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## 82 specialist doctors to be appointed by health dept.

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RANCHI: Jharkhand's Health Minister Ramchandra Chandravanshi said that 782 specialists doctors would be soon appointed in the state and efforts are on currently to appoint another 418 MBBS Doctors.

In a reply to the question raised by BJP MLA Manish Jaiswal during the question hour on the fourth day of the Monsoon Session of the Jharkhand Assembly Mr Chandravanshi said that the retirement age for doctors in the state was 65 years and even after that they can be considered for appointment on contractual basis. He said that the JPSC has been sent a proposal regarding appointed of dentist under the special doctors category. He said that once the doctors are recruited they would be posted as per the need. Over another query of JVM(P) MLA Pradeep Yadav which was raised by Congress' MLA Alamgir Alam, the minister accepted that there was a total of 994 posts of specialists doctors sanctioned in the state. He said that for the time being as per the recommendation of the JPSC 147 specialists doctors have been recruited and also admitted to the fact the there was no bone specialist doctor in Dumka.