

Ayushman Bharat – Ensuring Universal Healthcare in Nagaland (State Series)

3.57 lakh Ayushman cards and 3.27 lakh ABHA IDs created; 622 Health & Wellness Centres functional

(Ministry of Health and Family Welfare)

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“Ayushman Bharat is a holistic solution for a healthy India.”

- [Prime Minister Narendra Modi](#)

Introduction: Ayushman Bharat¹

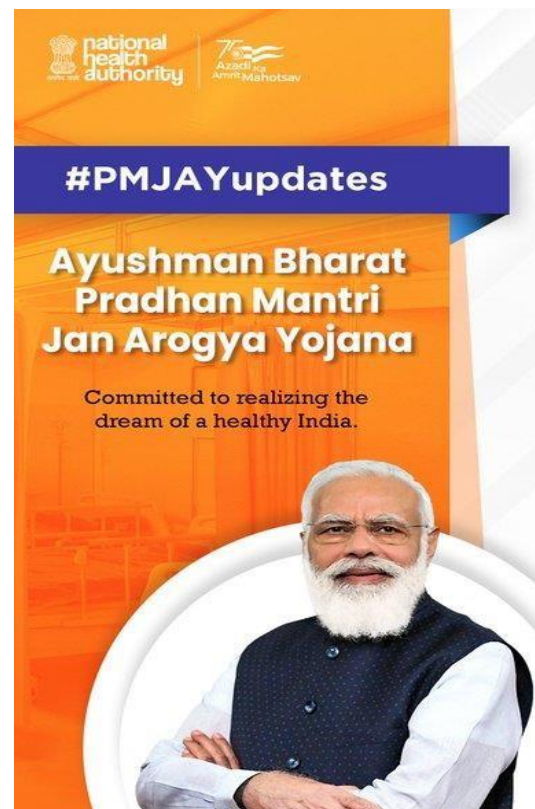
In the north eastern part of India, the geographical location, difficult terrain, high rainfall, vast hilly region and large forest areas present a big challenge in providing normal health care services. However, in the last few years, large scale developments in the healthcare and medical sector have taken place in the north east due to the sustained efforts of the Government of India.

In 2018, Government of India launched [Ayushman Bharat](#)² - one of the most ambitious health missions ever to expand universal health coverage, especially in rural and vulnerable populations. Ayushman Bharat is an attempt to move away from sectoral and segmented approach of health service delivery to a comprehensive one.

Ayushman Bharat Progress in Nagaland

1. Ayushman Bharat – Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB-PMJAY)

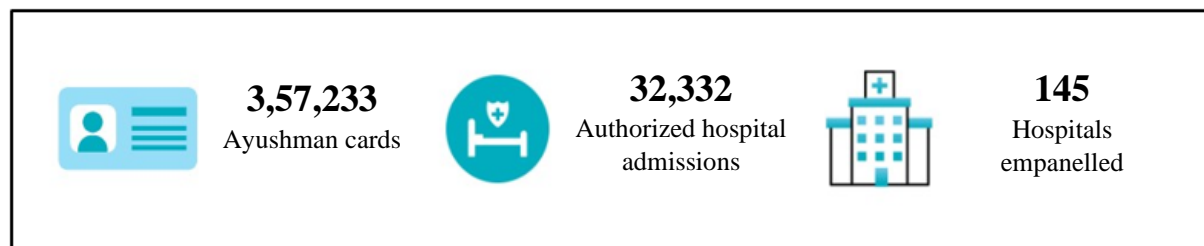
Ayushman Bharat – Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB-PMJAY) was launched on [September 23, 2018](#) and provides **financial protection and a benefit cover of Rs. 5 lakh per family per year** to poor, deprived rural families and identified occupational categories of urban workers’ families. It is the **world’s largest government-funded healthcare program** targeting more than 50 crore beneficiaries.



¹ [Ayushman Bharat –Pradhan Mantri Jan ArogyaYojana \(AB-PMJAY\) to be launched by Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi in Ranchi, Jharkahnd on September 23, 2018 \(pib.gov.in\)](#)

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As on January 16, 2023, a total of 3,57,233 Ayushman cards have been created. Further, a total of 32,332 hospital admissions worth Rs. 54 crore have been authorized in Nagaland.



