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Dear Chief Secretary

The POSHAN Abhiyaan – PM's Overarching Scheme for Holistic Nourishment was launched by the Hon'ble Prime Minister on 8th March, 2018. For effective implementation of POSHAN Abhiyaan, Jan Aandolan and Community Mobilisation are the essential components. You are aware that 4th Rashtriya Poshan Maah is being celebrated this month, while adhering to Covid-19 protocols.

2 This year, four basic themes, one for each week, have been identified to celebrate Rashtriya Poshan Maah. In the **third week of September, the emphasis would be on Distribution of Nutrition Kits** comprising of regional nutritious foods along with IEC material to the Anganwadi beneficiaries of High Burdened Districts. **The list of 250 high burden districts is attached herewith.**

3. States may identify the items/products for Nutrition Kit and prepare the same or get it in collaboration private sector out of their CSR activities. Suitably identified local Nutrition Kits should be distributed through AWWs to the beneficiaries. Panchayat will ensure timely distribution of Nutrition Kits to eligible beneficiaries and monitor the activity by holding the meeting of VHSNC.

4. All States/UTs are requested to take up the aforesaid activities specifically during the third week of September 2021. Your kind intervention shall be extremely helpful in promoting **Distribution of Nutrition Kits** among Anganwadi beneficiaries of High Burdened Districts, which is essential for the success of ensuing Rashtriya Poshan Maah 2021 and achieving the vision of "Suposhit Bharat".

With regards,

Encl: As above

(Indevar Pandey)

Yours sincerely,

(Sudhanshu Pandey)

To

Chief Secretaries of States/UTs

Table: High Burden districts on the parameter of wasting (in children under five years) as per NFHS 4 (2015-16)

S.No.	State	District	Wasting Prevalence%	Wasting Burden*
1.	Maharashtra	Thane	29.2	255000
2.	Karnataka	Bangalore	28.9	229000
3.	Bihar	Patna	28.5	226000
4.	Uttar Pradesh	Lucknow	33.6	191000
5.	Gujarat	Ahmadabad	27.1	188000
6.	Maharashtra	Pune	23.4	174000
7.	Maharashtra	Nashik	32	155000
8.	Bihar	Gaya	25.6	153000
9.	Gujarat	Surat	26.2	153000
10.	West Bengal	Barddhaman	25.8	152000
11.	Maharashtra	Mumbai Suburban	20.3	150000
12.	Uttar Pradesh	Jaunpur	27.3	149000
13.	Uttar Pradesh	Allahabad	20	145000
14.	Uttar Pradesh	Kanpur Nagar	24.1	137000
15.	Uttar Pradesh	Rae Bareli	31.4	132000
16.	West Bengal	Paschim Medinipur	28	127000
17.	Bihar	Purba Champaran	18	125000
18.	Karnataka	Belgaum	31.7	125000
19.	West Bengal	South 24 Parganas	20.1	125000
20.	Bihar	Madhubani	19.1	117000
21.	Bihar	Pashchim Champaran	21.7	116000
22.	Bihar	Muzaffarpur	17.5	114000
23.	Uttar Pradesh	Varanasi	25.3	113000
24.	Maharashtra	Jalgaon	32.5	109000
25.	Rajasthan	Udaipur	29.9	108000
26.	Bihar	Samastipur	18.4	107000
27.	Uttar Pradesh	Gorakhpur	19.9	107000
28.	West Bengal	North 24 Parganas	13.6	104000
29.	Jharkhand	Purbi Singhbhum	40.6	103000
30.	Rajasthan	Jodhpur	23.8	103000
31.	Uttar Pradesh	Bareilly	18.8	103000
32.	Uttar Pradesh	Bijnor	22.4	102000
33.	Rajasthan	Jaipur	12.8	100000
34.	Bihar	Saran	18.1	97000
35.	Uttar Pradesh	Moradabad	16.4	97000
36.	Bihar	Bhojpur	26	96000
37.	Rajasthan	Ajmer	31.6	96000
38.	Rajasthan	Bhilwara	33.8	96000
39.	West Bengal	Purba Medinipur	24.5	96000
40.	Uttar Pradesh	Muzaffarnagar	18.8	96000
41.	Bihar	Nalanda	24.3	95000
42.	Bihar	Bhagalpur	23.1	95000
43.	West Bengal	Murshidabad	17.5	95000

