GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1226 TO BE ANSWERED ON 28.07.2025

EMPLOYEES' STATE INSURANCE CORPORATION (ESIC) HOSPITALS

1226. DR. HEMANT VISHNU SAVARA:

SHRI SUKHJINDER SINGH RANDHAWA:

SHRI LAVU SRI KRISHNA DEVARAYALU:

SHRI SHANKAR LALWANI:

SHRI BHARTRUHARI MAHTAB:

SHRI CAPTAIN BRIJESH CHOWTA:

SHRI BIDYUT BARAN MAHATO:

SHRI YADUVEER WADIYAR:

SHRI DAMODAR AGRAWAL:

SHRI DINESHBHAI MAKWANA:

SHRI RAO RAJENDRA SINGH

SHRI GODAM NAGESH:

SHRI MADHAVANENI RAGHUNANDAN RAO:

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

- (a)the details of the current number of Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) hospitals modernised or upgraded under the various schemes of the Government since 2014, State/UT-wise including Odisha and Punjab;
- (b) the details of the measures taken/being taken by the Government to ensure quality and timely healthcare delivery through the said hospitals, State/UT-wise including Odisha;
- (c)whether the Government plans to replicate such modernized hospitals and integrated medical facilities in other labour-intensive regions of the country, if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise along with Mangalore in Karnataka;
- (d)whether it is a fact that Government has announced to establish ESIC hospitals in Palghar District in Maharashtra in the year 2018 and its construction has not been started yet and if so, the details thereof along with the timeline for completion;
- (e)the details of the number of proposals sent for the establishment of new ESIC hospitals in the country, State/UT-wise especially district-wise in Andhra Pradesh and Jaipur Rural Lok Sabha Constituency;
- (f)the details and the categories of the workers currently availing benefits under the Employees' State Insurance (ESI) scheme in Dakshina Kannada district along with total number of insured persons and registered employers under the Mangaluru Sub-Regional Office; and
- (g)whether contractual, outsourced, or daily-wage labourers are eligible for ESI coverage and if so, the details thereof along with the criteria and mechanism for their enrolment and benefit monitoring?

ANSWER

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

(a) to (g): Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) provides social

security to all employees including contractual, outsourced or daily wages working in factories / establishments with 10 or more employees in the districts notified by the Central Government. The employees and family members of those employees as defined in ESI Act, 1948 of these factories / establishments drawing wages up to ₹21000/- per month (₹ 25,000/- for persons with disability) are covered under the ESI Act and are eligible to avail benefits available under the ESI Scheme.

Further, ESIC is continuously making efforts to develop in-house specialty and super-specialty services by incorporating modern technologies in ESI hospitals itself. Some of the measures taken are: enhancement of bed strength, procurement of advanced medical equipment, establishing the intensive care unit (ICU) / high dependency unit (HDU) facilities as per ESIC guidelines, establishing new hospitals, use of unused land for upgradation and expansion of hospital infrastructure as per needs and demands, upgradation of user-friendly app for OPD appointments in order to streamline registration, reduce waiting time, and enhance patient convenience etc. The details of ESIC hospitals wherein bed strength has been upgraded based on ESI norms since 2014, State/UT-wise including Odisha and Punjab is at Annexure-I.

The State Government of Maharashtra has offered the land to establish ESIC hospital at Palghar at a cost of around 4.32 Crore but the land was in irregular shape and insufficient to construct the hospital and staff quarter.

Under Sub Regional Office Mangaluru, as on 31.03.2024, there were 199500 Insured persons and 9824 employers. There were 120256 registered employees and 131282 insured persons in Dakshina Kannada district.

State/district-wise details of proposals for setting up of ESI hospitals across the country including Andhra Pradesh and Jaipur Rural Lok Sabha Constituency received during 01.07.2024 to 30.06.2025 is placed at Annexure-II.

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) TO (g) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1226 FOR 28.07.2025 BY DR. HEMANT VISHNU SAVARA & 12 OTHERS REGARDING EMPLOYEES' STATE INSURANCE CORPORATION (ESIC) HOSPITALS.

Details of ESIC hospitals wherein bed strength has been upgraded since 2014, State-UT wise

S. No.	State	Name of ESIC Hospital	Bed strength	
			From	То
1.	Punjab	ESIC Hospital, Ludhiana	262	300
2.	Karnataka	ESIC Hospital, Peenya	100	150
3.		ESIC Hospital & Medical College, Gulbarga	380	630
4.		ESIC Hospital & Medical College, Rajajinagar	500	750
5.	Odisha	ESIC Hospital, Rourkela	50	150
6.		ESIC Hospital, Bhubaneswar	50	100
7.	Uttar Pradesh	ESIC Hospital, Noida	300	350
8.		ESIC Hospital, Bareilly	50	100
9.	1	ESIC Hospital, Varanasi	150	220
10.	Jharkhand	ESIC Hospital, Adityapur	50	75
11.		ESIC Hospital, Ranchi	75	220
12.	Tamil Nadu	ESIC Hospital & Medical College KK Nagar	454	1000
13.		ESIC Hospital, Tirunelveli	50	100
14.	Assam	ESIC Hospital, Beltola	50	220
15.	D.11	ESIC Hospital, Phulwarisharif	50	100
16.	Bihar	ESIC Hospital & Medical College, Bihta	330	420
17.	Delhi	ESIC Hospital, Okhla	250	500*
18.	Haryana	ESIC Hospital, Faridabad	380	1150
19.	Telangana	ESIC SS Hospital, Sanath Nagar	100	150
20.		ESIC Hospital & Medical College Sanath Nagar	375	1000
21.	Jammu	ESIC Hospital, Baribrahma	50	100
22.	Kerala	ESIC Hospital, Udyogmandal	100	150
23.	Maharashtra	ESIC Hospital, Bibvewadi	100	120
24.	Rajasthan	ESIC Hospital & Medical College, Alwar	330	420
25.	Madhya Pradesh	ESIC Hospital & Medical College, Indore	300	420

^{*} Commissioned 350 beds.

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Details of number of proposals received in prescribed proforma during 01.07.2024 to 30.06.2025 for the establishment of ESI hospitals, State / UT wise

S. No	State	District	Location
1.	Andhra Pradesh	Prakasam	Ongole
2.	Andhra Pradesh	West Godavari	Bhimavaram
3.	Andhra Pradesh	YSR	Kadapa
4.	Andhra Pradesh	Ananthapur	Anantapuram
5.	Andhra Pradesh	Chittoor	Chittoor
6.	Andhra Pradesh	Eluru	Eluru
7.	Andhra Pradesh	Sri Satya Sai	Hindupur
8.	Meghalaya	East Khasi Hills	Shillong
9.	Telangana	Karimnagar	Karimnagar
10.	Tamil Nadu	Namakkal	Namakkal
11.	Tamil Nadu	Karur	Karur
12.	Tamil Nadu	Tiruvallur	Tiruvallur
13.	Tamil Nadu	Ambur	Ambur
