

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
LOK SABHA  
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 223  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 25.11.2024**

**ESIC HOSPITALS AND MEDICAL COLLEGES IN THE NORTH  
EASTERN REGION**

**223. SHRI PRADYUT BORDOLOI:**

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

- (a) the details regarding ESIC Hospitals in the North Eastern Region (NER) and the number of patients who got treated during the last five years, year-wise;**
- (b) whether the Employees State Insurance Corporation intends to set up anymore ESIC hospitals in the NER and if so, the details thereof, if not, the reasons therefor;**
- (c) the process for choosing a location to establish an ESIC Medical College;**
- (d) whether the Government has received any proposals to establish an ESIC Medical College in the NER; and**
- (e) if so, the details thereof?**

**ANSWER**

**MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT  
(SUSHRI SHOBHA KARANDLAJE)**

- (a): The details of Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) Hospitals in the North Eastern Region and the number of patients who got treated during 2019 -20 to 2023-24 is annexed.**
- (b): ESIC accords approval for setting up of new ESI Hospitals based on certain norms / Insured Person (IP) population criteria within a particular area. ESIC has given in-principle approval for setting up of two 100- bedded hospitals in the North Eastern Region viz. Rangpo in Sikkim and Shyamlibazaar, Agartala in Tripura.**
- (c): The guidelines issued by National Medical Commission are followed to select the location to establish a Medical College.**
- (d) & (e) ESIC has received a proposal to establish an ESIC Medical College at Beltola, Guwahati, Assam.**

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**ANNEXURE**

**ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 223 FOR 25.11.2024 BY SHRI PRADYUT BORDOLOI REGARDING ESIC HOSPITALS AND MEDICAL COLLEGES IN THE NORTH EASTERN REGION.**

**Details regarding ESIC Hospitals in NER and the number of patients treated during the last five years**

<b>S. No</b>	<b>State</b>	<b>Name of the hospital</b>	<b>Bed sanctioned</b>	<b>number of patients treated during the last five years</b>				
				<b>2019-20</b>	<b>2020-21</b>	<b>2021-22</b>	<b>2022-23</b>	<b>2023-24</b>
1.	Assam	ESIC hospital, Beltola, Guwahati	85	215472	132522	174585	232826	218702
2.	Assam	ESIC hospital, Tinsukia	100	Taken over by ESI Corporation from State Govt. on 11.03.2022			1407	10406

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