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## Editorial

We are delighted to present the latest edition of ESI Samachar, a testament to the dynamic and impactful initiatives spearheaded by the Employees' State Insurance Corporation. This newsletter serves as a portal into our continuous commitment to fostering positive transformations in the lives of our stakeholders, encapsulating the spirit of our unwavering dedication.

Within the pages of this edition, a rich mosaic of programmes and initiatives unfolds, each standing as a testament to our commitment to creating a meaningful impact. Here, we highlight key events that exemplify our dedication.

Delve into the outcomes and insights stemming from the significant 192nd Meeting of the Employees' State Insurance Corporation. Explore the nuanced deliberations and outcomes of the 229th Meeting of the Standing Committee.

Immerse yourself in the intricacies of the Suvridha Samagam Meeting, a dynamic platform that brought together pensioners and employees from ESIC field offices and hospitals nationwide. Gain valuable insights into the impactful role played by our esteemed Director General at the 'Growth with Impact' Government Summit.

Embark on a journey through our Director General's participation in events such as the Inaugural Ceremony of the Fourth Science Conclave, a seminar on the prevention of sexual harassment, and the honouring of Shri Pranay Sinha, Insurance Commissioner, with the prestigious St. Xavier's Significant Achievement Award 2023.

Celebrate the historic achievement at ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Faridabad, with the successful execution of the first kidney transplant. Learn about ESIC's proactive measures in extending support to stone quarry workers in Rajasthan affected by silicosis.

As we share these accomplishments, we extend our gratitude for your continued support and collaboration, inviting you to join us on this journey towards collective progress.

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## Director General's Message

Adorned with the noteworthy achievements and transformative initiatives, ESIC has consistently dedicated itself to providing comprehensive benefits to eligible workers and their dependents, underscoring a commitment to a future where the well-being of our workforce takes precedence.

A pivotal 192<sup>nd</sup> Meeting of the Employees' State Insurance Corporation, presided over by Shri Bhupender Yadav, Hon'ble Union Minister for Labour & Employment and Chairman of ESIC, marked a significant turning point. Crucial decisions were made to extend medical care and cash benefits to insured workers. The green light on the proposal to increase the basic rate of Permanent Disablement Benefit (PDB) and Dependant's Benefit (DB) serves as a testament to our commitment to ensuring that beneficiaries receive substantial support, especially in challenging times.

The Suvidha Samagam meeting further highlighted our commitment to transparency bringing together pensioners and employees from various ESIC field offices and hospitals. This platform facilitated immediate resolutions for various grievances, ranging from medical facilities to human resources issues.

A remarkable milestone was achieved with the successful execution of the first Live Related Renal Transplant (LRRT) at ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Faridabad. This achievement not only underscores our medical expertise but also showcases the state-of-the-art facilities available to the beneficiaries under the ESIC umbrella.

In addressing the plight of stone quarry workers facing occupational hazards, ESIC has taken a proactive stance. Support provided to those affected by silicosis in the Abu Road and Pindwara areas of Sirohi District, Rajasthan, goes beyond medical care. It extends to financial aid through Dependant Benefits (DB) for the families of the deceased and Permanent Disability Benefits (PDB) for insured workers facing incapacitation.

The provisional payroll data for October 2023 reflects that 17.28 lakh new employees have been added, with a substantial 47.76% belonging to the age group of up to 25 years. The inclusion of 3.31 lakh female members and 51 transgender employees further emphasizes our commitment to inclusivity.

These achievements resonate with our commitment to shape a future where social security, well-being, and inclusivity stand at the forefront. As we look forward, I am excited about the prospect of continued progress and collaboration for the benefit of our valued workforce. The journey ahead promises further milestones and I am confident that ESIC will continue to set new benchmarks in social security.

**Dr. Rajendra Kumar, I.A.S.**  
Director General, ESIC



## ESIC Announces Key Initiatives for Improved Healthcare and Benefits

The 192nd Meeting of the Employees' State Insurance Corporation held on December 15, 2023, at the ESIC Headquarters, chaired by Shri Bhupender Yadav, Union Minister for Labour and Employment, Environment, Forest and Climate Change and Chairman of ESIC,

saw the adoption of crucial decisions aimed at providing medical care and cash benefits to insured workers. Shri Rameswar Teli, Union Minister of State for Labour & Employment, Petroleum and Natural Gas, graced the meeting as Vice-Chairman.





ESI Corporation approved the proposal to increase the basic rate of Permanent Disablement Benefit (PDB) and Dependant's Benefit (DB) to neutralize the impact of inflation. PDB is paid at the rate of 90% of wages as a monthly payment, depending on the extent

of loss of earning capacity certified by a Medical Board and DB is paid at the rate of 90% of the wage in the form of monthly payment to the dependants of a deceased insured person in cases of death due to employment injury or occupational hazards.





ESI Corporation approved the establishment of 9 new ESIC Hospitals in the states of Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh and Uttarakhand. Additionally, 17 new ESI dispensaries are set to be established in Gujarat, aiming to enhance healthcare accessibility.

Bed strength at ESIC hospitals is set to increase from 100 to 120 beds for ESIC hospital in Bibvewadi, Maharashtra and 75 to 150 beds for ESIC Hospital in Rourkela, Odisha.





ESIC Hospital in Andheri, Mumbai, is slated for an upgrade to a Multi-Specialty Hospital with a capacity of 500 beds. This move is geared towards modernizing facilities to offer insured persons and their dependents access to advanced treatment facilities under one roof.

ESIC Corporation announced the takeover of ESIC Hospital,

Maithan, Jharkhand, to further strengthen its healthcare network.

Audited annual accounts for 2022-23, along with the report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (CAG) and the Annual Report of ESIC, were adopted during the meeting. These documents will be presented before the Parliament.



Meeting was attended by key officials, including Ms. Arti Ahuja, Secretary (L&E), Ms. Dola Sen, MP, Shri Ram Kirpal Yadav, MP and Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, along with representatives of state governments, employers, employees and

experts in the medical field. The decisions taken reflect ESIC's ongoing commitment to provide comprehensive healthcare and benefits to insured workers and their families.



## Shri Rameshwar Teli, Union Minister of state Visit Boosts Morale at ESIC Hospital, Gurugram

Shri Rameshwar Teli, Union Minister of State for Labour and Employment, made a visit to the 150-bedded ESIC Hospital located at Sector 9, Gurugram, Haryana, on December 6, 2023. During the visit, the Minister conducted a thorough inspection of

the hospital premises, engaged in discussions with healthcare professionals and extended words of encouragement to the dedicated staff, urging them to maintain high standards in providing healthcare services to the patients.



The purpose of the visit was to assess the overall operational efficiency and the quality of healthcare services rendered by the ESIC Hospital in Gurugram. Shri Rameshwar Teli actively

interacted with doctors, nurses and other healthcare staff to gain firsthand knowledge of the challenges faced and commendable efforts put forth by the hospital team.





Expressing his appreciation for the tireless efforts of the healthcare professionals, Minister Teli highlighted the crucial role they play in delivering quality healthcare to the patients. The visit served as an opportunity to recognize and acknowledge the commitment of the medical staff in ensuring the well-being of the patients, especially

in the context of the ongoing efforts to combat health challenges. Shri Rameshwar Teli's encouraging words aimed to motivate the healthcare team to uphold and further improve the standards of patient care.



This visit by Union Minister Shri Rameshwar Teli reflects the government's commitment to ensure the efficiency and

effectiveness of healthcare facilities under the ESIC umbrella.



