

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1082
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MEDICAL COLLEGE UNDER ESIC
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Employee State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) intends to set up a new medical college at the Chest Disease ESI Hospital at Ahmedabad;
- (b) if so, the steps taken by the Government in this regard;
- (c) the time by which the medical college is likely to be completed; and
- (d) whether admissions in the proposed medical college will be given as per admission rules of State Government or under any new policy under consideration by the ESIC?

Answer

MINISTER OF LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI MALLIKARJUN KHARGE)

- (a): Yes, Madam.
- (b) & (c): A Medical College at Chest Diseases Hospital, Naroda, Ahmedabad is in the approved list of Medical Education Institutions proposed to be set by the ESI Corporation and is to be considered after completion of ongoing projects.
- (d): As on date, Admission Policy followed in ESIC Medical Education Institution is as per the guidelines of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.