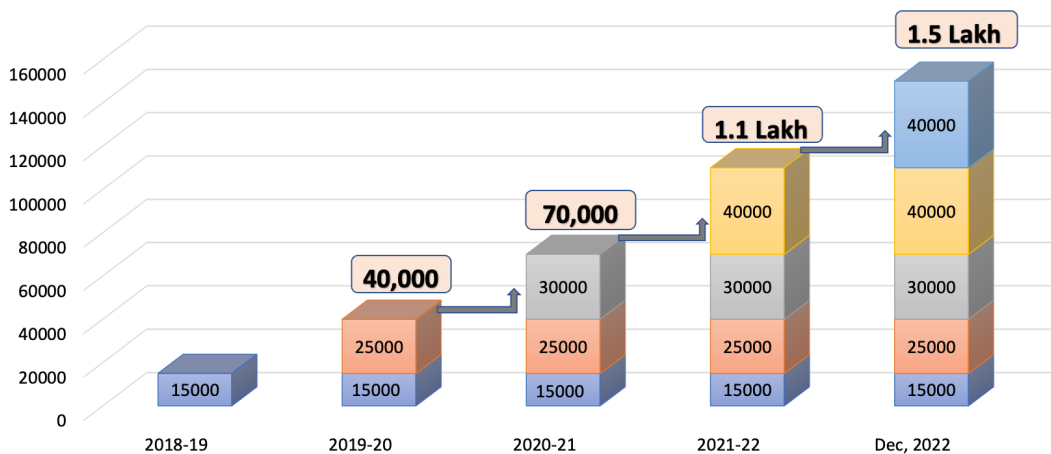


In 2017, the **National Health Policy** was launched, which not only accepted the recommendations of the Task Force for Comprehensive Primary Health Care and endorsed the establishment of Health & Wellness Centres (HWCs), but also stated that two-thirds of the budget be allocated to primary health care.

In the budget speech for Financial Year 2018-19, **an allocation of Rs.1200 crores** was announced for **Ayushman Bharat Health & Wellness Centres**.

Ayushman Bharat Health and Wellness Centres - Target Vs Achievement

Achievement	17,149	38,595	61639*
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*As on 04.03.2021

Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
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Equitable, Efficient and Effective Health Care



- **Provide universal access to free primary health care:** Cashless services, 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 through 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 Ayushman Bharat-Health and Wellness Centres

1 PHC



5 SHC

MBBS MO

Other staff as per IPHS Norms

Primary health centre for **30,000 population** (20,000 population in hilly/tribal/desert areas)

Community Health Officer

Multi Purpose Workers

ASHAs

One Sub-centre for **5,000** population (3,000 population in hilly/tribal/desert 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).