## Ms. Arti Ahuja, Secretary (L&E) Chairs 229th ESIC Standing Committee Meeting

Ms. Arti Ahuja, Secretary (L&E), led the 229th Meeting of the Standing Committee of the Employees' State Insurance Corporation on December 7, 2023. The meeting, held at Shram Shakti Bhawan in New Delhi, saw the participation of representatives

from Employees' Unions, Employers' Associations, Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC and senior officers from the Ministry of Labour & Employment (MoL&E) and ESIC.



Among the key items discussed were the confirmation of the Minutes of the 228th Meeting, the Action Taken Report on recommendations and decisions made during the previous

meeting and the Audited Annual Accounts of ESIC for the fiscal year 2022-23. The latter included the report of the Comptroller and Auditor General (CAG).





Additionally, the draft Annual Report of the ESI Corporation for the year 2022-23 and its analysis were scrutinized during the meeting. These reports provide an in-depth overview of ESIC's

financial standing, operational performance and strategic initiatives undertaken during the specified period.



The participation of representatives from both Employees' Unions and Employers' Associations ensured a holistic and inclusive

approach to decision-making, representing the interests of all stakeholders.



## Reviewing the Progress: 100-Bed ESIC Hospital Project in Tirupur

Ms. Arti Ahuja, Secretary (L&E) conducted a comprehensive review of the ongoing project of a 100-bed ESIC Hospital, accompanied by 32 staff quarters in Tirupur, Tamil Nadu, on December 22, 2023.

During the visit, the Chief Engineers from the Central Public Works

Department (CPWD) and ESIC were present to guide and brief Ms. Arti Ahuja, Secretary (L&E) on the progress and intricacies of the project. The visit aimed to provide a firsthand understanding of the ongoing development and address any challenges that might need attention.



The ambitious hospital project spans across 7.46 acres and is being constructed at a revised cost of 95.13 crore. Once completed, the facility is poised to benefit approximately 4 lakh

Insured Persons (IPs) in Tirupur and nearby districts, providing them with access to modern and comprehensive healthcare services.





The hospital is designed to house state-of-the-art patient care facilities, including an Emergency department, Outpatient

Departments (OPDs), Laboratory, Modular Operating Theatre (OT) Complex, Intensive Care Unit (ICU), Wards and more.



The physical progress of the project as of the review date stands at an impressive 92% for the civil portion and 70% for the electrical portion. Ms. Arti Ahuja, Secretary (L&E) commended the efforts made so far and urged all concerned parties to accelerate their

efforts to meet the project's completion deadline.

Expressing the urgency of the project's completion, Ms. Arti Ahuja, directed all stakeholders to ensure the hospital's readiness for operation by January 2024.



## Ms. Arti Ahuja, Secretary (L&E) Inspects ESIC Offices in Tirupati, Addresses Beneficiary Concerns

Ms. Arti Ahuja, Secretary (L&E), conducted a comprehensive inspection of the ESIC Sub-Regional Office (SRO) and Dispensary-cum-Branch Office (DCBO) in Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, on December 23, 2023. The visit aimed to ensure the effective functioning of ESIC operations and address the concerns of Insured Persons (IPs).

During her visit, Ms. Arti Ahuja, Secretary (L&E) focused on understanding the payment processes for IPs. She took a keen interest in the Benefit Payments Module, its processing and the uploading of certificates.



One of the significant moments during the visit was when Ms. Arti Ahuja, personally handed over the Dependant Benefit pension sanction letter to the family of the deceased IP, Shri A. Veeraswamy. Shri Veeraswamy tragically passed away while

on duty due to a cardiac arrest. The family, now in receipt of a monthly Dependant Benefit pension of Rs. 10,354, has found relief from financial distress.



After the pension distribution, Ms. Arti Ahuja, engaged with ESIC officers and staff. She took the opportunity to appreciate their dedication and hard work in serving ESI beneficiaries.

Her motivational interaction encouraged and inspired the team to continue their valuable contributions to the welfare of the beneficiaries.



## ESIC Expands Social Security Reach Across 661 Districts, Introduces Innovative Healthcare Initiatives

The Employees State Insurance Corporation has marked a significant milestone by extending its coverage to 661 districts, encompassing even the remote region of Lakshadweep. With a robust network of 161 hospitals and 1574 dispensaries, ESIC's reach has widened, now providing social security to over 3.42 crore Insured Persons (IPs) and benefiting more than 13.30 crore individuals.

One notable enhancement in ESIC's healthcare offerings is the introduction of chemotherapy services in 38 of its hospitals nationwide, each equipped with 100 beds or more. This development, implemented since May 2023, aims to provide enhanced cancer treatment facilities for the welfare of beneficiaries.

The commitment to improving medical infrastructure is evident through the increase in the number of medical colleges to 8, along with a boost in MBBS seats to 950 and MD/MS seats to 275. This expansion is poised to further strengthen ESIC's healthcare capabilities.

ESIC is taking a proactive approach to healthcare delivery with innovative initiatives like "Kahin Bhi, Kabhi Bhi," which facilitates accessibility to healthcare services anytime, anywhere. The introduction of a Referral Policy, supported by a real-time

dashboard for doctor/specialty-wise referrals, home delivery of medicines and telemedicine services for IPs or beneficiaries unable to visit the hospital, demonstrates a commitment to patient-centric care.

Prioritizing preventive health, ESIC has established public health units and initiated the mapping of occupational diseases, highlighting a holistic approach towards ensuring the well-being of workers.

A noteworthy addition to emergency medical services is the launch of a 5G Ambulance service, providing advanced information on patients en route to the hospital. This cutting-edge service reflects ESIC's dedication to leveraging technology for improved healthcare outcomes.

Furthermore, IPs can now avail treatment in hospitals empaneled under the Pradhan Mantri Jan Arogya Yojana (PMJAY) scheme, expanding the avenues for quality healthcare services.

ESIC's multifaceted approach, combining expansive coverage, infrastructure improvements and innovative healthcare initiatives, underscores its commitment to providing comprehensive social security and healthcare solutions to a growing number of beneficiaries across the nation.

## Ms. Arti Ahuja, Secretary (L&E) Advocates Enhanced Healthcare at ESI Hospital, Tirupathi

Ms. Arti Ahuja, Secretary (L&E), embarked on a visit to the ESI Hospital in Tirupathi, Andhra Pradesh, on December 24, 2023. The purpose of the visit was to inspect the hospital, evaluate its facilities and engage with patients, para-medical staff and doctors to understand their experiences and needs.

During her visit, Ms. Arti Ahuja, observed the existing facilities at the hospital, ensuring a firsthand understanding of the healthcare services available. She interacted with patients, para-medical staff and doctors, valuing their perspectives on the healthcare delivery system and gained insights into areas that may require improvement.



Recognizing the pivotal role of ESI Hospitals in providing healthcare to workers and their families, Ms. Arti Ahuja, advocated for the augmentation and improvement of the service delivery

mechanism at the Tirupathi facility for enhancing the overall patient experience.





Her hands-on inspection and interactions with stakeholders highlight the government's commitment to providing quality

healthcare services to workers and their families through the ESI system.



## Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, Highlights Achievements and Future Plans in New Year Address

In a New Year address at the ESIC Headquarters on January 1, 2024, Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, extended warm greetings to all and took the opportunity to reflect on the organization's achievements in the past year and outline future plans.

