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Editorial

The latest edition of ESI Samachar exemplifies the dynamic and steadfast commitment of the Employees' State Insurance Corporation to innovation, progress and the well-being of its stakeholders. The milestones and initiatives showcased in this issue reflect ESIC's unwavering dedication to advancing healthcare, social security and employment reforms.

Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi's virtual inauguration and foundation-laying of seven ESI projects nationwide marked a significant step towards improving healthcare accessibility. Equally noteworthy was the 194th ESIC meeting, chaired by the Union Minister Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya in the presence of MoS Sushri Shobha Karandlaje and other Corporation members, which saw announcements of major expansions in medical education and infrastructure, further cementing ESIC's role as a leader in social security.

The Union Minister's engagement with Zonal Commissioners and Regional Directors through video conferencing underscores ESIC's proactive approach to addressing key operational challenges. Meanwhile, MoS Sushri Shobha Karandlaje's leadership at regional meetings and her announcement of a ₹152 crore modernization project for ESIS Hospital in Belgaum signify a focused drive to enhance services and infrastructure across states.

The Secretary, Ministry of Labour & Employment's participation in the BRICS Labour and Employment Ministerial Meeting 2024 and the 233rd Standing Committee meeting of ESIC further reflect the organization's engagement in global and national dialogues for meaningful reforms.

Additionally, the enrollment of 22.53 lakh and 20.74 lakh new workers under the ESI Scheme in July and August 2024, respectively, highlights ESIC's expanding outreach and its critical role in providing a safety net for India's workforce. It also covers various visits of the dignitaries.

ESI Samachar continues to serve as a vital medium for celebrating these accomplishments and sharing updates on the transformative journey of ESIC. We remain committed to driving innovation and excellence in healthcare and social security, ensuring a brighter, healthier future for all.

Rakesh Kumar Editor

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Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi Virtually Inaugurates and Lays Foundation for 7 ESI Projects Nationwide

Prime Minister Narendra Modi on 29.10.2024 laid the foundation stones for six new ESI hospitals to expand healthcare services for ESIC beneficiaries across India. These facilities include a 200-bed hospital in Bommasandra, Karnataka; 100-bed hospitals

in Narsapur, Karnataka; Pithampur, Madhya Pradesh; and Meerut, Uttar Pradesh; a 30-bed hospital in Atchutapuram, Andhra Pradesh; and an upgraded ESIC Medical College in Faridabad, Haryana, which will increase its capacity from 650 to 1150 beds.



Additionally, PM Modi inaugurated a new 300-bed ESIC hospital in Indore, Madhya Pradesh, designed to expand to 500 beds, which will benefit around 14 lakh insured individuals. Each of these new facilities will feature advanced amenities, including

modular OTs, ICUs, NICU, PICU, and imaging services, along with liquid medical oxygen plants, CSSD/TSSU units, and nurse call systems, enhancing ESIC's healthcare infrastructure nationwide.









Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya Highlights PM Modi's Vision at Inauguration of 7 ESIC Projects

On 29th October 2024, Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya, Minister of Labour and Employment & Youth Affairs and Sports, shared his significant remarks from the All India Institute of Ayurveda, Delhi, during the inauguration and foundation stone laying of seven ESIC projects nationwide. He emphasized how Hon'ble PM Modi's vision has transformed healthcare, making it accessible and affordable for all, marking a major step towards building a Swasth (Healthy) and Samriddh (Prosperous) Bharat.



Union Minister of Labour & Employment Chairs 3rd Regional Meeting with States/UTs

Dr. Mansukh Mandaviya, Union Minister of Labour & Employment chaired a regional meeting on labour reforms and employment with five western States/Union Territories (UTs)—namely Maharashtra, Goa, Gujarat, Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Daman & Diu, and Lakshadweep—in Rajkot, Gujarat, on 15 September 2024. Insightful discussions were held regarding the Employees State Insurance (ESI) scheme.

In his address, Dr. Mandaviya emphasized that the Government of India is committed to providing comprehensive and easily

accessible social protection coverage to all workers in both organized and unorganized sectors. He further stated that the Ministry is working with States/UTs to expand the services and benefits of ESIC to all districts in the nation. He added that greater coordination among the Centre, States, and UTs is essential to leverage Information Technology (IT), including Artificial Intelligence (AI), to facilitate beneficiaries' access to quality services. Dr. Mandaviya mentioned that ESIC's Dhanwantari portal will be strengthened for advanced data management in line with global standards.



The Union Minister also highlighted that convergence between ESIS and Ayushman Bharat Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (AB-PMJAY) is being planned. "Under this policy, ESIC/ESIS beneficiaries will have access to quality medical facilities in more than 30,000 hospitals empanelled with AB-PMJAY. This



will eliminate distinctions regarding access to services offered by government, public sector, and private hospitals, allowing beneficiaries to efficiently receive treatment in any empanelled hospital," he stated.



केंद्रीय श्रम एवं रोजगार मंत्री डॉ. मनसुख मांडविया का क.रा.बी. अस्पताल, बिबवेवाडी दौरा

19 सितम्बर, 2024 को केंद्रीय श्रम एवं रोजगार मंत्री डॉ. मनसुख मांडविया ने पुणे के बिबवेवाड़ी स्थित क.रा.बी. अस्पताल का दौरा किया और वहां की चिकित्सा सुविधाओं का गहन निरीक्षण किया।

निरीक्षण के दौरान, डॉ. मांडविया ने मरीजों से सीधे बातचीत की और उनकी स्वास्थ्य सेवाओं से संबंधित अनुभवों को जाना। मरीजों ने अस्पताल की व्यवस्थाओं और सेवाओं की सराहना की, जिसे सुनकर डॉ. मांडविया ने संतोष व्यक्त किया। उन्होंने कहा, "यह जानकर खुशी हुई कि क.रा.बी. अस्पताल हमारे श्रमिक साथियों के स्वास्थ्य की बेहतरीन देखभाल कर रहा है।"

डॉ. मांडविया ने अस्पताल प्रशासन को बेहतर सुविधाएं प्रदान करने के लिए सराहा और चिकित्सा सेवाओं को और सशक्त बनाने के निर्देश दिए।





क.रा.बी. अस्पताल, बिबवेवाड़ी में केंद्रीय मंत्री डॉ. मनसुख मांडविया द्वारा पोधारोंपण

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डॉ. मांडविया ने इस पहल को प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी जी की एक महत्वपूर्ण योजना बताया, जिसका उद्देश्य पर्यावरण संरक्षण के प्रति

जागरूकता फैलाना और आने वाली पीढ़ियों के लिए एक स्वस्थ भविष्य सुनिश्चित करना है। उन्होंने सभी से इस अभियान में भाग लेने और प्रकृति के संरक्षण में योगदान करने की अपील की, ताकि देश को एक हरित और स्वच्छ वातावरण प्रदान किया जा सके।

यह अभियान न केवल पर्यावरण संरक्षण के लिए एक महत्वपूर्ण कदम है, बल्कि समाज में प्राकृतिक संसाधनों के प्रति जिम्मेदारी का भाव जागृत करने का भी एक प्रयास है।