Health Care Services at AB-HWCs

Promotive Healthcare

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

Continued Thrust on

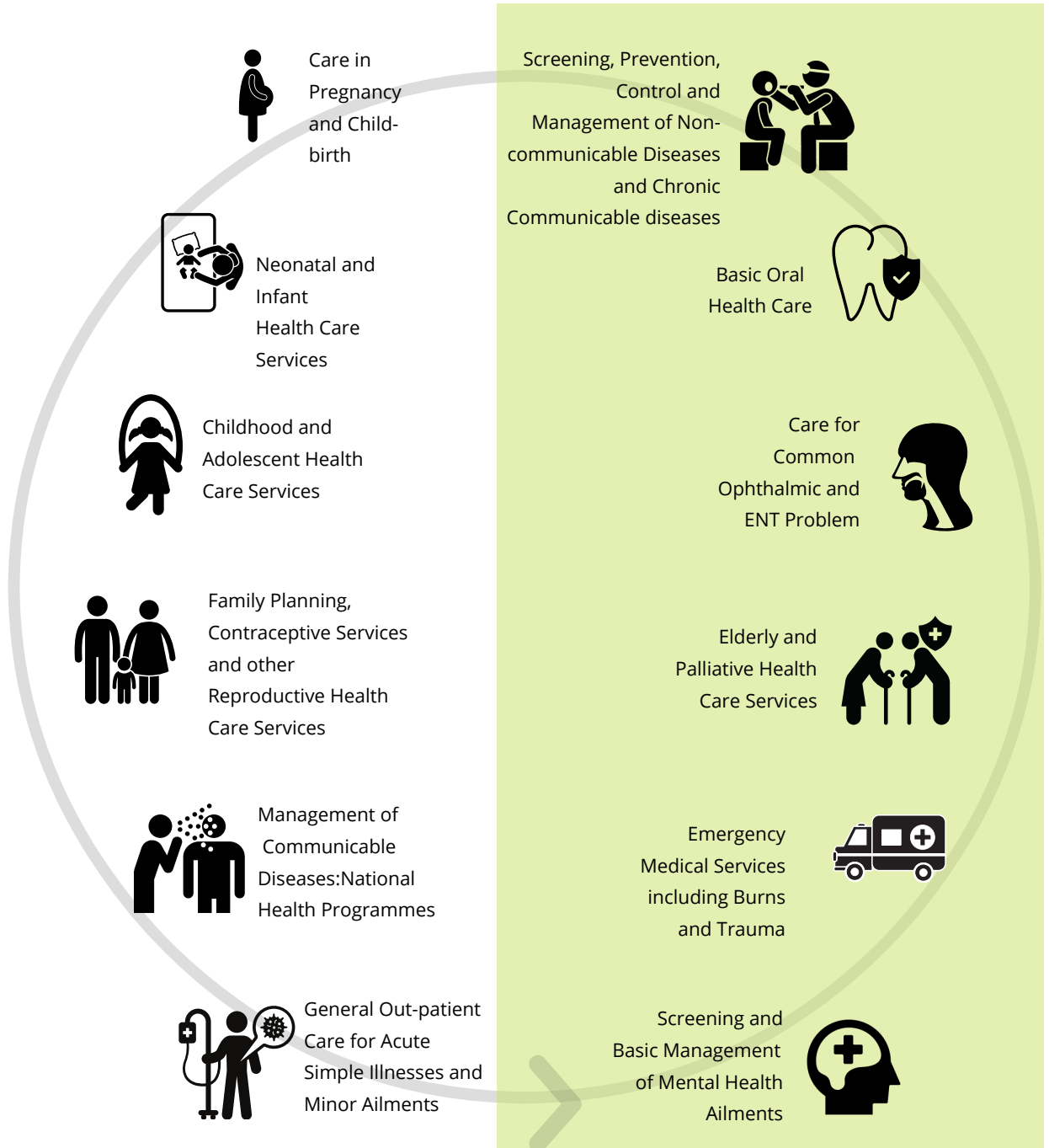
- RMNCAH+N service delivery-SRH Services
- Communicable Diseases – TB, Leprosy, Vector Borne