Dr. Rajendra Kumar commended the initiatives launched by ESIC in the previous year, citing the introduction of online benefits claim facilities and the convenience of drug delivery and sample collection services from the comfort of beneficiaries' homes.

These initiatives are aimed at enhancing the overall experience for ESIC beneficiaries and streamlining the service delivery process.

Emphasizing the importance of continuous improvement, Dr. Rajendra Kumar underscored the need for ongoing enhancements in the service delivery mechanism of ESIC. This commitment for improvement reflects ESIC's dedication to provide efficient and accessible social security and medical care facilities to its beneficiaries.



The Director General also shared insights into the future plans of ESIC, emphasizing their instrumental role in expanding the reach of the Employees' State Insurance Scheme.

Dr. Rajendra Kumar expressed optimism about ESIC reaching new heights in the coming year, indicating a positive trajectory for the organization.





## Strengthening Bonds: Director General, ESIC Chairs Suvidha Samagam Meeting with Pensioners and Employees

In a significant stride towards enhancing organizational transparency and fostering a sense of trust, Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, presided over a Suvidha Samagam meeting on December 5, 2023. The meeting, conducted at the

ESIC Headquarters in New Delhi, witnessed the participation of pensioners and employees from various ESIC field offices and hospitals across the nation, who virtually joined the session through video conferencing.



During the Suvidha Samagam meeting, Dr. Rajendra Kumar demonstrated a commitment to address the concerns of pensioners and employees. Grievances related to medical facilities, reimbursement of bills and industrial relations/human resources issues were discussed and the Director General provided on-the-spot resolutions wherever possible. In cases where immediate resolution was not feasible, Dr. Rajendra Kumar directed the relevant authorities to address the grievances within a stipulated timeframe of one week.

Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Rajendra Kumar emphasized the importance of events like Suvidha Samagam in building trust between the organization and its workforce. Such interactive platforms allow for a direct and open dialogue, fostering a culture of responsiveness and accountability.

The meeting was attended by high-ranking officials, including the Financial Commissioner, Insurance Commissioners, Medical Commissioners, Deans, Medical Superintendents and officers from ESIC Headquarters, as well as field offices and hospitals nationwide. This diverse representation underscored the comprehensive approach taken by ESIC leadership to ensure that various aspects of the organization, from financial matters to medical services, are addressed collaboratively.

The Director General's proactive approach in personally overseeing grievance redressal reflects ESIC's commitment to maintaining a robust support system for its employees and pensioners. The emphasis on timely resolution and one-week directives for pending issues further reinforces the organization's dedication to efficient and effective service delivery.





## Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, Reviews Progress of 500-Bed ESIC Hospital in Manesar

Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, conducted a thorough inspection of the construction site for the upcoming 500-bed ESIC Hospital in Manesar on December 9, 2023. During his visit, Lt. Col. S S Mandal, Chief Engineer of ESIC, provided a detailed briefing on the progress of the ongoing project.

The construction project, overseen by the Central Public Works

Department (CPWD), is a significant endeavor aimed at enhancing healthcare infrastructure. The new hospital, spanning 8.08 acres in Sector 02, Haryana State Industrial and Infrastructure Development Corporation (HSIIDC), IMT, Manesar, is estimated to cost 679 crore. The ambitious project is set to be completed within a span of three years.



Lt. Col. S S Mandal outlined the key features of the hospital, which will be housed in a B+G+5 building with a capacity of 500 beds. The facility will boast modern amenities, including 10 state-of-the-art operating theaters.

The strategic location of the hospital in Manesar, within the HSIIDC Industrial Model Township (IMT), positions it to cater to the healthcare needs of ESI beneficiaries in the Manesar and Gurugram areas. Upon completion, the hospital is expected to

emerge as a cornerstone in providing comprehensive medical services to the growing population in the region.

Dr. Rajendra Kumar expressed his satisfaction with the progress of the project, acknowledging the concerted efforts of the CPWD and ESIC teams involved. The new hospital, once operational, is anticipated to significantly contribute to fulfill the healthcare requirements of the ESI beneficiaries in the region.



### **Strengthening Social Security for Tea Plantation Workers: A Comprehensive Overview**

Tea plantation workers, often the backbone of the thriving tea industry, are set to benefit from an array of social security measures implemented by concerned state governments. These measures, aligned with the Plantation Labour Act of 1951, mandate tea estates to provide essential welfare services and amenities such as housing, medical care, primary education, water supply and sanitation to ensure the well-being of tea workers.

Significantly, the Plantation Labour Act has been subsumed into the Labour Code on Occupational Safety, Health and Working Conditions, 2020, as well as the Social Security Code, 2020. Under the Social Security Code 2020, plantation owners now have the option to enroll their workers as members of the Employees' State Insurance Corporation, opening up avenues for enhanced social security benefits.



## Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, Reviews Operations and Patient Care at 100-Bed ESIC Hospital, Manesar

Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, conducted a comprehensive inspection of the 100-bed ESIC Hospital in Manesar on December 9, 2023. During the visit, Dr. Rajendra Kumar meticulously reviewed the medical and auxiliary services provided by the hospital.

The Director General embarked on a thorough inspection, taking a round of the entire hospital. He visited various wards, the casualty department and other service areas to gain insights into the overall functionality and patient care services. Engaging directly with admitted patients, Dr. Rajendra Kumar inquired about their treatment experiences and the quality of food provided.



One of the focal points of the visit was the review of the Aadhar seeding of ESI (Employee's State Insurance) numbers, a crucial process being carried out at designated kiosks within the hospital. This initiative aligns with the broader goal of incorporating technological advancements for efficient and streamlined healthcare services.

Dr. Rajendra Kumar convened a meeting with a diverse group of stakeholders, including doctors, officials and engineers. The

objective was to understand the challenges faced by the hospital and to provide prompt solutions. The Director General emphasized the importance of positive and immediate action to enhance the hospital's operations and patient care services.

Dr. Deepika Govil, Medical Commissioner and Lt. Col. S S Mandal, Chief Engineer, ESIC, were present during the Director General's visit, contributing their insights and expertise to the discussions.

The visit of DG ESIC, Dr. Rajendra Kumar and interactions with patients, reflects a dedication to understand the ground-level

challenges and to implement effective solutions for the well-being of ESI beneficiaries.





## Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, Advocates Green Initiatives by Planting Saplings at ESIC Hospital, Manesar

Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, demonstrated his commitment to environmental sustainability by planting a sapling during his visit to ESIC Hospital in Manesar on December 9, 2023.

Joining him in this green initiative was Dr. Deepika Govil, Medical Commissioner, who actively participated in planting saplings and encouraged others to contribute to the environmental cause.



The symbolic act of planting saplings at the hospital premises underlines the importance of environmental consciousness and the role organizations can play in fostering a green and sustainable

environment. Dr. Rajendra Kumar, known for his multifaceted approach to healthcare, also recognizes the integral connection between a healthy environment and overall well-being.





Dr. Rajendra Kumar's initiative aligns with the broader environmental goals, promoting the significance of afforestation and green spaces in healthcare facilities. Planting trees not only contributes to the aesthetics of the surroundings but also supports ecological balance, air quality improvement and creates

a conducive atmosphere for healing.

Dr. Deepika Govil, standing in solidarity with the green movement, actively engaged in planting saplings alongside the Director General. Her participation reflects the shared commitment of ESIC leadership to instill an eco-friendly ethos within the organization.



Beyond the symbolic gesture, the act of planting saplings serves as an invitation for everyone associated with ESIC Hospital, Manesar, to be active participants in nurturing and preserving the environment. It fosters a sense of environmental responsibility and encourages a collective effort towards sustainable practices.