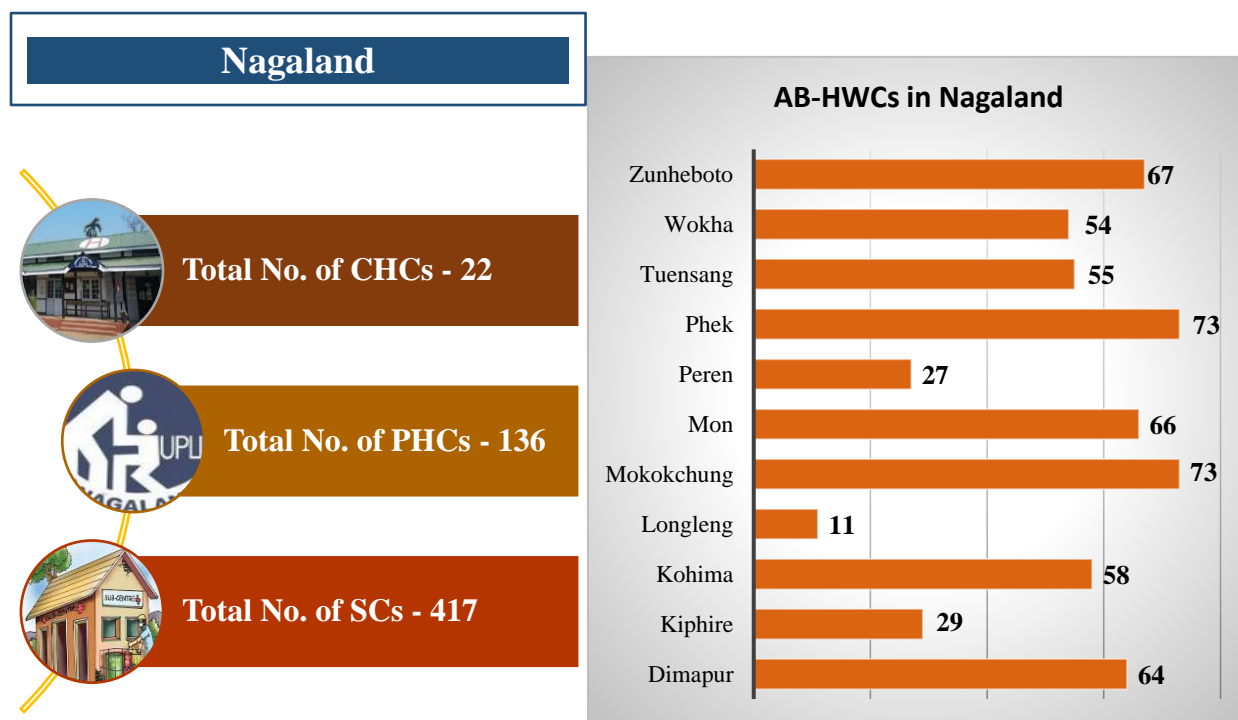
For latest updates, go to [AB-PMJAY dashboard](#)

There are **145 empanelled hospitals** in Nagaland (120 public and 25 private). The list of empanelled hospitals can be found here - [Department of Health & Family Welfare, Nagaland \(nagalandhealthproject.org\)](#)³.

2. Ayushman Bharat-Health and Wellness Centres (AB-HWCs) in Nagaland

[Ayushman Bharat – Health & Wellness Centres \(AB-HWCs\)](#)⁴ deliver Comprehensive Primary Health Care, that is universal and free to users, with a focus on wellness and the delivery of an expanded range of services closer to the community.

The total number of functional AB-HWCs in Nagaland is **622 as on January 13, 2023**⁵.



