

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT**

**RAJYA SABHA**

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3307  
TO BE ANSWERED ON 31.03.2022**

**MEDICAL COLLEGES OPERATED BY ESIC**

**3307. # SHRI SUSHIL KUMAR MODI:**

**Will the Minister of Labour and Employment be pleased to state:**

- (a) the location-wise number of medical colleges operated by the Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) in the country and the college-wise number of seats sanctioned;**
- (b) the total number of seats sanctioned and students enrolled in the medical college established by ESIC in Bihta, Bihar;**
- (c) the number of seats reserved in the medical college, Bihta for the wards of the labourers associated with ESIC and the status of enrolment thereof; and**
- (d) whether Government proposes to establish ESIC hospitals of the capacity of 100 beds in Darbhanga and Bhagalpur?**

**ANSWER**

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

**(a): Details of Medical colleges operated by the Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) are at Annexure.**

**(b) & (c): ESIC Medical College, Bihta has 100 seats per year. As on 21.03.2022, 81 students are enrolled in the academic year 2021-22 (First batch). Out of 100 seats, 35 seats are allocated for wards of ESI Insured Persons (IPs) for the ESIC Medical College, Bihta and 32 students are enrolled against allocated seats.**

**(d): Setting up of an Employees' State Insurance (ESI) hospital is based on the Insurance Person (IP) population in a peripheral area. As per ESIC norms, IP population of 50000 for 100 bedded hospital is required within the catchment area of 25 kms. The present IP population in Darbhanga and Bhagalpur is 10,000 and 18,961 respectively. Hence, both these locations do not qualify for an ESI hospital at present.**

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**Annexure**

**STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) OF RAJYA SABHA USSTARRED QUESTION NO. 3307 FOR ANSWER ON 31.03.2022 ASKED BY SHRI SUHIL KUMAR MODI REGARDING MEDICAL COLLEGES OPERATED BY ESIC.**

**Details of Medical Colleges operated by Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC)**

S. No.	Name of the Medical College	No. of sanctioned seats (per year)
1.	ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Rajajinagar, Bangalore, Karnataka	125
2.	ESIC Medical College & Hospital, KK Nagar, Chennai	125
3.	ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Joka, Kolkata, West Bengal	125
4.	ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Gulbarga, Karnataka	125
5.	ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Faridabad, Haryana	125
6.	ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad, Telangana	125
7.	ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Alwar, Rajasthan	100
8.	ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Bihta (Patna), Bihar	100

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