By integrating green initiatives into the organizational culture, ESIC sets an example for promoting environmental awareness and sustainability. The act of planting saplings not only enhances the hospital's landscape but also contributes to a healthier and greener future, aligning with the vision of a harmonious coexistence between healthcare and nature.





## Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, Highlights Transformation at 'Growth with Impact, Government Summit'

Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, played a pivotal role at the 'Growth with Impact, Government Summit' held in New Delhi on December 11, 2023. The summit provided a platform to discuss and showcase impactful initiatives, with Dr. Rajendra Kumar shedding light on the transformative changes introduced under the ESI Scheme.

During the summit, Dr. Rajendra Kumar underscored the commitment of ESIC to provide quality and timely medical care services for insured persons and their family members. He highlighted the profound impact that the ESI Scheme has had on the healthcare landscape, ensuring accessibility and benefits for those covered.



An essential aspect emphasized by Dr. Rajendra Kumar was the integration of IT-enabled technology into the ESIC framework. This adaptation has significantly improved online accessibility for ESIC stakeholders, making it easier for beneficiaries to avail themselves of the services provided. The infusion of technology has brought about transparency in the healthcare structure and has streamlined the services delivering framework.

The focus on IT-enabled solutions reflects ESIC's dedication to stay at the forefront of technological advancements, ensuring efficiency and responsiveness in service delivery.

The incorporation of technology not only enhances accessibility but also contributes to a more transparent and accountable healthcare system.

As the 'Growth with Impact, Government Summit' serves as a platform for sharing impactful strategies, ESIC's participation reinforces its role in contributing to positive growth and transformation in the healthcare sector. The initiatives discussed at the summit align with the government's larger vision of creating an efficient and transparent framework for public services.

## Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, Advocates Research and Technology Advancements in Medical Care

Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, graced the Inaugural Ceremony of the Fourth Science Conclave cum National Biomedical Research Competition-2023 as the Chief Guest. The event, organized at ESIC Medical College and Hospital in Alwar, Rajasthan, on December 9, 2023, brought together scholars and researchers from the medical community.

Addressing the gathering, Dr. Rajendra Kumar stressed on the importance of research and the integration of the latest technology in the field of medical care. He emphasized that innovation and

advancements play a pivotal role in enhancing the quality and effectiveness of healthcare services, ultimately benefitting the patients and the community at large.

In his address, the Director General highlighted various steps taken by ESIC to provide social security benefits to insured workers and their family members. Dr. Rajendra Kumar shared insights into the organization's commitment to incorporate IT-based solutions in service delivery, ensuring efficiency, accessibility and transparency in providing social security benefits.



The Science Conclave cum National Biomedical Research Competition serves as a platform to encourage and showcase research endeavors within the medical community. By participating as the Chief Guest, Dr. Rajendra Kumar reaffirmed ESIC's support for fostering a culture of research and innovation in the healthcare sector.

As the healthcare landscape continues to evolve, Dr. Rajendra Kumar's advocacy for research and technology advancements aligns with the organization's vision of providing state-of-the-art healthcare services to insured workers and their families.



## Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, Promotes Safe Workplaces in Seminar on Sexual Harassment Prevention

Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC, led and addressed a seminar dedicated to the prevention, prohibition and redressal of sexual harassment at the workplace. The event, organized at the ESIC Headquarters in New Delhi on December 8, 2023, aimed to raise awareness and promote a safe and respectful work environment for all employees.

During his address, Dr. Rajendra Kumar provided valuable insights into the genesis and evolution of the “Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013.” He highlighted the significance of the Vishakh judgment, a landmark decision by the Supreme Court of India, as a crucial step towards ensuring a healthy and equal environment for working women.



The Director General enlightened participants on the key provisions of the Act and emphasized its role in creating a framework that addresses and prevents sexual harassment at workplaces. Dr. Rajendra Kumar stressed the importance of organizational commitment in implementing preventive measures, prohibition mechanisms and effective redressal procedures.

The seminar served as a platform for participants to gain a deeper understanding of the legal and ethical aspects related to sexual

harassment prevention. It aimed to foster a culture of awareness, sensitivity and accountability within the ESIC community.

By actively engaging in discussions on sexual harassment prevention, Dr. Rajendra Kumar demonstrated ESIC's resolve to provide a workplace that upholds the dignity and well-being of all employees. The seminar aligns with the broader societal goal for creating work environments that prioritize respect, equality and the safety of every individual.

During the event Ms. T. L. Yaden, Financial Commissioner, ESIC, took a proactive stance on ensuring workplace safety and gender equity by highlighting the provisions of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013. Her address came during a seminar held at the ESIC Headquarters in New Delhi on December 8, 2023.

In her insightful presentation, Ms. T. L. Yaden shed light on the

significance of the Act in creating a safe and secure working environment for women. The Act, enacted in 2013, serves as a robust framework for the prevention and redressal of sexual harassment incidents at workplaces. Ms. Yaden emphasized that it is not just a legal obligation but a fundamental responsibility of organizations to uphold and protect the rights of women in the workplace.



Dr. Deepika Govil, Medical Commissioner, ESIC, took a firm stand on creating a safe and healthy work environment by addressing a workshop on the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013. The workshop, held at ESIC Headquarters in New Delhi on December 8, 2023, aimed to raise awareness and underscore the importance of fostering a workplace culture free from harassment.

During her address, Dr. Deepika Govil emphasized the need for a shift in the mindset of individuals to create an environment that is conducive to the well-being and safety of working women. The Medical Commissioner acknowledged that building a healthy workplace involves more than just compliance with laws and regulations—it requires a cultural transformation that prioritizes respect, equality and zero tolerance for harassment.





## 119th ESIC Regional Board Meeting held at Kolkata Addresses Key Healthcare Initiatives

Shri Moloy Ghatak, Minister of Labour, Law & Justice, Government of West Bengal, chaired the 119th ESIC Regional Board Meeting in Kolkata on December 8, 2023. The meeting brought together key stakeholders, including Ms. Dola Sen, Member of Parliament, Shri Tanmay Chakraborty, Director of ESI Scheme, Government of West Bengal, Shri Prashanta Nandi Choudhary, Shri Pranay Sinha, Insurance Commissioner, ESIC and Shri A K Sharma, Regional Director, ESIC.

The meeting served as a crucial platform for discussing and

deliberating on various significant issues related to healthcare services and infrastructure under the ESIC framework.

Among the primary agenda items, the meeting focused on the enhancement of Social Security and Healthcare services. Discussions included strategies for improving the quality and accessibility of Super Specialty Treatment (SST) services, establishing tie-ups with Central Government Health Scheme (CGHS) empanelled hospitals and allocating land for approved hospitals and dispensaries.





The attendees addressed specific projects, such as the initiation of Cathlab services, ensuring the completion of ongoing work in hospitals at Haldia, Asansol and Siliguri and the establishment of

new dispensaries. These initiatives underscore the commitment of the ESIC and the state government to expand and enhance healthcare facilities for beneficiaries.



The presence of key government officials, along with the active participation of regional and ESIC representatives, highlighted the collaborative effort towards achieving the outlined healthcare

goals. The meeting showcased a shared commitment to addressing challenges and implementing solutions that positively impact the beneficiaries of the ESIC system.





