

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

RAJYA SABHA

**UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 257
TO BE ANSWERED ON 03.02.2022**

HEALTH SERVICES UNDER ESIC

257. # SHRI NARHARI AMIN:

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

- (a) number of ESIC hospitals/dispensaries established in the country, State/UT-wise;**
- (b) whether enrolment of labourers under ESIC is continuously increasing and if so, the details thereof and the measures being taken by Government to cover the increasing number of beneficiaries; and**
- (c) the details of steps taken by Government to improve the medical services under ESIC in the country?**

ANSWER

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

(a): The State-wise details of number of Employees' State Insurance (ESI) hospitals/dispensaries including Dispensary-cum-Branch Offices(DCBOs) set up in the country are at Annexure.

(b): Details of enrolment of members under ESIC are as under:-

Year	No. of Insured Persons
2016-17	31962910
2017-18	34331300
2018-19	34967080
2019-20	34144140
2020-21	33919370

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Steps taken by the ESIC to enhance coverage under ESI are as follows:-

- i. The ESI Scheme has been fully extended to 441 districts where the scheme was partially available at different centres. The scheme has also been extended to 154 districts where it is available in district headquarters area and prominent industrial centres. As a result, the implementation of ESI Scheme has expanded from 393 districts in the year 2015-16 to 595 districts at present.**
- ii. Survey/ inspections are carried out from time to time for coverage of factories and establishments not covered under the ESI Act, 1948.**

(c): The steps taken by ESI Corporation to improve the medical services are as under:

- i. Bears entire expenditure (within the ceiling) on medical care incurred by the State Government for a period of 3 years w.e.f. 2019-20.**
- ii. Enhancement of 50% bed strength, if bed occupancy is more than 70% in ESI hospitals for the last three consecutive years.**
- iii. Provides Rs.200/- per IP per annum over and above ceiling to the State Government, where the bed occupancy in all the ESIS hospitals is more than 70% during the previous financial year.**
- iv. Approval for setting up of 53 new ESI hospitals.**
- v. Setting up of Dispensary-cum-Branch Offices (DCBOs).**
- vi. Encouraging formation of ESI State level society to enable faster administrative and financial decision making.**
- vii. Behavioural training to the staff.**
- viii. Feedback system for indoor patients.**

ANNEXURE

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF THE RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 257 FOR ANSWER ON 03.02.2022 REGARDING HEALTH SERVICES UNDER ESIC.

State-wise number of ESI hospitals and dispensaries including Dispensaries cum Branch Offices (DCBOs)

Sl. No.	State / UT	Hospitals		Dispensaries		Dispensaries-cum- Branch Offices (DCBOs) run by ESIC
		ESIC	ESIS	ESIC	ESIS	
1.	Andaman & Nicobar Islands	0	0	0	0	1
2.	Andhra Pradesh	0	4	0	94	4
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	0	0	0	0	1
4.	Assam	1	1	0	26	1
5.	Bihar	2	2	0	17	3
6.	Chandigarh (UT)	1	0	0	2	0
7.	Chhattisgarh	2	0	0	42	0
8.	Delhi (UT)	4	0	32	0	0
9.	Goa	0	1	0	13	0
10.	Gujarat	4	7	0	103	3
11.	Haryana	3	4	0	81	2
12.	Himachal Pradesh	1	1	0	17	1
13.	Jammu & Kashmir	1	0	0	8	5
14.	Jharkhand	2	1	0	21	2
15.	Karnataka	3	8	0	113	5
16.	Kerala	3	9	0	145	1
17.	Madhya Pradesh	1	6	0	42	8
18.	Maharashtra	3	12	0	56	13
19.	Manipur	0	0	0	0	1
20.	Meghalaya	0	0	0	2	0
21.	Mizoram	0	0	0	1	0
22.	Nagaland	0	0	0	2	0
23.	Odisha	2	7	0	41	1
24.	Puducherry (UT)	0	1	0	14	0
25.	Punjab	1	6	0	69	3
26.	Rajasthan	4	4	0	74	6
27.	Sikkim	0	0	0	1	0
28.	Tamil Nadu	2	8	0	225	1
29.	Telangana	2	5	0	70	9
30.	Tripura	0	0	0	1	0
31.	Uttar Pradesh	6	10	4	94	2
32.	Uttarakhand	1	0	0	28	0
33.	West Bengal	1	13	0	64	3
	Total	50	110	36	1466	76