44.	Uttar Pradesh	Azamgarh	16.9	95000
45.	Maharashtra	Nagpur	25.6	94000
46.	Uttar Pradesh	Pratapgarh	23.8	93000
47.	Bihar	Purnia	20.8	92000
48.	Uttar Pradesh	Budaun	20.1	91000
49.	Madhya Pradesh	Jabalpur	30.7	90000
50.	Bihar	Darbhangha	16.6	89000
51.	Jharkhand	Ranchi	27.2	88000
52.	Chhattisgarh	Raipur	19.5	88000
53.	Uttar Pradesh	Shahjahanpur	23.6	88000
54.	Uttar Pradesh	Sultanpur	19.1	88000
55.	Bihar	Araria	22.8	87000
56.	Uttar Pradesh	Kheri	17.5	87000
57.	Bihar	Aurangabad	24.8	86000
58.	Bihar	Katihar	20.7	86000
59.	Gujarat	Rajkot	23.4	85000
60.	Jharkhand	Bokaro	36.9	84000
61.	Jharkhand	Dhanbad	28.1	83000
62.	Gujarat	Panch Mahals	36.3	83000
63.	Maharashtra	Solapur	24.1	82000
64.	Uttar Pradesh	Agra	14.9	82000
65.	Madhya Pradesh	Dhar	31.4	81000
66.	Bihar	Rohtas	19.9	80000
67.	Gujarat	Junagadh	30.4	80000
68.	Rajasthan	Barmer	25.9	80000
69.	Rajasthan	Alwar	18.5	80000
70.	Uttar Pradesh	Ghaziabad	13.9	80000
71.	Uttar Pradesh	Meerut	18.8	80000
72.	Chhattisgarh	Durg	21.2	79000
73.	Chhattisgarh	Bilaspur	26.8	79000
74.	Maharashtra	Kolhapur	25.7	79000
75.	West Bengal	Birbhum	29.5	79000
76.	Uttar Pradesh	Saharanpur	18.5	79000
77.	Tamil Nadu	Vellore	27.5	78000
78.	Maharashtra	Ahmadnagar	21.7	78000
79.	West Bengal	Hugli	18.5	78000
80.	West Bengal	Puruliya	34.6	78000
81.	Uttar Pradesh	Ghazipur	17.7	78000
82.	Uttar Pradesh	Sitapur	14	78000
83.	Madhya Pradesh	Chhindwara	30.5	76000
84.	Bihar	Begusarai	18.4	74000
85.	West Bengal	Bankura	27	74000
86.	Uttar Pradesh	Hardoi	14.7	74000
87.	Bihar	Sitamarhi	15.8	73000
88.	Bihar	Banka	26	72000
89.	Bihar	Vaishali	15.1	72000