## ईएसआईसी क्षेत्रीय परिषद, उत्तराखंड की 9वीं बैठक का आयोजन

उत्तराखंड में कर्मचारी राज्य बीमा निगम की क्षेत्रीय परिषद की 9वीं बैठक 18 दिसंबर, 2023 को आयोजित की गई। बैठक में उत्तराखंड के शेष 7 जिलों में ईएसआईसी योजना के कार्यान्वयन से संबंधित विभिन्न महत्वपूर्ण पहलों पर ध्यान केंद्रित किया गया। नगर निगम कर्मचारियों को ईएसआईसी योजना के तहत

लाना, मेडिकल अपील ट्रिब्यूनल का गठन और देहरादून, काशीपुर में चिकित्सा सुविधाओं की स्थापना और हरिद्वार में 300 बिस्तरों वाले अस्पताल के लिए भूमि का आवंटन के संबंध में चर्चा की गई।



श्री रत्नेश कुमार गौतम, बीमा आयुक्त, ईएसआईसी, सुश्री दीप्ति सिंह, श्रम आयुक्त और निदेशक ईएसआईसी, उत्तराखंड, श्री राकेश कुमार, क्षेत्रीय निदेशक (प्रभारी)

उत्तराखंड, और अन्य अधिकारी और नियोक्ता प्रतिनिधि सहित प्रमुख अधिकारियों ने बैठक में भाग लिया।





## Mr. Pranay Sinha, Insurance Commissioner, ESIC, Visits ESIC Hospital in Sahibabad, Emphasizes to Increase Bed Capacity

Mr. Pranay Sinha, Insurance Commissioner, ESIC, conducted a visit to the ESIC Hospital in Sahibabad on December 23, 2023. During the visit, he reviewed the ongoing Aadhar seeding process

and assessed the services provided by the hospital, accompanied by Dr. Surinder Kaur, the Medical Superintendent.



Mr. Sinha actively participated in the review of the services offered by the hospital and engaged in discussions with the medical staff. Recognizing the increasing number of patients, he advised

the Medical Superintendent to propose an augmentation of bed capacity to the ESIC Headquarters.





The visit focused on ensuring the seamless delivery of healthcare services and understanding the challenges faced by the hospital in catering to the growing number of patients.





## समर्पित सेवा का प्रतीकरु श्री प्रणय सिन्हा, बीमा आयुक्त - सेंट जेवियर्स महत्वपूर्ण उपलब्धि पुरस्कार 2023 से सम्मानित

ईएसआईसी में अपने बेहतरीन कार्य कौशल, प्रशासनिक अनुभव और उत्कृष्ट सेवा प्रदान करने हेतु श्री प्रणय सिन्हा, बीमा आयुक्त (अतिरिक्त प्रभार, पूर्वी क्षेत्र और उत्तर पूर्व क्षेत्र) को 'सेंट जेवियर्स महत्वपूर्ण उपलब्धि पुरस्कार 2023' से सम्मानित किया गया।

श्री प्रणय सिन्हा की यह उपलब्धि उनके सतत प्रयासों और इच्छाशक्ति को प्रकट करती है।

ईएसआईसी परिवार द्वारा श्री प्रणय सिन्हा को हार्दिक बधाई और शुभकामनाएं!





## ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Faridabad Marks Historic Milestone with First Kidney Transplant

ESIC Medical College & Hospital in Faridabad achieved a groundbreaking milestone in the realm of medical care with the successful execution of the first Live Related Renal Transplant (LRRT) on December 27, 2023.

This momentous achievement was made possible under the expert guidance and unwavering support of Dr. Asim Das, the Dean of ESIC Medical College & Hospital and Dr. A K Pandey, the Medical Superintendent. The procedure marked a significant leap in the institution's commitment to advance medical services and to ensure the well-being of its beneficiaries.

The successful transplant took place with the kidney donated by the mother of the recipient, Vipin Kumar, a 28-year-old male. The surgery was conducted seamlessly, showcasing the medical expertise and state-of-the-art facilities available at ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Faridabad.

Dr. A K Pandey, the Medical Superintendent, highlighted the transformative impact of kidney transplant on patients with End-Stage Renal Disease (ESRD). According to Dr. A K Pandey, kidney transplant not only enhance life expectancy but also significantly reduce morbidity, providing a new lease on life for those in need.



This landmark achievement is a testament to the dedication of the medical staff at ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Faridabad and their commitment to advance healthcare services for the benefit of the community. The successful execution of the first kidney transplant opens new avenues for enhanced medical care facilities at the institution.

Looking forward, Dr. A K Pandey expressed a commitment to expand and regularize kidney transplant services at ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Faridabad. The institution aims to

make this life-transforming medical procedure a regular offering, ensuring that beneficiaries in need have access to advanced and comprehensive healthcare services.

ESIC's achievement in performing the first kidney transplant not only reflects advancements in medical science but also signifies a significant stride towards providing holistic healthcare solutions to the beneficiaries, aligning with the organization's mission of ensuring the well-being of its workforce and their families.

## ईपीएफओ और ईएसआईसी की साझा पहल: सुविधा समागम और निधि आपके निकट कार्यक्रम

ईपीएफओ और ईएसआईसी ने मिलकर पुलवामा, जम्मू और कश्मीर में स्थित क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय द्वारा 27 दिसंबर 2023 को 'सुविधा समागम' और 'निधि आपके निकट' कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया।

इस कार्यक्रम में ईएसआई लाभार्थियों की समस्याओं को सुनने के बाद, उनका समाधान किया गया, और शेष समस्याओं को निश्चित समय सीमा के अंदर निपटारा करने का निर्देश दिया गया।



इस साझा पहल ने ईपीएफओ और ईएसआईसी को स्थानीय लाभार्थियों के साथ सीधे संवाद का एक मंच प्रदान किया। ईपीएफओ और ईएसआईसी लोगों के बीच संवाद के माध्यम से सीधे जुड़े, उनकी समस्याओं को समझा और इस पर सही

समाधान निकालने का प्रयास किया।

इस पहल के माध्यम से सामाजिक सुरक्षा स्थिति में सुधार करने का प्रयास किया गया है, जिससे लाभार्थियों को अधिक सुविधा मिल सके।





## ईएसआईसी और ईपीएफओ की श्री सीमेंट लिमिटेड, सूरतगढ़, राजस्थान में 'सुविधा समागम' और 'निधि आपके निकट' कार्यक्रम के तहत साझा पहल

एक सहयोगात्मक प्रयास में, कर्मचारी राज्य बीमा निगम और कर्मचारी भविष्य निधि संगठन (ईपीएफओ) ने 27 दिसंबर, 2023 को श्री सीमेंट लिमिटेड, सूरतगढ़, राजस्थान के परिसर में 'सुविधा समागम' और 'निधि आपके निकट' कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया।

संयुक्त पहल का उद्देश्य ईएसआईसी लाभार्थियों की चिंताओं और चुनौतियों का समाधान करना था। ईएसआईसी लाभार्थियों के सामने आने वाली समस्याओं को समझने के लिए एक व्यापक सत्र के बाद, प्रभावी समाधान तुरंत लागू किए गए।

इसके अतिरिक्त, किसी भी शेष समस्या का समाधान एक निश्चित समय सीमा के अन्दर सुनिश्चित करने के निर्देश जारी किए गए।

यह सहयोगात्मक कार्यक्रम न केवल ईएसआईसी और ईपीएफओ के बीच तालमेल को उजागर करता है बल्कि कार्यबल के लिए कल्याण और सामाजिक सुरक्षा लाभ बढ़ाने की उनकी प्रतिबद्धता को भी रेखांकित करता है। लाभार्थियों के साथ सीधे जुड़कर, कार्यक्रम समुदाय की भावना को बढ़ावा और समस्या-समाधान के लिए एक सक्रिय दृष्टिकोण पर जोर देता है।



