

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

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MODEL HOSPITALS FOR LABOURERS  
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**Will the Minister of LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government propose to establish Model Hospitals especially in the backward and tribal areas of the country including Maharashtra to provide high quality medical facilities to the labourers;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, State/UT-wise and location-wise; and
- (c) the expenditure likely to be incurred on the establishment of the said hospitals?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF STATE (IC) FOR LABOUR AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI BANDARU DATTATREYA)

(a) & (b): The Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) has established 20 Model Hospitals in the country. In addition, the ESIC has established another 131 ESI Hospitals in the country. These hospitals are established in areas where ESI Scheme has been implemented, including backward and tribal area.

The State/Union-Territory-wise and location-wise list of these hospitals is at Annex.

ESIC has no proposal to set-up any new Model Hospital in the country.

(c): Does not arise in view of reply to part (a) & (b) of the question above.