90.	Gujarat	Bhavnagar	26	72000
91.	Rajasthan	Nagaur	18.4	72000
92.	Karnataka	Gulbarga	34	72000
93.	Bihar	Jamui	29.4	70000
94.	Andhra Pradesh	Krishna	20.7	70000
95.	Madhya Pradesh	Satna	26.6	70000
96.	West Bengal	Maldah	22.8	70000
97.	Madhya Pradesh	Indore	17.8	69000
98.	Madhya Pradesh	Morena	29.5	69000
99.	Uttar Pradesh	Bulandshahar	16	69000
100.	Bihar	Siwan	15	68000
101.	Rajasthan	Bikaner	24.4	68000
102.	Kerala	Malappuram	22.3	67000
103.	Madhya Pradesh	Gwalior	28	67000
104.	Uttar Pradesh	Jalaun	32.2	67000
105.	Uttar Pradesh	Jhansi	27.2	67000
106.	Bihar	Madhepura	24.2	66000
107.	Uttar Pradesh	Aligarh	14.6	66000
108.	Uttar Pradesh	Ambedkar Nagar	22.7	66000
109.	Bihar	Nawada	21.4	65000
110.	Gujarat	Jamnagar	31.3	65000
111.	Gujarat	Vadodara	16.3	65000
112.	Gujarat	Banas Kantha	21.6	65000
113.	Andhra Pradesh	Guntur	17.9	65000
114.	Rajasthan	Banswara	30.8	65000
115.	Madhya Pradesh	Balaghat	32.4	65000
116.	Jharkhand	Giridih	23.6	64000
117.	Rajasthan	Kota	27.7	64000
118.	Bihar	Supaul	20.9	63000
119.	Gujarat	Kachchh	31.4	63000
120.	Tamil Nadu	Thiruvallur	23.3	63000
121.	Madhya Pradesh	Betul	34.1	63000
122.	Maharashtra	Yavatmal	28.8	63000
123.	Maharashtra	Mumbai	25.8	63000
124.	Uttar Pradesh	Kushinagar	14.6	63000
125.	Uttar Pradesh	Mirzapur	20.8	63000
126.	Telangana	Nalgonda	23.1	63000
127.	Jharkhand	Pashchimi Singhbhum	37.5	62000
128.	Bihar	Saharsa	24	62000
129.	Rajasthan	Dungarpur	37.5	62000
130.	Tamil Nadu	Tiruvannamalai	34.6	62000
131.	Madhya Pradesh	Bhind	30.6	62000
132.	Tamil Nadu	Chennai	18.1	61000
133.	Maharashtra	Aurangabad	20.8	61000
134.	Telangana	Rangareddy	14.8	61000
135.	Jharkhand	Dumka	41.4	60000

136.	Gujarat	Kheda	27.2	60000
137.	Maharashtra	Bid	29.5	60000
138.	Maharashtra	Raigarh	28.9	60000
139.	West Bengal	Kolkata	17.4	60000
140.	Uttar Pradesh	Rampur	20.8	60000
141.	Andhra Pradesh	East Godavari	15.3	59000
142.	Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal	21	59000
143.	Madhya Pradesh	Rajgarh	32.1	59000
144.	Uttar Pradesh	Lalitpur	39	59000
145.	Chhattisgarh	Surguja	22.3	58000
146.	Rajasthan	Jalor	27.2	58000
147.	Karnataka	Tumkur	26.2	58000
148.	Uttar Pradesh	Bahraich	13.7	58000
149.	Uttar Pradesh	Faizabad	19.3	58000
150.	Uttar Pradesh	Kaushambi	29.9	58000
151.	Telangana	Mahbubnagar	18.6	58000
152.	Bihar	Gopalganj	16.5	57000
153.	Andhra Pradesh	Kurnool	18.8	57000
154.	Tamil Nadu	Salem	22.5	57000
155.	Telangana	Karimnagar	19.3	57000
156.	Andhra Pradesh	Chittoor	18.1	56000
157.	Maharashtra	Satara	23.5	56000
158.	Maharashtra	Amravati	24.7	56000
159.	Delhi	North West	17.8	56000
160.	Gujarat	Sabar Kantha	23.5	55000
161.	Andhra Pradesh	Visakhapatnam	17.2	55000
162.	Odisha	Sundargarh	31.4	55000
163.	Karnataka	Raichur	34.9	55000
164.	Uttar Pradesh	Ballia	14.1	55000
165.	Uttar Pradesh	Pilibhit	21.8	55000
166.	Madhya Pradesh	Shajapur	30	54000
167.	Maharashtra	Chandrapur	31.3	54000
168.	Karnataka	Bellary	26.9	54000
169.	West Bengal	Haora	14.6	54000
170.	Chhattisgarh	Bastar	33.9	53000
171.	Assam	Cachar	30.6	53000
172.	Rajasthan	Jhalawar	31.8	53000
173.	Tamil Nadu	Coimbatore	21.3	53000
174.	Madhya Pradesh	Seoni	32.4	53000
175.	Madhya Pradesh	Shivpuri	25.8	53000
176.	Maharashtra	Nanded	20.1	53000
177.	Uttar Pradesh	Mau	19.7	53000
178.	Uttar Pradesh	Deoria	14.1	53000
179.	Bihar	Kishanganj	22.8	52000
180.	Rajasthan	Churu	21.7	52000
181.	Rajasthan	Pali	21.7	52000