'सुविधा समागम' और 'निधि आपके निकट' कार्यक्रम सामाजिक सुरक्षा लाभों को सुव्यवस्थित करने के लिए सरकारी संगठनों और उद्योगों के बीच निरंतर सहयोग के महत्व का उदाहरण देते हैं। इस तरह की पहल कार्यबल के कल्याण के लिए

एक मजबूत ढांचे के निर्माण में योगदान देती है, जिससे यह सुनिश्चित होता है कि कर्मचारियों को आवश्यक समर्थन और सहायता मिले।



## ईएसआईसी क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, फरीदाबाद ने सेवानिवृत्त कर्मचारियों और पेंशनभोगियों के लिए वार्षिक बैठक का आयोजन किया

फरीदाबाद में कर्मचारी राज्य बीमा निगम के क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय ने 27 दिसंबर, 2023 को अपनी वार्षिक बैठक श्री एम.जे.एम. मुरलीधर राव की अध्यक्षता में आयोजित

की, जिसमें विशेष रूप से सेवानिवृत्त कर्मचारियों और पेंशनभोगियों की चिंताओं और मुद्दों को संबोधित किया गया।



बैठक के दौरान ईएसआईसी पेंशनर्स एसोसिएशन के अध्यक्ष श्री योगेश सेनी ने पेंशनभोगियों के सामने आने वाली चुनौतियों पर चर्चा की। सत्र ने सेवानिवृत्त कर्मचारियों और पेंशनभोगियों को अपनी चिंताओं को व्यक्त करने के लिए एक मंच

प्रदान किया, जिससे यह सुनिश्चित हुआ कि उनके मुद्दों को सुना और संबोधित किया गया।





उपस्थित अधिकारियों ने धैर्य एवं ध्यानपूर्वक पेंशनधारियों की समस्याओं को सुना। कुछ मुद्दों का तुरंत मौके पर ही समाधान किया गया, जिससे समस्या के तत्काल समाधान के प्रति प्रतिबद्धता प्रदर्शित हुई। इसके अतिरिक्त, कुछ मामलों को शीघ्र

समाधान के लिए नोट किया गया, जिसमें पेंशन से संबंधित चिंताओं को हल करने के लिए एक सक्रिय दृष्टिकोण पर प्रकाश डाला गया।



वार्षिक बैठक सेवानिवृत्त कर्मचारियों और पेंशनभोगियों के लिए अपनी शिकायतें व्यक्त करने और समाधान खोजने के लिए एक महत्वपूर्ण मंच के रूप में कार्य करती है। सहयोगात्मक माहौल ने पेंशनभोगियों और ईएसआईसी अधिकारियों के बीच खुले संचार को बढ़ावा दिया, जिससे सेवानिवृत्त लोगों की भलाई के लिए संगठन के समर्पण पर जोर दिया गया।

ऐसी वार्षिक बैठकें आयोजित करके, ईएसआईसी क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, फरीदाबाद, सेवानिवृत्त कर्मचारियों और पेंशनभोगियों के निरंतर कल्याण को सुनिश्चित करने के लिए अपनी प्रतिबद्धता को मजबूत करता है। यह आयोजन चिंताओं को दूर करने, समय पर समाधान प्रदान करने और अपने सेवानिवृत्त कार्यबल के बीच समुदाय की भावना को बढ़ावा देने में संगठन के सक्रिय रुख को दर्शाता है।





## ईएसआईसी क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय ने हिमाचल प्रदेश में कंपनियों/ उद्योगों में आधार सीडिंग शिविरों का आयोजन किया

हिमाचल प्रदेश में कर्मचारी राज्य बीमा निगम क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय ने राज्य में विभिन्न कंपनियों और उद्योगों में आधार सीडिंग शिविर शुरू किए हैं। इन शिविरों का उद्देश्य अधिक संख्या में ईएसआईसी-बीमाकृत श्रमिकों और उनके आश्रितों के लिए आधार कार्ड को जोड़ने की सुविधा प्रदान करना है।

इन शिविरों के दौरान, बड़ी संख्या में ईएसआईसी-लाभित श्रमिक और उनके आश्रित अपने आधार कार्ड को ईएसआईसी के साथ जोड़ने के लिए आए। आधार सीडिंग की प्रक्रिया लाभार्थियों की सटीक पहचान और प्रमाणीकरण सुनिश्चित

करती है, ईएसआईसी सेवाओं की डिलीवरी को सुव्यवस्थित करती है।

श्रमिकों और लाभार्थियों को अपने आधार कार्ड को लिंक करने के लिए अपने निकटतम ईएसआईसी क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय तक पहुंचने के लिए प्रोत्साहित किया जाता है या ऑनलाइन आधार सीडिंग करने के लिए <http://esic.gov.in> पर जा सकते हैं। यह सक्रिय पहल बीमित व्यक्तियों और उनके परिवारों के लिए सामाजिक सुरक्षा लाभों की दक्षता और पहुंच बढ़ाने की ईएसआईसी की प्रतिबद्धता के अनुरूप है।





## ESIC Extends Support to Stone Quarry Workers in Rajasthan Affected by Silicosis

In a commendable effort to address the plight of stone quarry workers facing occupational hazards, the Employees' State Insurance Corporation has stepped in to provide vital support to those affected by the debilitating disease, silicosis, in the Abu Road and Pindwara areas of Sirohi District, Rajasthan.

Silicosis, caused by inhaling fine dust particles generated during stone cutting, poses a significant health risk to these workers, often leading to severe health complications and, in some cases, fatalities.



ESIC has taken proactive measures to assist workers afflicted by silicosis by offering both medical care and financial aid through Dependant Benefits (DB) for the families of the deceased and

Permanent Disability Benefits (PDB) for insured workers facing incapacitation.





Dependants Benefit (DB) is disbursed at a rate of 90% of average daily wages to the family members of workers who lose their lives due to employment-related injuries. Similarly, Permanent Disability Benefit (PDB) is provided at a rate of 90% of the average daily wages for the entire duration of the incapacitated worker's life.

As of December 2023, the ESIC Regional Office in Jaipur has identified and approved a total of 219 cases for Permanent Disability Benefit (PDB) and 37 cases for Dependants Benefit (DB). Monthly disbursements, totaling Rs 14.29 lakh for PDB cases and Rs 3.17 lakh for DB cases, are being seamlessly transferred to the beneficiaries' bank accounts.



This humanitarian initiative by ESIC reflects its commitment to the welfare of workers facing occupational health challenges. Furthermore, ESIC's recent accolade, the 'ISSA Vision Zero 2023,' attests to its outstanding achievements in promoting safety and

health in workplaces. The recognition highlights ESIC's success in implementing comprehensive strategies encompassing both preventive measures and post-accident support, ensuring the well-being of workers and their dependants.





## A Token of Appreciation: ESIC's Commitment to Maternity Benefit Claims

In the quaint town of Durga Nagar, Bagalkot, Karnataka, a tale of gratitude unfolds as Ms. Ashabi Walikar expresses her heartfelt appreciation for the dedicated efforts of the Employees' State Insurance Corporation. Her journey, particularly in claiming maternity benefits, has been marked by the unwavering support and assistance provided by the ESIC team, with a special mention of the commendable efforts of the Branch Manager at ESIC Bijapur.