Preventive Healthcare

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

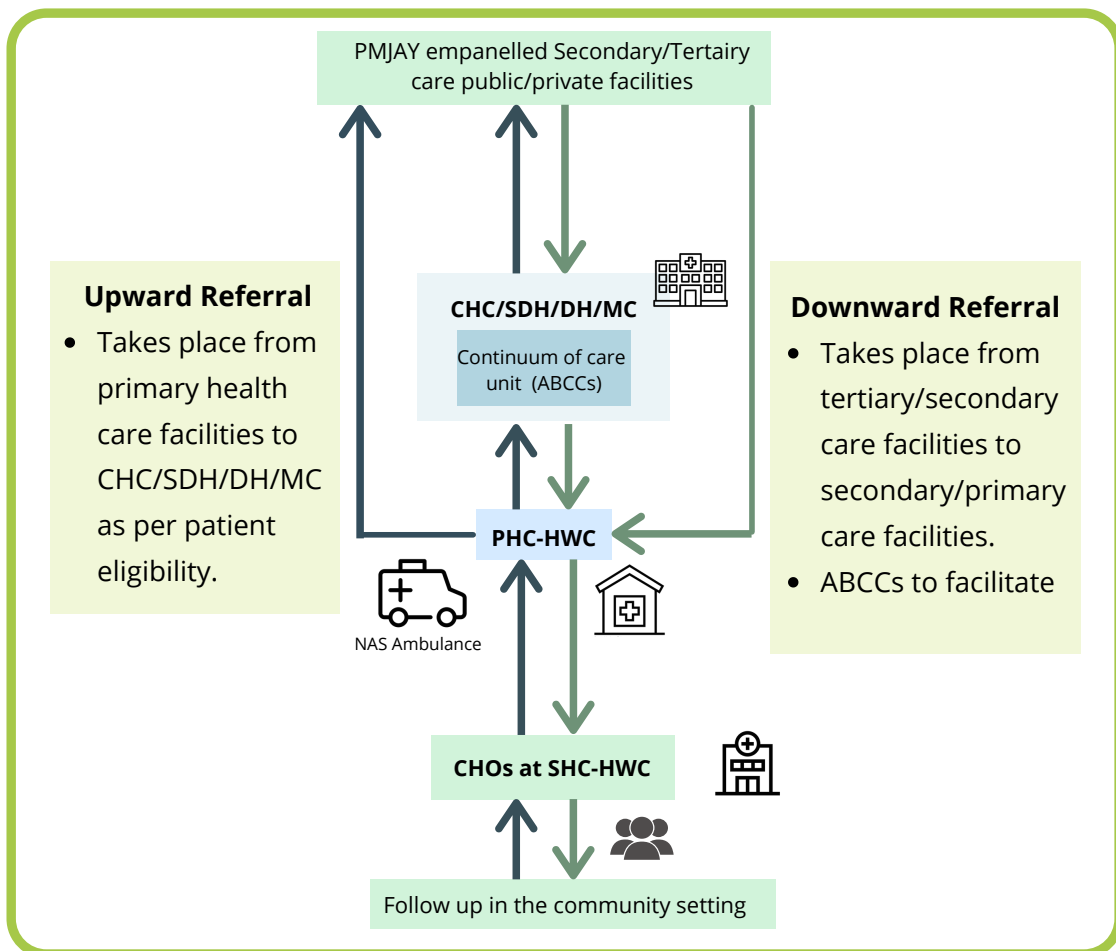


Moving from Selective Primary Care to Comprehensive Primary Health Care



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

Ayushman Bharat, which is India's path to Universal Health Care, is designed to ensure Continuum of Care between Health and Wellness Centres (AB-HWCs), 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.**



AB-HWCs During COVID-19

COVID showed the high potential of primary health care teams in AB-HWCs. The teams :

- Ensured community awareness
- Promoted COVID appropriate behaviour
- Enabled contact tracing and enhanced surveillance
- Facilitated access to testing
- Supported isolation and quarantine facilities



Between February 2020 and March 2021 :

32,061 AB-HWCs were made functional and received footfalls of over **3,013 lakhs** of which 54% were women.

Over **5.46 crore** screenings were done for hypertension and over **4 crores** for diabetes.

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

PM Atmanirbhar Swasth Bharat Yojana (PMASBY)

Impetus to accelerating implementation and benefits of AB-HWCs

- Bridge infrastructure gaps in rural and urban areas
- Consolidate and strengthen rural primary health care
- Expand the number of urban HWCs to deepen Urban Primary Health Care Services
- Strengthen community partnerships in urban areas: Reach Resident Welfare Associations
- Enable the integration of surveillance and other public health functions into primary health care



Achievement of the States in FY 2020-21 (as on 4th March 2021)



Andhra Pradesh



AB-HWCs functional: 3,413

Footfall

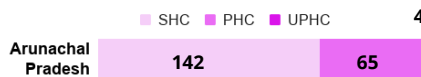
- Male: 2,03,58,252
- Female: 2,30,83,402

Individuals Screened:

62,12,306



Arunachal Pradesh



AB-HWCs functional: 211

Footfall

- Male: 54,521
- Female: 68,143

Individuals Screened:

23,115



Assam



AB-HWCs functional: 1,960

Footfall

- Male: 25,09,044
- Female: 37,13,091

Individuals Screened:

