GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 111 TO BE ANSWERED ON 18.07.2022

SHORTAGE OF DOCTORS AND STAFF IN ESI HOSPITAL, PANIPAT

†111. SHRI SANJAY BHATIA:

Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a)whether the condition of Employees State Insurance ESI Hospital, Panipat is worse and there has been a slight increase in the posts sanctioned 50 years ago whereas the number of insured persons has increased five times and whether there is a shortage of specialist doctors and if so, the details thereof;
- (b)whether the saddest aspect is that the hospital does not even have a paediatrician, gynecologist and obstetrician, physician and cardiologist;
- (c)whether the posts of Medical Officer, Junior Specialist, Ayurvedic Doctor, Assistant Matron, Nursing Sister, Staff Nurse and Pharmacist are also lying vacant; and
- (d)if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI RAMESWAR TELI)

(a): During the financial year 2021-22, the Employees' State Insurance (ESI) Hospital, Panipat, run by State Government of Haryana, has functioned with an average monthly Outdoor Patient Department (OPD) attendance of 4183 and bed occupancy rate of 35.78%.

The number of sanctioned posts of Medical Officers and Junior Specialists in the hospital was increased from 6 to 26 and 4 to 12 respectively in the year 2021. The status of the vacancy position of the Specialist doctors at the hospital is as under:

Name of category	Sanctioned	Filled	Vacant
Sr. Specialist	1	1	0
Jr. Specialist	12	9	3

(b): At present, ESI Hospital, Panipat is having Pathologist, Forensic Medicine, Eye surgeon, Dental surgeon, Anaesthetist, Orthopaedic, Paediatrics, ENT and Psychiatrist.

(c) & (d): The details of vacant posts in these cadres are placed at Annexure.

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ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (c) & (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 111 FOR ANSWER ON 18.07.2022 ASKED BY SHRI SANJAY BHATIA REGARDING SHORTAGE OF DOCTORS AND STAFF IN ESI HOSPITAL, PANIPAT

Details of vacant posts at Employees' State Insurance (ESI) Hospital, Panipat (Haryana) run by the State Government

Sl. No.	Name of post/cadre	Sanctioned Posts	Filled posts	Vacant posts
1.	Medical Officer	26	04	22
2.	Jr. Specialist	12	09	03
3.	Ayurvedic Medical Officer	1	01	00
4.	Assistant Matron	1	00	01
5.	Staff Nurse	24	07	17
6.	Pharmacist	04	02	02

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