Maternity benefits are a crucial aspect of the social security net provided by ESIC, aimed at ensuring the well-being of working women during a significant phase of their lives. Ms. Ashabi's experience stands as a testament to the efficiency and dedication demonstrated by the ESIC team in facilitating these benefits.

Ms. Ashabi, a resident of Durga Nagar, found herself in need of maternity benefits, a process that often comes with its own set of challenges and complexities. However, her journey took a positive turn when she began dealing with the ESIC office in Bijapur. The Branch Manager, who played a pivotal role in her case, became

a beacon of support and guidance throughout the entire process. In her expression of gratitude, Ms. Ashabi emphasizes the importance of the Branch Manager's role in streamlining the process.

The positive experience shared by Ms. Ashabi sheds light on the essential role played by ESIC in safeguarding the interests of working individuals, particularly during significant life events. The corporation's commitment to provide social security benefits, coupled with the exemplary efforts of individuals like the Branch Manager in Bijapur, strengthens the trust that beneficiaries place in the system.

In conclusion, Ms. Ashabi Walikar's journey with ESIC reflects not just the success of a maternity benefit claim but also the triumph of a system that prioritizes the well-being of its beneficiaries. Her words of gratitude stand as a beacon, encouraging others to have faith in the system and recognize the valuable contributions of those working tirelessly behind the scenes.

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To  
The Director General  
ESI Corporation  
PANCHADEEP BHAVAN  
CIG Road,  
NEW DELHI-110 002.

From:  
Ashabi Walikar  
Durga Nagar, Near Water Tank,  
Bagalkot-587103  
Cell No.9632747342  
Date:03-11-2023

Sub: Very much thankful for making payment of ESI Maternity Benefit dues in respect of self regarding.


Respected Sir,

With reference to the above please refer my previous letter dated:07-08-2023. In this connection I have to inform you that I have received complete ES Maternity Benefits amount which was due.

I am very much thankful to you and specially The Branch Manager ESIC Bijapur who has taken initiative to make the payment.

Once again I am thankful to everyone who has helped me in making payment of my E.S.I. Maternity Benefit.

Thanking you very much sir.

Yours faithfully,  
  
(Ashabi Walikar)  
ESI No. 7117825265

## “नई सोच नई कहानी”: ईएसआईसी की लाभार्थी कौशल्या ने बताया कैसे बना ईएसआईसी उनके लिए एक वरदान

ऑल इंडिया रेडियो के कार्यक्रम “नई सोच नई कहानी” में ईएसआई लाभार्थी कौशल्या (हाउस कीपिंग स्टाफ) ने स्मृति ईरानी, केंद्रीय मंत्री महिला एवं बाल

विकास को बताया की कैसे उनके लिए कर्मचारी राज्य बीमा निगम (ईएसआईसी) वरदान साबित हुई





## Empathy and Support: ESI Scheme Provides Lifeline to the Family of a Deceased Insured Person

Mrs. Chandanpall Paidu Raju from Suraram Colony, Hyderabad is wife of Ch. Chitti Babu, an Insured Person under ESI Scheme. Unfortunately, her husband died due to cardiac arrest during

his course of employment. Now, she is getting assistance and monthly dependants' benefit under ESI Scheme.



## Empowering Futures: Prime Minister's Special Scholarship Scheme Opens Doors to Medical Education for J&K and Ladakh Students

Under the aegis of Prime Minister's Special Scholarship Scheme for the students of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh, Kamalpreet Kaur, Danish Maqbool and Omi Kulsum from J&K, got a great

opportunity to study at ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Gulbarga, Karnataka. This has helped in giving students the right exposure in the medical field.



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## A Heartwarming Recovery: Mr. K. Venkataramana's Journey with ESIC Medical College and Hospital

Mr. K. Venkataramana from Khammam, Telangana, had fever, cough & breathlessness, after checkups he was diagnosed with heart problem. At the ESIC Medical College and Hospital,

Sanath Nagar, Hyderabad he was treated timely, which helped him recover fast and get back to his normal life.



## ईएसआईसी मेडिकल कॉलेज एवं अस्पताल, फरीदाबाद: किडनी ट्रांसप्लांट से जुड़ी एक उत्कृष्ट कहानी

ईएसआईसी मेडिकल कॉलेज एवं अस्पताल फरीदाबाद में 27.12.2023 को पहली बार सफलतापूर्वक किडनी ट्रांसप्लांट किया गया। ईएसआईसी डॉक्टरों ने अत्याधुनिक मेडिकल उपकरणों का उपयोग करके 22 वर्षीय विपिन (बीमित

कामगार) को नया जीवन दिया। ईएसआईसी के वरिष्ठ चिकित्सक डॉ. सौरभ इस सफलता की पूरी कहानी बता रहे हैं।



**जवान बेटे की किडनी खराब होने पर मां  
जान बचाने के लिए दी अपनी किडनी**



अधिक जानकारी के लिए स्कैन करें।



## A Triumph Over Adversity: Vasudev L. Mishra's Inspiring Journey at ESIC Medical College, Bengaluru

The inspiring journey of little child Vasudev L. Mishra, son of Lallu Prasad Mishra (Insured Person), suffering from Cleft Palate is a motivation for everyone. Master Vasudev was diagnosed with Cleft Palate at the age of two years, because of which he was unable to eat and talk. Vasudev's father (IP) got him treated at

ESIC Medical College & PGIMSR & Model Hospital, Rajaji Nagar, Bengaluru, under the supervision of Dr. N. Durgesh Babu. After dedicated treatment, today, the child can comfortably eat, talk and live his life normally.



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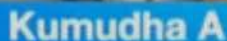


**Dr. N. Durgesh Babu**

HOD, Plastic Surgery, ESIC Medical College & PGIMSR & Model Hospital, Rajaji Nagar, Bangalore



for funeral expenses amounting to Rs. 15,000. Today, she is able to sustain her life with all the support provided by ESIC.