182.	Maharashtra	Nandurbar	39.8	52000
183.	Karnataka	Bijapur	29.1	52000
184.	West Bengal	Jalpaiguri	17.7	52000
185.	Uttar Pradesh	Jyotiba Phule Nagar	22.8	52000
186.	Jharkhand	Palamu	23.8	51000
187.	Gujarat	Dohad	24.9	51000
188.	Karnataka	Dharwad	33.8	51000
189.	Uttar Pradesh	Sonbhadra	22.5	51000
190.	Gujarat	Valsad	30.3	50000
191.	Madhya Pradesh	Rewa	18	50000
192.	Delhi	South	21.2	50000
193.	Uttar Pradesh	Unnao	13.1	50000
194.	Gujarat	Mahesana	25.3	49000
195.	Madhya Pradesh	Guna	33	49000
196.	Maharashtra	Dhule	30.3	49000
197.	Uttar Pradesh	Barabanki	12.2	49000
198.	Uttar Pradesh	Fatehpur	14.9	49000
199.	Telangana	Medak	20.7	49000
200.	Rajasthan	Ganganagar	20.6	48000
201.	Odisha	Ganjam	16.4	48000
202.	Madhya Pradesh	Sagar	16.9	48000
203.	Madhya Pradesh	Dewas	25.7	48000
204.	Jharkhand	Hazaribag	24.5	47000
205.	Bihar	Kaimur (bhabua)	21.4	47000
206.	Gujarat	Surendranagar	27.7	47000
207.	Madhya Pradesh	West Nimar	21.2	47000
208.	Madhya Pradesh	Singrauli	34	47000
209.	Telangana	Adilabad	22.1	47000
210.	Jharkhand	Garhwa	31.3	46000
211.	Andhra Pradesh	Anantapur	15.2	46000
212.	Punjab	Ludhiana	17.8	46000
213.	Madhya Pradesh	Barwani	28.3	46000
214.	Bihar	Buxar	19.6	45000
215.	Rajasthan	Sirohi	36.6	45000
216.	Madhya Pradesh	Ujjain	19.2	45000
217.	Uttarakhand	Dehradun	30.1	45000
218.	Uttar Pradesh	Auraiya	26.5	45000
219.	Telangana	Warangal	16.6	45000
220.	Gujarat	Bharuch	29.4	44000
221.	Gujarat	Anand	21.7	44000
222.	Rajasthan	Bharatpur	14.6	44000
223.	Madhya Pradesh	Hoshangabad	29.6	44000
224.	Maharashtra	Latur	22.5	44000
225.	Karnataka	Chitradurga	31.8	44000
226.	Uttar Pradesh	Hamirpur	32.3	44000
227.	Telangana	Nizamabad	22	44000

228.	Andhra Pradesh	West Godavari	14.7	43000
229.	Assam	Dhubri	22.2	43000
230.	Rajasthan	Hanumangarh	20.7	43000
231.	Rajasthan	Chittaurgarh	23.8	43000
232.	Maharashtra	Buldana	21.1	43000
233.	Karnataka	Mysore	17.3	43000
234.	West Bengal	Koch Bihar	20.1	43000
235.	Uttar Pradesh	Siddharthnagar	13.7	43000
236.	Telangana	Hyderabad	14.1	43000
237.	Madhya Pradesh	Schore	27	42000
238.	Madhya Pradesh	Mandla	33.5	42000
239.	West Bengal	Nadia	10.7	42000
240.	Uttar Pradesh	Basti	14.1	42000
241.	Uttar Pradesh	Chandauli	17.8	42000
242.	Haryana	Ambala	37.9	41000
243.	Rajasthan	Baran	28.5	41000
244.	Tamil Nadu	Dindigul	26.5	41000
245.	Tamil Nadu	Viluppuram	16.3	41000
246.	Uttar Pradesh	Gonda	9.8	41000
247.	Uttar Pradesh	Mathura	12.9	41000
248.	Uttar Pradesh	Mahrajganj	12.5	41000
249.	Uttar Pradesh	Sant Ravidas Nagar (Bhadohi)	21.5	41000
250.	Uttar Pradesh	Chitrakoot	33.3	41000