For latest updates, go to [AB-HWC dashboard](#)

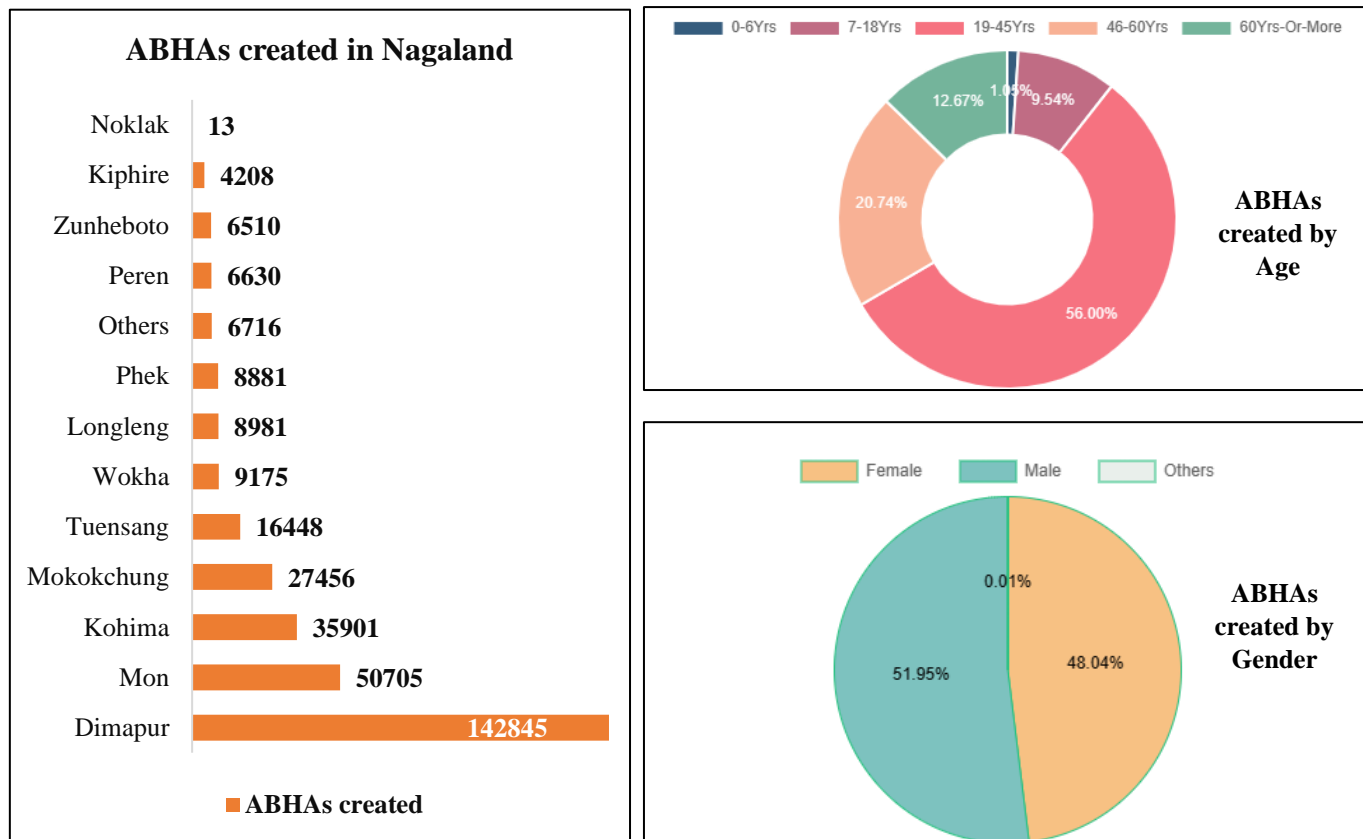
³ [Department of Health & Family Welfare, Nagaland \(nagalandhealthproject.org\)](#)

⁴ [Official Website Ayushman Bharat | HWC \(nhp.gov.in\)](#)

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3. Ayushman Bharat – Digital Mission⁶

Ayushman Bharat – Digital Mission was [launched on September 27, 2021](#)⁷ to create a seamless online platform that will enable interoperability within the digital healthcare ecosystem. As on January 16, 2023, a total of **3,27,510 Ayushman Bharat Health Account-ABHA (Health IDs) have been created in Nagaland.**



For latest updates, [Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission dashboard](#)

4. Pradhan Mantri Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission (PM-ABHIM)⁸

The PM-Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission was launched on October 25, 2021. The scheme aims at strengthening health systems and institutions in order to provide a continuum of care at all levels, namely primary, secondary and tertiary, as well as preparing health systems to respond effectively to current and future pandemics and disasters.

The Central government has [approved an amount](#) of **Rs. 2.99 Crore** for FY 2022-23 to the state of Nagaland.

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