

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

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ESI HOSPITALS

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

- (a) the total number of Employees State Insurance (ESI) hospitals in the country State-wise, which are presently functioning;
- (b) whether the Government has any proposal to establish more ESI Hospitals in the country particularly in the States of Tamil Nadu, Karnataka and Maharashtra;
- (c) if so, the details thereof;
- (d) if not, the reasons therefor;
- (e) the number of workers/employees benefited from such services in the country including Maharashtra during the last three years and the current year; and
- (f) the details of facilities provided by the Government in these centres?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI KODIKUNNIL SURESH)

- (a): A total of 145 number of Employees State Insurance (ESIC) Hospitals are presently functioning. The State-wise details is at Annex-I.
- (b) to (d): Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) has approved setting up of 20 new hospitals all over the country. The State-wise details are at Annex-II.
- (e): Details of number of Insured Persons (IPs) eligible to avail services of ESI in the country during the last three years are at Annex-III.
- (f): Employees' State Insurance (ESI) Hospitals provide secondary medical care services including OPD, Indoor, diagnostic & Emergency services.