12,15,128



Bihar



AB-HWCs functional: 1,464

Footfall

- Male: 24,87,568
- Female: 28,57,691

Individuals Screened:

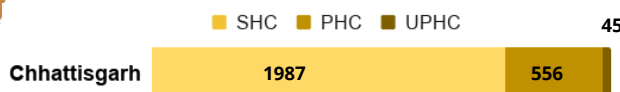
1,53,894

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Chhattisgarh



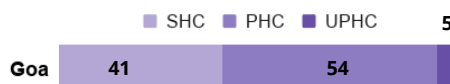
AB-HWCs functional: 2,588

Footfall

- Male: 45,93,561
 - Female: 64,18,696
- Individuals Screened:
35,76,784



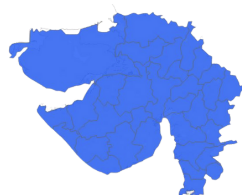
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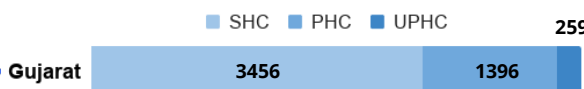
AB-HWCs functional: 100

Footfall

- Male: 4,86,350
 - Female: 5,03,202
- Individuals Screened:
48,369



Gujarat



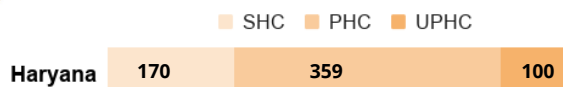
AB-HWCs functional: 5,111

Footfall

- Male: 1,89,14,651
 - Female: 2,10,91,602
- Individuals Screened:
80,73,868



Haryana



AB-HWCs functional: 629

Footfall

- Male: 47,60,482
 - Female: 62,07,939
- Individuals Screened:
9,12,075

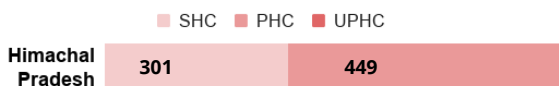
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Himachal Pradesh



AB-HWCs functional: 4,730

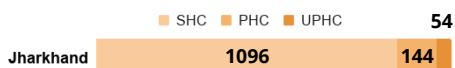
Footfall

- Male: 91,38,106
- Female: 1,18,63,910

Individuals Screened:
38,62,984



Jharkhand

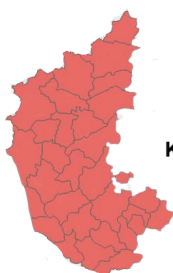


AB-HWCs functional: 1,294

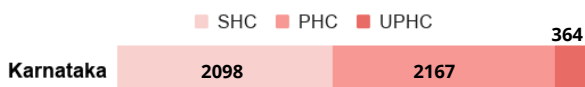
Footfall

- Male: 9,55,042
- Female: 14,60,673

Individuals Screened:
3,74,265



Karnataka



AB-HWCs functional: 4,629

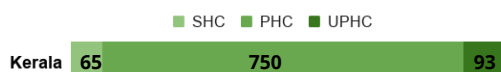
Footfall

- Male: 1,24,35,201
- Female: 1,49,14,797

Individuals screened:
34,22,768



Kerala



AB-HWCs functional: 908

Footfall

- Male: 1,36,80,249
- Female: 1,63,87,993

Individuals Screened:
20,04,317

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Madhya Pradesh



Madhya Pradesh

■ SHC ■ PHC ■ UPHC



AB-HWCs functional: 4,730

Footfall

- Male: 91,38,106
- Female: 1,18,63,910

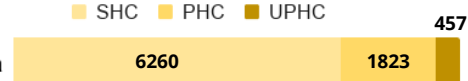
Individuals Screened:
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Maharashtra



