

## Factsheet by SDC Foundation on

### State Health Expenditure by the Himalayan and Non-Himalayan states (2019)

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S. No.		India & States	State Health Expenditure (2019)	
			% of Total Revenue Expenditure	% of GSDP
1.	Himalayan States	Jammu and Kashmir	7.7	2.9
2.		Himachal Pradesh	7.6	1.8
3.		North East (Excluding Assam)	7.5	2.9
4.		Uttarakhand	6.8	1.1
5.	Non-Himalayan States	Delhi	16.7	1.0
6.		Assam	8.8	2.2
7.		Gujarat	7.1	0.7
8.		Rajasthan	6.8	1.4
9.		Uttar Pradesh	6.6	1.4
10.		Andhra Pradesh	6.4	1.3
11.		Odisha	6.3	1.4
12.		Chhattisgarh	6.3	1.6
13.		Jharkhand	6.3	1.3
14.		West Bengal	5.9	0.8
15.		Madhya Pradesh	5.9	1.3
16.		Bihar	5.9	1.6
17.		Kerala	5.8	0.9
18.		Tamil Nadu	5.8	0.7
19.		Haryana	5.3	0.7
20.		Karnataka	5.3	0.6
21.		Telangana	5.3	0.7
22.		Maharashtra	4.8	0.6
23.		Punjab	4.6	0.8
		<b>ALL STATES</b>	<b>6.3</b>	<b>1.0</b>

(Data source: State of Finances Report 2020, RBI)

- Amongst the Himalayan states, Uttarakhand had the lowest percent of total revenue budget expenditure on public health at 6.8% compared to J&K (7.7%), Northeast (7.5%) and neighboring Himachal Pradesh (7.6%).
- Uttarakhand also spends the lowest percent of GSDP on public health i.e., 1.1% compared to J&K (2.9%), Himachal Pradesh (1.8%) and Northeast (2.9%).
- Moreover, J&K, Himachal Pradesh and Northeast spends the highest percent of GSDP on health in the country.
- Delhi makes the highest percent of total revenue budget expenditure on health at 16.7% followed by Assam (8.8%), J&K (7.7%), Himachal Pradesh (7.6%), Northeast (7.5%) in the country.
- In terms of percent of GSDP expenditure, Uttarakhand spends even less than poor performing and bigger states of Madhya Pradesh, Bihar and Uttar Pradesh.
- Uttarakhand's percent of total revenue budget expenditure on health remains higher as compared to Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Andhra Pradesh, Odisha, West Bengal and others.

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