

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA**

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MEDICAL FACILITIES IN RAILWAY HOSPITALS
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the railway hospitals under East Central Railway particularly at Mugalsarai have adequate medical facilities e.g. pathological tests, X-ray tests etc;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor; and
- (c) the steps taken/ being taken by the Railways for the creation of the facilities and for the optimum and efficient utilization of the available facilities at the said hospitals?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

- (a) & (b): Yes, Madam. Most of the pathological investigations such as Blood Sugar, Lipid profile, LFT, CBC, HBsAg, HIV test etc are being done at Divisional Hospital, Mugalsarai. CT Scan, MRI, Ultrasonography, X-Ray etc, are being done by outsourcing.
- (c) : Optimum and efficient utilization of the available facilities at the said hospitals are being done. Up-gradation of Railway Hospitals is, however, an on-going process undertaken on the basis of condition of existing equipments/ techniques, technological developments taking place in the medical science and availability of funds etc.