Maharashtra

■ SHC ■ PHC ■ UPHC



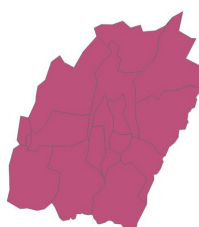
AB-HWCs functional: 8,540

Footfall

- Male: 1,67,63,818
- Female: 1,84,38,700

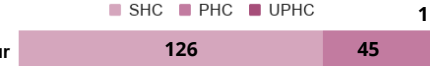
Individuals screened:
1,21,48,529

Manipur



Manipur

■ SHC ■ PHC ■ UPHC



AB-HWCs functional: 172

Footfall

- Male: 1,01,394
- Female: 1,71,565

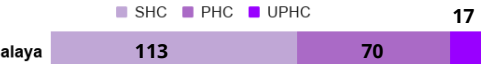
Individuals Screened:
77,328

Meghalaya



Meghalaya

■ SHC ■ PHC ■ UPHC



AB-HWCs functional: 200

Footfall

- Male: 4,33,023
- Female: 8,42,861

Individuals Screened:
1,02,121

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Mizoram



AB-HWCs functional: 119

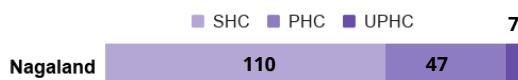
Footfall

- Male: 1,66,144
- Female: 2,23,750

Individuals Screened:
37,885



Nagaland



AB-HWCs functional: 164

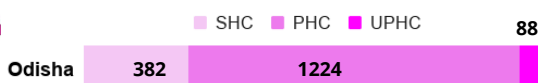
Footfall

- Male: 1,16,066
- Female: 1,51,661

Individuals Screened:
50,192



Odisha



AB-HWCs functional: 1,694

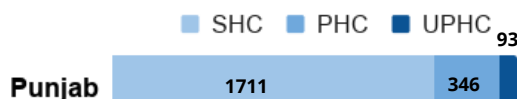
Footfall

- Male: 1,47,40,530
- Female: 1,33,30,695

Individuals Screened:
26,40,875



Punjab



AB-HWCs functional: 2,150

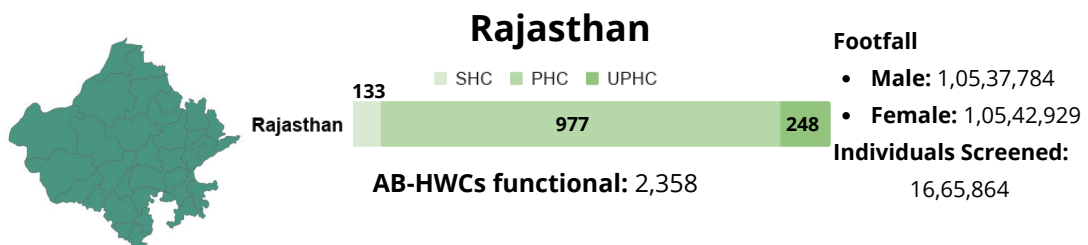
Footfall

- Male: 27,56,272
- Female: 47,78,166

Individuals Screened:
15,87,738

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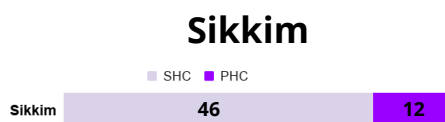
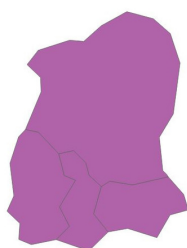


Footfall

- **Male:** 1,05,37,784
- **Female:** 1,05,42,929

Individuals Screened:

16,65,864

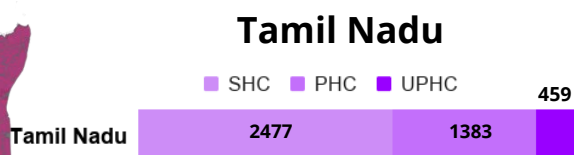


Footfall

- **Male:** 1,35,966
- **Female:** 1,77,170

Individuals Screened:

29,004

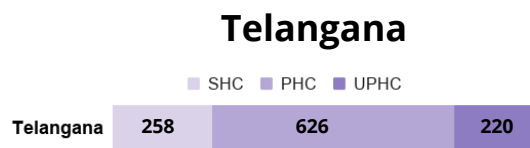


Footfall

- **Male:** 1,30,30,739
- **Female:** 1,57,00,453

Individuals screened:

91,24,166



Footfall

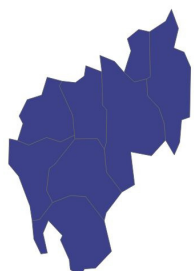
- **Male:** 69,91,410
- **Female:** 77,60,073

Individuals Screened:

59,47,229

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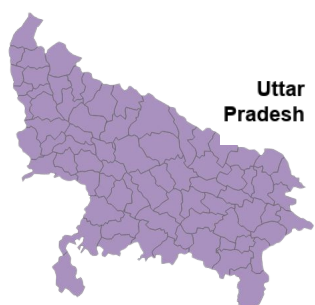


AB-HWCs functional: 291

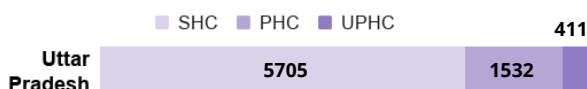
Footfall

- Male: 3,65,234
- Female: 4,95,810

Individuals Screened:
1,52,550



Uttar Pradesh



AB-HWCs functional: 7,648

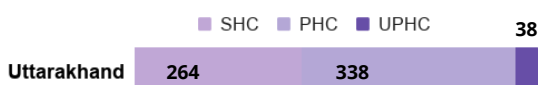
Footfall

- Male: 1,33,42,765
- Female: 1,56,69,555

Individuals Screened:
56,10,497



Uttarakhand



AB-HWCs functional: 640

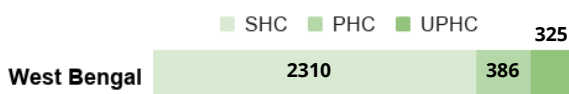
Footfall

- Male: 5,66,187
- Female: 9,60,256

Individuals Screened:
3,40,335



West Bengal



AB-HWCs functional: 3,021

Footfall

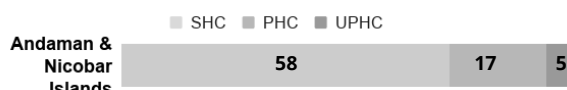
- Male: 47,99,870
- Female: 66,27,970

Individuals Screened:
15,11,511

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Achievement of the UTs in FY 2020-21 (as on 4th March 2021)

Andaman and Nicobar Island



AB-HWCs functional: 80

Footfall

- Male: 2,46,545
- Female: 2,58,252

Individuals Screened:
33,863

Dadra & Nagar Haveli



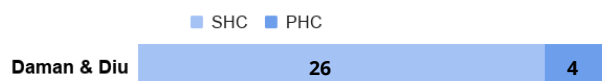
AB-HWCs functional: 60

Footfall

- Male: 1,11,814
- Female: 1,61,952

Individuals Screened:
72,252

Daman & Diu



AB-HWCs functional: 30

Footfall

- Male: 1,64,661
- Female: 1,65,567

Individuals Screened:
1,99,877

Chandigarh



PHC **28**

AB-HWCs functional: 28

Footfall

- Male: 2,25,777
- Female: 3,31,345

Individuals Screened:
55,788

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Achievement of the UTs in FY 2020-21 (as on 4th March 2021)