*Note: Burden Calculation: Burden estimates are calculated from the survey results and the midpoint year of data collection. Burden = population * prevalence

Table: High Burden districts on the parameter of stunting (in children under five years) as per NFHS 4 (2015-16)

S.No	State	District	Stunting Prevalence%	Stunting Burden*
1.	Bihar	Patna	43.5	345000
2.	Maharashtra	Thane	38.5	336000
3.	Bihar	Purba Champaran	47.2	327000
4.	Uttar Pradesh	Allahabad	43.8	317000
5.	Bihar	Gaya	52.9	316000
6.	Bihar	Madhubani	51.8	316000
7.	Bihar	Muzaffarpur	47.9	313000
8.	Uttar Pradesh	Sitapur	56.4	313000
9.	Bihar	Samastipur	49.2	285000
10.	Rajasthan	Jaipur	35.7	278000
11.	Uttar Pradesh	Bahraich	65.1	275000
12.	Uttar Pradesh	Kheri	53.9	268000
13.	Bihar	Sitamarhi	57.3	266000
14.	Uttar Pradesh	Moradabad	45.1	266000
15.	Bihar	Darbhanga	49	262000
16.	Uttar Pradesh	Jaunpur	48	262000
17.	Uttar Pradesh	Hardoi	50.5	256000
18.	Bihar	Vaishali	53.7	255000
19.	Uttar Pradesh	Bareilly	45.6	251000
20.	Uttar Pradesh	Budaun	55.1	251000
21.	Bihar	Saran	46.1	248000
22.	Uttar Pradesh	Kanpur Nagar	43.6	247000
23.	Uttar Pradesh	Agra	44.7	245000
24.	Uttar Pradesh	Gonda	56.9	237000
25.	Bihar	Pashchim Champaran	43.6	233000
26.	Bihar	Purnia	52.1	231000
27.	West Bengal	Murshidabad	41.9	228000
28.	Uttar Pradesh	Gorakhpur	42.1	227000
29.	Uttar Pradesh	Azamgarh	40	224000
30.	Karnataka	Bangalore	28.1	223000
31.	Uttar Pradesh	Aligarh	49.1	223000
32.	Uttar Pradesh	Lucknow	37.5	213000
33.	Bihar	Nalanda	54.1	212000
34.	Uttar Pradesh	Sultanpur	45.9	212000
35.	Maharashtra	Nashik	43.5	210000
36.	Uttar Pradesh	Muzaffarnagar	40.8	209000
37.	Uttar Pradesh	Barabanki	51.5	208000
38.	Bihar	Katihar	49.2	205000
39.	Gujarat	Ahmadabad	29.4	204000
40.	Uttar Pradesh	Ghaziabad	34.7	201000
41.	Uttar Pradesh	Varanasi	44.7	199000
42.	Bihar	Rohtas	48.5	195000
43.	Uttar Pradesh	Kushinagar	45	195000

