


Please find attached herewith LSUQ No. 1273 regarding Dedicated Mental Health Counselling Centers for answer on 28.07.2025. Text of the Question is as follows:

- (a) the total number of Institutes of National Importance having dedicated mental health or counselling centers with full-time professional counsellors or clinical psychologists;
- (b) the total number of such institutes that have implemented a mental-health screening module such as questionnaires or peer-assessment programmes during student induction or periodically;
- (c) the total number of institutes having 24×7 helpline or tele-counselling services, either in-house or via partnerships with platforms like Your DOST or Tele-MANAS;
- (d) whether any centralized audit or annual report is produced to track student uptake, session usage, and impact evaluation across these institutions; and
- (e) whether the Government has any plans to ensure that all Institutes of National Importance comply with minimum mental-health infrastructure standards by 2026?

2. It is requested to furnish the inputs/comments by **5.00 PM today**.


Regards
Firoj Khan
ASO, PN.II
DoHE

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Fri, Jul 25, 2025 at 10:33 AM

Respected Sir please find attached the desired info.

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From: **Meena Agrawal** <oshomeena@gmail.com>

Date: Thu, Jul 24, 2025 at 6:41 PM

Subject: Re: Seeking Inputs for LSUQ No. 1273 regarding Dedicated Mental Health Counselling Centers for answer on 28.07.2025

To: Dr. Shailendra Jain <deansw@manit.ac.in>

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Thanks

With Warm Regards ----

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LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION DATED-28.07.2025

Dedicated Mental Health Counselling Centers

1273. Shri Rahul Kaswan:

Will the Minister of EDUCATION

be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of Institutes of National Importance having dedicated mental health or counselling centers with full-time professional counsellors or clinical psychologists;

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(c) the total number of institutes having 24x7 helpline or tele-counselling services, either in-house or via partnerships with platforms like Your DOST or Tele-MANAS;

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(e) whether the Government has any plans to ensure that all Institutes of National Importance

comply with minimum mental-health infrastructure standards by 2026?

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Sub: Information/ answers for LSUQ No. 1273 regarding dedicated mental health counselling at MANIT Bhopal Madhya Pradesh

Ref: Firoj Khan, ASO, PN.II, DoHE; Seeking Inputs for LSUQ No. 1273 regarding Dedicated Mental Health Counselling Centres

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Information / Answers

- (a) Our institute MANIT Bhopal has dedicated mental health counselling centre with full time professional counsellor Ms. Zeba and online clinical psychologist Dr. Kamlesh from Allahabad.
- (b) At MANIT dispensary, mental health screening modules questionnaires are there, the concerned students are giving their assessments periodically.
- (c) Yes, at MANIT Bhopal, students 24/7 tele counselling service is available through Wellness club and through the online clinical psychologist.
- (d) Students from their first year are taught life skill management subject where the institute Wellness club takes regular mental health awareness sessions, inviting external expert psychologist online as well as offline periodically and for sensitive students' dispensary counsellor is having the track record of the concern students.
- (e) Yet more concerns and plans are essential for providing mental health infrastructure standards.

Dedicated Mental Health Counselling Centers							
Sl. No.	Name of Institutes	Actual Studetns Strength 2024-25	Number of Doctors	Number of Psychiatrist	Number of Professional Counsellors	Any other arrangement	Remarks
3	Bhopal	6827	6	1		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tutor Guardian & Student Mentor Scheme. - Mental Wellbeing Counsellor and Clinical Psychologists - Wellness Club at MANT, Bhopal keeps organizing interactive workshops, counselling sessions, and awareness campaigns. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Routine Yoga, Gym and sports facility available. - Life skill management course for 1st year students.