

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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RAILWAY HOSPITAL JABALPUR
Singh Shri Rakesh

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) the details of the health facilities made available in the Railway hospital at Jabalpur;
- (b) whether advanced facilities for treatment of serious diseases are available in the said hospital;
- (c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (d) the steps taken/ being taken by the Railways to modernise and equip the said hospital with advanced facilities?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI ADHIR RANJAN CHOWDHURY)

(a) to (c) Yes, Madam. The Central hospital at Jabalpur has OPD and Indoor facilities with emergency facilities of well equipped ICU and Casualty. Dental procedures are being carried out at Railway Hospital, Jabalpur. Preventive & Promotive health services are being provided through the Health & Family Welfare Department. Specialists in Medicine, Surgery, Ophthalmology, Anesthesia, Orthopedics, ENT, Obstetrics & Gynecology and Pediatrics are available in the Hospital. Diagnostic services like Pathology and Radiology are also available here. In addition Super Speciality and Speciality services are made available either by Honorary Visiting Specialists (HVSs) or by calling consultants on case to case basis. Specialities not available in the hospital are provided to the beneficiaries through recognized private hospitals. Tertiary level treatment is provided to the Patients through Railway Hospital/ Perambur, Jagjivan Ram Hospital/ Mumbai, Tata Memorail Hospital/ Mumbai, Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar Central Hospital/ Byculla etc. Tertiary Level Treatment is also made available through recognized Private Hospitals. Advanced diagnostic care facilities such as Lab investigations and CT/MRI are made available by outsourcing.

(d) To modernise and equip the hospital with advanced facilities an additional block has been commissioned in the Central Hospital Jabalpur. Availability of staff and procurement of modern equipment is under process.