Jammu and Kashmir



AB-HWCs functional: 982

Footfall

- **Male:** 13,68,384
- **Female:** 17,82,314

Individuals Screened:
4,78,175



Ladakh



AB-HWCs functional: 89

Footfall

- **Male:** 31,148
- **Female:** 35,095

Individuals Screened:
2,767



Lakshwadeep

PHC **3**

AB-HWCs functional: 3

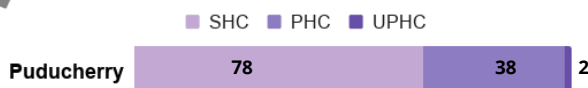
Footfall

- **Male:** 23,551
- **Female:** 20,072

Individuals Screened:
43,717



Puducherry



AB-HWCs functional: 118

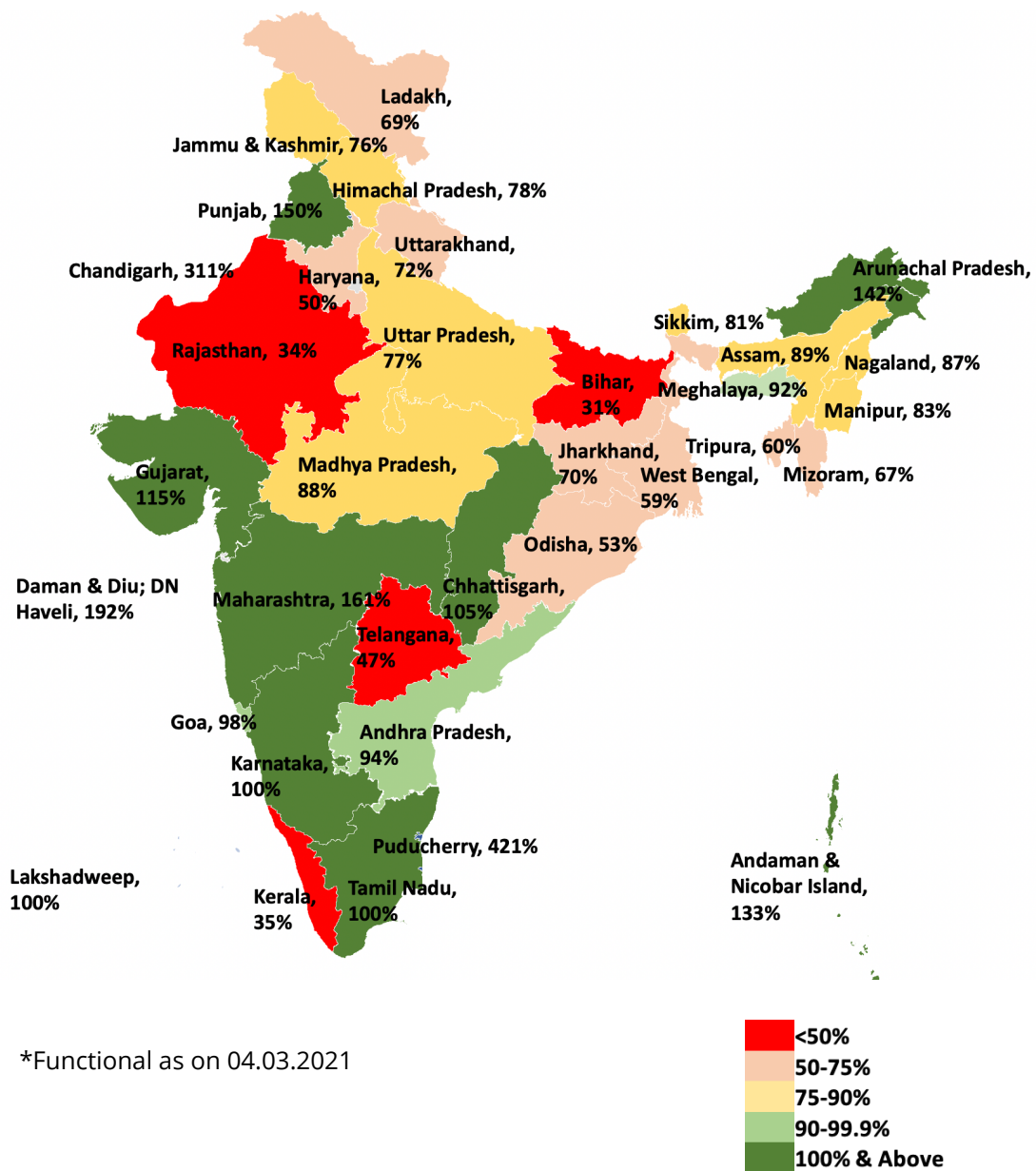
Footfall

- **Male:** 22,60,859
- **Female:** 24,71,475

Individuals Screened:
27,605

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HWCs Achievements against the target for FY 2020-21 : All the States and UTs*





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