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44.	Uttar Pradesh	Bijnor	42.6	194000
45.	Bihar	Bhagalpur	46.6	192000
46.	West Bengal	Bardhaman	32.5	192000
47.	Uttar Pradesh	Bulandshahar	43.2	187000
48.	Bihar	Araria	48.4	185000
49.	Uttar Pradesh	Shahjahanpur	49.3	183000
50.	West Bengal	North 24 Parganas	23.8	182000
51.	Uttar Pradesh	Ghazipur	41.4	182000
52.	Bihar	Begusarai	44.9	181000
53.	Rajasthan	Alwar	41.8	181000
54.	Uttar Pradesh	Siddharthnagar	57.9	180000
55.	Uttar Pradesh	Unnao	46.5	179000
56.	Gujarat	Vadodara	43.8	175000
57.	Gujarat	Surat	30	175000
58.	Rajasthan	Jodhpur	40.3	175000
59.	Uttar Pradesh	Mahrajganj	53.3	174000
60.	Chhattisgarh	Raipur	38.3	173000
61.	Bihar	Siwan	37.9	172000
62.	Rajasthan	Udaipur	47.5	171000
63.	Uttar Pradesh	Fatehpur	52.4	171000
64.	West Bengal	South 24 Parganas	27.3	170000
65.	Bihar	Aurangabad	48.3	167000
66.	Maharashtra	Pune	22.4	167000
67.	Uttar Pradesh	Balrampur	62.8	164000
68.	Bihar	Bhojpur	43.5	161000
69.	Uttar Pradesh	Pratapgarh	41.3	161000
70.	Maharashtra	Mumbai Suburban	21.3	158000
71.	Uttar Pradesh	Saharanpur	36.9	158000
72.	Uttar Pradesh	Ballia	39.6	156000
73.	Uttar Pradesh	Deoria	41.2	155000
74.	Rajasthan	Nagaur	39.1	152000
75.	Madhya Pradesh	Indore	39.2	152000
76.	Uttar Pradesh	Rae Bareli	36.2	152000
77.	Uttar Pradesh	Meerut	35.3	150000
78.	Uttar Pradesh	Faizabad	49.9	150000
79.	Uttar Pradesh	Mirzapur	49.1	149000
80.	Bihar	Nawada	48.4	146000
81.	Bihar	Supaul	48.1	146000
82.	Uttar Pradesh	Basti	48.9	146000
83.	Karnataka	Belgaum	36.7	145000
84.	Rajasthan	Bharatpur	47.6	143000
85.	Bihar	Madhepura	51.8	141000
86.	Bihar	Banka	49.6	137000

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S.No	State	District	Stunting Prevalence%	Stunting Burden*
87.	Uttar Pradesh	Firozabad	44	136000
88.	Gujarat	Bhavnagar	48.4	134000
89.	Andhra Pradesh	Kurnool	44.1	134000
90.	Madhya Pradesh	Bhopal	47.6	134000
91.	West Bengal	Paschim Medinipur	29.4	133000
92.	Uttar Pradesh	Rampur	46	133000
93.	Jharkhand	Ranchi	40.7	131000
94.	Uttar Pradesh	Mathura	40.8	129000
95.	Uttar Pradesh	Pilibhit	51.5	129000
96.	West Bengal	Haora	34.6	128000
97.	Chhattisgarh	Durg	34.3	127000
98.	West Bengal	Hugli	30.1	127000
99.	Maharashtra	Nagpur	33.9	125000
100.	Uttar Pradesh	Ambedkar Nagar	43	125000
101.	Jharkhand	Giridih	45.8	124000
102.	Bihar	Gopalganj	35.6	124000
103.	Andhra Pradesh	Anantapur	40.3	123000
104.	Gujarat	Banas Kantha	40.7	122000
105.	Maharashtra	Jalgaon	36.4	122000
106.	Delhi	North West	38.6	121000
107.	Maharashtra	Ahmadnagar	33.4	120000
108.	Bihar	Kaimur (bhabua)	53.8	119000
109.	Gujarat	Sabar Kantha	50.6	118000
110.	West Bengal	Purba Medinipur	29.9	117000
111.	Madhya Pradesh	Sagar	41	116000
112.	Telangana	Mahbubnagar	37.1	116000
113.	West Bengal	Maldah	37.8	115000
114.	Jharkhand	Dhanbad	38.5	114000
115.	Uttar Pradesh	Farrukhabad	49.1	114000
116.	Bihar	Khagaria	49.8	113000
117.	Bihar	Saharsa	43.9	113000
118.	Gujarat	Rajkot	30.9	113000
119.	Madhya Pradesh	Rewa	40.4	113000
120.	Maharashtra	Aurangabad	38.6	113000
121.	Rajasthan	Barmer	36.6	112000
122.	Uttar Pradesh	Etah	51	112000
123.	Madhya Pradesh	Morena	47.7	111000
124.	Karnataka	Gulbarga	52.2	111000
125.	Bihar	Jamui	45.9	110000
126.	Madhya Pradesh	Dhar	42.6	110000
127.	Uttar Pradesh	Mau	40.9	110000
128.	Madhya Pradesh	Satna	41.2	109000
129.	West Bengal	Birbhum	40.5	109000

