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Union Government focused towards creating an infrastructure for easy access of medical services for the workers says Shri Bhupender Yadav

<u>Graduation Ceremony of 4th Batch of ESIC Dental College & Hospital, Rohini held on</u> <u>14.12.2022</u>

The Graduation Ceremony of the students of 2015 and 2016 Batch of ESIC Dental College & Hospital, Rohini was held at Siri Fort Auditorium, New Delhi on 14.12.2022. **Shri Bhupender Yadav**, Union Minister for Labour & Employment and Environment, Forest & Climate Change as the Chief Guest, **Shri Rameswar Teli**, Minister of State for Labour & Employment and Petroleum & Natural Gas, Govt. of India, Ms. Aarti Ahuja, Secretary, L&E, Govt. of India, Dr. Rajendra Kumar, DG, ESIC and Prof. (Dr.) Mahesh Verma, Vice Chancellor, Guru Gobind Singh Indraprasth University, Delhi graced the occasion.

Merit certificates and scrolls were awarded to the graduates of ESIC Dental College by the Union Ministers. Congratulating to the young graduates, Shri Bhupender Yadav said that rendering medical services is the best way to serve the society. He further said that union government is focused towards creating an infrastructure for easy access of medical services for the workers of our country.

Minister of State for Labour & Employment in his address to the students applauded the efforts made by the doctors and para-medical staff of ESIC during the uncertain time of Covid-19 for serving the needy.

Ms. Arti Ahuja, Secretary said that implementation of Social Security Code will increase the number of workers under ESI Scheme many folds. Work of ESIC is going to increase many folds in coming future, for which ESIC should be geared up.

DG, ESIC said that ESIC is poised to play bigger role as unorganized sector workers will come in the ambit of ESI Scheme's once the Social Security Code is implemented. He said that the ecosystem of ESIC is going to increase enormously. He further said that ESIC is working with the vision of utilizing latest innovation in medical services, to provide best training to doctors and best equipment in medical college & Hospitals.

The ESIC Dental College in Rohini, Delhi was established in the year 2010 under the aegis of the Ministry of Labor and Employment, Government of India. This college was corporation's first foray into dental and medical education. The ESIC Dental College is the third government dental college in the Delhi NCR region which currently has an annual intake of up to 62 students who are

admitted for the Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) course. This college is affiliated to the Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University. The college was recognized by the DCI in 2014 and follows the course structure prescribed by the council. The college is also associated with a 300 bedded hospital located within the premises along with modern operating rooms and a 10 bedded ICU in addition to outpatient facilities in various medical departments. 68 students of 2015-16 Batch graduated today and were awarded the certificate.

The graduation day ceremony was also attended Dr. Nagaraj. M, Dean, ESIC Dental College & Hospital, Rohini, faculties of dental college, students and their parents alonwith officers of Ministry of Labour & Employment, Govt. of India and ESIC.