Wife of Insured Person (IP), Dr. Thomas Road, T Nagar, Chennai



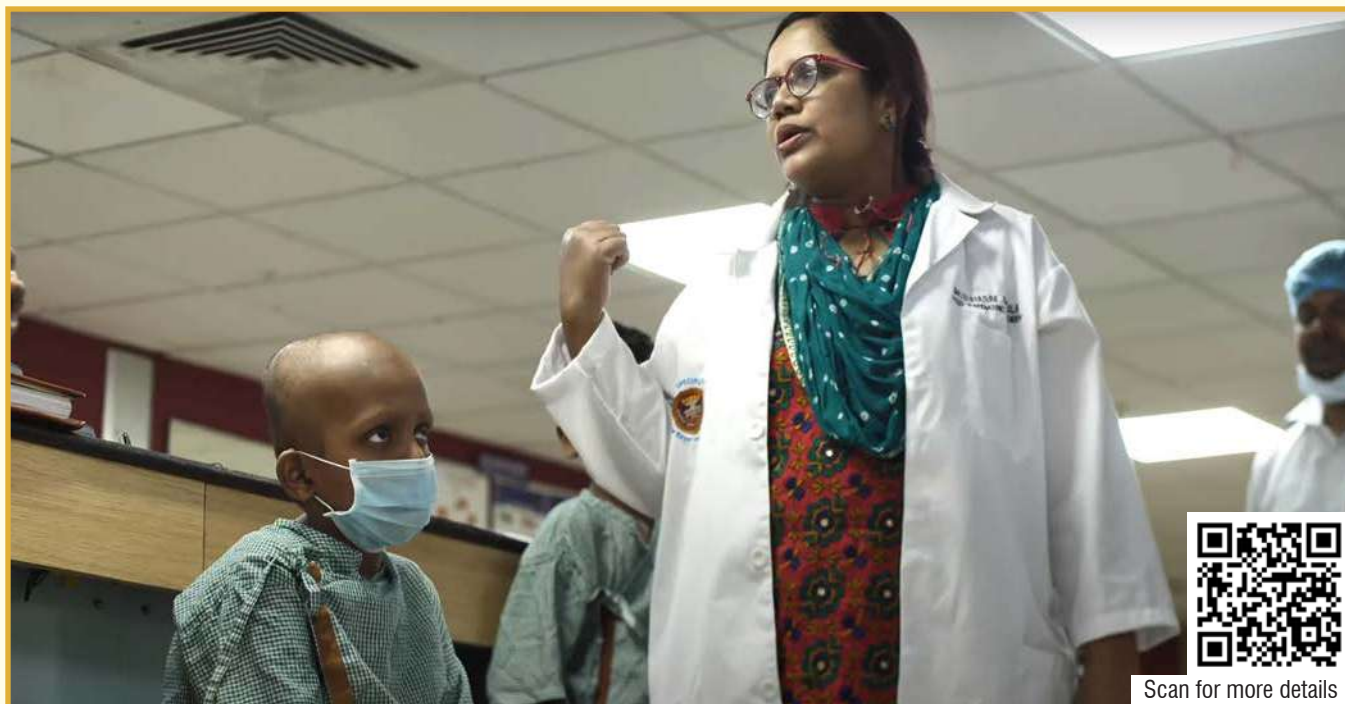
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## A Brave Journey: Master Nitish's Fight Against Cancer

Master Nitish's (son of Insured Person under ESI Scheme) battle against cancer is a story of hope and courage, as he is receiving one of the best medical care and treatments for cancer at the ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad. Smt.

Meena (mother of Master Nitish) thanks the doctors and staff nurses for all the support she is receiving during the medical treatment of Nitish.



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## A Tale of Support and Gratitude: Chitra's Journey with ESIC After a Loss

This is the story of Chitra (wife of late Mr. Balasubramani, an IP under ESIC) who is living in Kodungaiyur, Chennai, Tamil Nadu. Mr. Balasubramani (IP) suffered cardiac arrest while he was on

duty. Under the ESI Scheme, today Chitra is receiving a monthly pension of Rs. 8000. Chitra is grateful for all the help and guidance she received from the ESIC staff in the complete process.



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## Empathy in Action: ESIC Provides Support to Ms. Dakshayani During Challenging Times

Ms. Dakshayani (wife of Mr. Hari Mohan (IP)) is from Sriperumbudur, Kanchipuram, Tamil Nadu and her life completely changed when she received the tragic news of her husband's demise in an accident. Under ESI Scheme, Dakshayani was

able to receive the Dependents' Benefits (DB) including funeral benefits of Rs. 15000 and a monthly pension, credited to her bank account. With all the support Dakshayani received from ESIC, today she is living a financially secure life.



**Dakshayani**

Wife of Insured Person (IP), Sriperumpudur



**Shri Hari Hara Krishna Iyer K.**

Cashier, ESIC Branch Office, Moolakad, Chennai



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## सहारा और समर्थन: ईएसआईसी योजना ने सड़क हादसे के बाद चिंता से प्रभावित परिवार को कैसे सहारा पहुंचाया

ईएसआईसी 'आश्रितजन हितलाभ' की बदौलत बीमित कामगार को मिल रही है 'चिंता से मुक्ति'। सन् 2020 में एक सड़क हादसे में ईएसआई लाभार्थी के असामयिक निधन के बाद परिवार आर्थिक तंगी से घिर गया। ईएसआई योजना

का 'आश्रितजन हितलाभ' बना पूरे परिवार का सहारा। सुमित्रा अनिल चौहान (आश्रितजन) से जानिए ईएसआईसी ने कैसे उनके परिवार को सहारा देकर, उन्हें चिंता से मुक्त किया।



अधिक जानकारी के लिए स्कैन करें।



The proactive efforts of ESIC in expanding its reach and including diverse sections of society underscore the significance of social security initiatives in fostering inclusive economic growth. As the data suggests, ESIC continues to play a pivotal role in providing financial protection and healthcare benefits to an increasing number of workers across various demographics.



## Important Social Media Posts



Congratulations @esichq

**ESIC - Healthy Workforce - Prosperous India** @esichq · Dec 4, 2023  
Dr. Rajendra Kumar, Director General, ESIC received the ISSA Vision Zero 2023 Award in the recently held 23rd World Congress on Safety and Health at Work in Sydney, Australia for the remarkable contributions made by #ESIC in transforming the lives of insured workers.



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The 192nd Meeting of Employees' State Insurance Corporation was held today in New Delhi.

Glad to inform that the proposal to set up 9 new ESIC Hospitals in Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh and Uttarakhand and 17 new dispensaries in Gujarat, under ESI Scheme, was approved.

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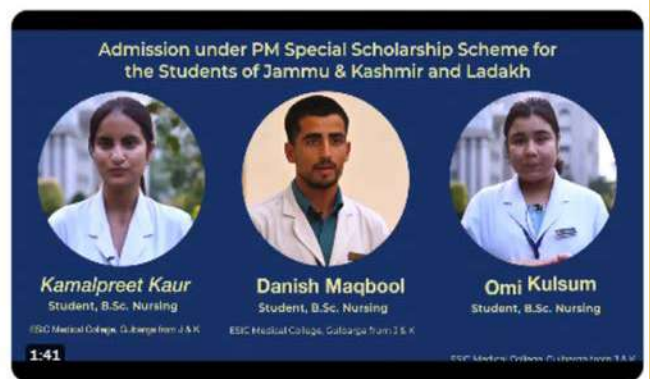
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Kamalpreet Kaur, Danish Maqbool and Omi Kulsum from J&K share the transformative change that has come to their lives as they got admission to ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Gulbarga, Karnataka.

This has been made possible by Prime Minister's Special Scholarship Scheme for the students of Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh.

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Chaired the Consultative Committee meeting of the Ministry of Labour and Employment today in Parliament House.



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## Important Social Media Posts



**Bhupender Yadav**  
@byadavbjp

Healthy workforce for a stronger India!

The ESIC Medical College & Hospital, Faridabad has achieved a huge milestone by performing the first-ever live kidney transplant on 28-year-old Vipin Kumar, an insured person, who got the kidney from his mother.

Under the leadership of PM Shri @narendramodi ji, India is strengthening social security for its workers.

I congratulate the entire team of @esichq that made it possible. Keep up the good work 🌟



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**Bhupender Yadav**  
@byadavbjp

ESIC देश के कामगारों की सामाजिक सुरक्षा के लिए लगातार प्रयासरत है।

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**Rameswar Teli**  
@Rameswar\_Teli

Glad to attend a Press Conference at the Constitution Club of India, New Delhi, regarding the functioning of the Union Labour & Employment Ministry in the august presence of Hon'ble Union Minister of Labour & Employer Sh @byadavbjp ji.



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**Rameswar Teli**  
@Rameswar\_Teli

Visited 150 bedded @esichq hospital at Sector 9, Gurugram, Haryana.

Inspected the Hospital premises, interacted with the doctors & other staff and encouraged them to provide proper healthcare services to the patients at the Hospital.

@PMOIndia



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