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130.	Bihar	Kishanganj	46.9	108000
131.	Telangana	Rangareddy	26.2	108000
132.	Andhra Pradesh	East Godavari	27.7	107000
133.	Rajasthan	Pali	44.4	107000
134.	Madhya Pradesh	West Nimar	48.3	107000
135.	Maharashtra	Nanded	40.4	107000
136.	Uttar Pradesh	Mainpuri	46.5	107000
137.	Assam	Nagaon	38.4	106000
138.	Rajasthan	Banswara	50	106000
139.	Madhya Pradesh	Jabalpur	36.2	106000
140.	Uttar Pradesh	Sant Kabir Nagar	50.5	105000
141.	Tamil Nadu	Chennai	30.9	104000
142.	Maharashtra	Yavatmal	47.4	104000
143.	Uttar Pradesh	Banda	46.7	104000
144.	Uttar Pradesh	Etawah	53.2	104000
145.	Uttar Pradesh	Sonbhadra	45.9	104000
146.	Madhya Pradesh	Gwalior	42.8	103000
147.	Uttar Pradesh	Chandauli	43.3	103000
148.	Uttar Pradesh	Kannauj	50.4	103000
149.	Bihar	Buxar	43.9	102000
150.	Rajasthan	Ajmer	33.5	102000
151.	West Bengal	Puruliya	45.5	102000
152.	Uttar Pradesh	Jyotiba Phule Nagar	44.7	102000
153.	Uttar Pradesh	Kanpur Dehat	45.9	102000
154.	Chhattisgarh	Bilaspur	34.1	101000
155.	Gujarat	Kheda	45.5	101000
156.	Rajasthan	Bhilwara	35.5	101000
157.	Jharkhand	Purbi Singhbhum	39.3	100000
158.	Karnataka	Bellary	49.5	100000
159.	Jharkhand	Pashchimi Singhbhum	59.4	99000
160.	Madhya Pradesh	Shivpuri	48.6	99000
161.	Uttar Pradesh	Sant Ravidas Nagar (Bhadohi)	51.4	99000
162.	Jharkhand	Palamu	45.4	98000
163.	Andhra Pradesh	Chittoor	31.4	98000
164.	Gujarat	Anand	48.2	97000
165.	Rajasthan	Jalor	45	97000
166.	Uttar Pradesh	Kaushambi	50.1	97000
167.	Andhra Pradesh	Visakhapatnam	30.1	96000
168.	Madhya Pradesh	Bhind	47.6	96000
169.	Jharkhand	Hazaribag	49.3	95000
170.	Uttar Pradesh	Jalaun	45.6	95000
171.	Rajasthan	Bikaner	33.7	94000
172.	West Bengal	Bankura	34	94000

