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### PRESS BRIEF

**Inauguration of ESI Dispensary and Branch Office, Rae Bareli, Uttar Pradesh on 27th November, 2021 concludes.**

**Distribution of ESIC Covid-19 Relief Scheme, E-Shram Card and State Disaster Relief Fund approval letters to the Beneficiaries.**

The inauguration of ESI Dispensary and Branch Office, Rae Bareli, Uttar Pradesh was concluded on 27th November, 2021. **Smt. Smriti Zubin Irani**, Hon'ble Minister of Women and Child Development, Government of India was the **Chief Guest** in this event. On this occasion, Smt. Smriti Zubin Irani, expressed her happiness and said that ESI Dispensary, Rae Bareli was operating in a rented building since 1978, which Government now dedicates to the people of Rae Bareli by getting this complex constructed through CPWD. Smt. Irani handed over monthly pension approval letters to the beneficiaries under the '**Covid-19 Relief Scheme**'. This measure of ESIC helps in strengthening financial condition of the families affected by Covid-19 pandemic.

ESI Dispensary and Branch Office, Pragati Puram, Rae Bareli, Uttar Pradesh was constructed at a cost of **Rs. 2.27 crore** in a **933 square meter** campus. The Dispensary is having 2 Doctors, Pharmacist, Lab Technician etc. and emergency services, OPD, Pharmacy, Oxygen Cylinder, Testing Machine etc. have been provided in the dispensary. This will benefit **60,000** ESI beneficiaries of Rae Bareli area. In addition, about **15,000** workers will also get cash benefits from the ESIC Branch Office on the first floor.

On this occasion, **Shri Rameshwar Teli**, Hon'ble Minister of State for Labour and Employment and Petroleum and Natural Gas, Government of India, in his address said that the largest share of workers is of unorganized workers. Under the leadership of Hon'ble Prime Minister, a '**National Database**' has been prepared for the unorganized workers, which has been named as '**E-Shram Portal**'. Registration on the portal is very simple and free. One gets an insurance cover of Rs. 2 Lakh after registration on the portal. So far more than **9 crore** people have been registered on this portal. At the same time, he also appealed to the people to come forward in maximum numbers to get registration on the portal at the earliest. Hon'ble Minister also visited the E-shram camp and distributed the '**E-Shram Card**' during the event.

**Shri Rameshwar Teli** further told in his address that ESI Hospitals have served the nation by providing Medical Facilities/Services to the people in the Covid pandemic. ESIC has launched '**COVID-19 Relief Scheme**'. ESIC provides **90%** of the average salary to the dependents of IP, who unfortunately passed away due to the **COVID-19** pandemic.

Further, through the '**Atal Bimit Vyakti Kalyan Yojana**', if the insured person loses his/her job, he/she is given a relief of **50%** of the average daily earnings during the last four contribution periods. As a once-in-a-lifetime measure, relief is paid up to a maximum of **90** days of unemployment. Relief is paid directly to the insured persons in their bank account by ESIC Branch Office on submission of claim.

Other Dignitaries who graced the occasion were **Smt. Purnima Shrivastava**, Chairperson, Rae-Bareilly Municipality, **Shri Dinesh Pratap Singh**, Member Legislative Council, Uttar Pradesh, and **Shri Ram Dev Pal**.

#### ESI Scheme in Uttar Pradesh

The ESI Scheme is fully implemented in 41 districts of the State and partially in 1 district. One Regional Office at Kanpur and 3 Sub-Regional Offices at Noida, Lucknow and Varanasi have been established for effective administrative control in the State. Presently ESIC is providing cash and other benefits to the beneficiaries through 36 Branch Offices and 2 DCBOs (Dispensary-cum-Branch-Offices). There are 16 hospitals (10 under ESI scheme and 6 under ESIC) and 16 dispensaries (including 94 allopathic, 11 Ayurvedic and 11 homeopathic dispensaries) that provide medical services to their beneficiaries. In addition to this, 3 MEDUs and 61 tie-up hospitals also provide services to the beneficiaries.

#### ESI Scheme in India

ESIC is a leading Social Security Organization that provides comprehensive social security benefits such as proper medical care and a range of cash benefits in times of need such as employment injury, illness, death etc. The Act now applies to over **12.36** lakh factories and establishments across the country. This scheme is benefitting about **3.41** crore family units of workers across the country. Since its inception in **1952**, ESI Corporation has till date established **160** Hospitals, **6** Medical Colleges, **2** Dental Colleges, **2** Nursing Colleges, **1502/308** Dispensaries/ISM Units, **559/185** Branch/Pay Offices, **49** Dispensaries, cum Branch Offices And **64** regional and sub-regional offices have been established.

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