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(U) Key Civilian Medical Infrastructure

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- > (U) Joint Commission International has accredited seven private hospitals in New Delhi. Accreditation requires adherence to rigorous standards in quality health care and patient safety. In 2005 the Indraprastha Apollo Hospital became the first Indian hospital to receive accreditation; the Max Super Specialty Hospital was accredited in 2017.
- > (U/ (b)(3):10 USC 424 ~~(S)~~) A 2017 government report identified the Indraprastha Apollo and Max Super Specialty hospitals as the top hospitals in New Delhi. Both hospitals offer advanced diagnostics, surgical specialties, and burn care, and they can surge during a mass-casualty event, according to the 2017 government report and a government-sponsored international health services survey.
- > (U) A 2008 Indian press report ranked AIIMS as one of India's top health care facilities. Poor Indians reportedly travel from across the country for treatment at AIIMS, according to one of the previously noted 2017 journal articles.

(U) High-Containment Laboratory Infrastructure

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- > (U) A 2017 Indian press report indicates the Indian prime minister, top civilians, and senior ranking military officers receive care at ARRH. An Indian TV broadcast stated ARRH was the main treatment center for battlefield injuries, to include gunshot wounds, high-altitude injuries, and mine blast burns.

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(U) Emergency Services

~~(S)~~ (b)(3):10 USC 424 Emergency medical services in New Delhi are probably capable of stabilizing life-threatening injuries, but heavy traffic slows response time. Private hospital ambulances likely provide higher quality en route care than their public counterparts. A "First Responder Bike Ambulance," which is intended to improve emergency response outcomes by providing timely first aid to patients until ground transport arrives, is being implemented across the city. New Delhi's only known operational hospital helipad is at AARRH. Several New Delhi hospitals are also reportedly constructing helipads, but bureaucratic issues over the past decade have delayed construction, according to multiple Indian news articles.

- > (U) According to a 2017 report on India's health system, New Delhi's private ambulances will service any destination within reasonable proximity of city limits. These ambulances are costly to patients but are reportedly better equipped than the public ambulance service.
- > (U) In January 2017, New Delhi announced the implementation of motorcycle ambulances in three districts, according to local press. The motorcycle ambulance is equipped with a basic life-support kit that includes emergency medication, air splints to stabilize fractures, and airway management tools, according to an Indian medical news report.