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173.	Gujarat	Panch Mahals	40.4	93000
174.	West Bengal	Uttar Dinajpur	40.4	93000
175.	Assam	Dhubri	47.4	92000
176.	West Bengal	Jalpaiguri	31.2	92000
177.	West Bengal	Nadia	23.3	92000
178.	Uttar Pradesh	Kanshi Ram Nagar	51.5	92000
179.	Jharkhand	Bokaro	39.8	91000
180.	Gujarat	Dohad	44.4	91000
181.	Odisha	Mayurbhanj	43.5	91000
182.	Maharashtra	Buldana	43.9	90000
183.	Rajasthan	Sikar	28.4	89000
184.	Madhya Pradesh	Chhatarpur	42.7	89000
185.	Uttar Pradesh	Jhansi	36.1	89000
186.	Bihar	Munger	46.6	87000
187.	Maharashtra	Amravati	38.1	87000
188.	Maharashtra	Solapur	25.4	87000
189.	Madhya Pradesh	Shajapur	48.1	86000
190.	Uttar Pradesh	Shrawasti	63.5	86000
191.	Uttar Pradesh	Mahamaya Nagar	44.2	86000
192.	Chhattisgarh	Surguja	32.3	85000
193.	Odisha	Ganjam	28.9	85000
194.	Madhya Pradesh	Barwani	52	85000
195.	Madhya Pradesh	Tikamgarh	49.7	85000
196.	Andhra Pradesh	West Godavari	28.5	84000
197.	Madhya Pradesh	Ujjain	35.8	84000
198.	Chhattisgarh	Rajnandgaon	48.8	83000
199.	Tamil Nadu	Vellore	29	83000
200.	Madhya Pradesh	Chhindwara	33.6	83000
201.	West Bengal	Kolkata	24.2	83000
202.	Gujarat	Kachchh	40.8	82000
203.	Rajasthan	Jhunjhunun	32.5	82000
204.	Maharashtra	Kolhapur	26.9	82000
205.	Delhi	West	37.4	82000
206.	Telangana	Adilabad	38.3	82000
207.	Andhra Pradesh	Guntur	22.1	81000
208.	Tamil Nadu	Thiruvallur	30.1	81000
209.	Karnataka	Bijapur	44.9	81000
210.	Bihar	Jehanabad	52.1	80000
211.	Tamil Nadu	Viluppuram	31.8	80000
212.	Kerala	Malappuram	26.3	79000
213.	Gujarat	Mahesana	40.5	79000
214.	Madhya Pradesh	Ratlam	46.1	79000
215.	Jharkhand	Godda	54	78000

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216.	Andhra Pradesh	Y.S.R.	36.3	78000
217.	Rajasthan	Karauli	45.5	78000
218.	Punjab	Ludhiana	30.1	78000
219.	Madhya Pradesh	Dewas	42	78000
220.	Telangana	Nalgonda	28.9	78000
221.	Telangana	Medak	33.4	78000
222.	Gujarat	Surendranagar	45.5	77000
223.	Rajasthan	Dhaulpur	54.3	77000
224.	Rajasthan	Dungarpur	46.8	77000
225.	Maharashtra	Bid	37.8	77000
226.	Andhra Pradesh	Krishna	22.6	76000
227.	Rajasthan	Churu	31.2	75000
228.	Karnataka	Davanagere	46.4	75000
229.	Uttar Pradesh	Auraiya	43.6	75000
230.	Jharkhand	Deoghar	44.8	74000
231.	Rajasthan	Kota	32	74000
232.	Karnataka	Bagalkot	47.3	74000
233.	Gujarat	Junagadh	27.9	73000
234.	Rajasthan	Hanumangarh	35	73000
235.	Delhi	South	31.3	73000
236.	Andhra Pradesh	Prakasam	28.2	72000
237.	Tamil Nadu	Kancheepuram	25	72000
238.	Madhya Pradesh	Raisen	45.8	72000
239.	Telangana	Nizamabad	36.6	72000
240.	Telangana	Warangal	26.6	72000
241.	Gujarat	Valsad	43.3	71000
242.	Madhya Pradesh	Vidisha	41.1	71000
243.	Madhya Pradesh	Rajgarh	38.8	71000
244.	West Bengal	Koch Bihar	32.9	71000
245.	Telangana	Karimnagar	24.3	71000
246.	Assam	Barpeta	41.7	70000
247.	Madhya Pradesh	Katni	45.5	70000
248.	Bihar	Lakhisarai	50.6	69000
249.	Tamil Nadu	Tirunelveli	30.8	69000
250.	Rajasthan	Chittaurgarh	37.4	68000
251.	Rajasthan	Ganganagar	29.1	68000
252.	Tamil Nadu	Coimbatore	27.3	68000
253.	Tamil Nadu	Salem	27	68000
254.	Madhya Pradesh	East Nimar	43.6	68000
255.	Maharashtra	Jalna	44.1	68000

*Note: Burden Calculation: Burden estimates are calculated from the survey results and the midpoint year of data collection. Burden = population * prevalence