

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

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MEDICAL FACILITY IN ESI HOSPITAL
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Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the healthcare of Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) beneficiaries is being affected due to the non-availability of facilities such as dialysis etc., in the ESI hospitals in various parts of the country including industrial area of Adityapur, Jharkhand;
- (b) if so, the details of such hospitals along with the reasons for the non-availability of such facilities, State-wise; and
- (c) the corrective steps taken by the Government to provide the above facilities to all such ESI hospitals along with the present status thereof, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR STEEL, MINES, LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI VISHNU DEO SAI)

(a) to (c): No, Madam. The Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) has entered into tie-up arrangements with Private/Government hospitals for providing facilities, including dialysis, which are not available in ESIC/Employees' State Insurance Scheme (ESIS) hospitals to ESI beneficiaries. This arrangement is available in various parts of the country including industrial area of Adityapur, Jharkhand.

The facility of dialysis was temporarily withdrawn by one tie-up hospital in Adityapur, Jharkhand during 14.06.2014 to 19.06.2014. The dialysis facility has been resumed w.e.f. 20.06.2014