

Government of India Ministry of Health and Family Welfare Department of Health & Family Welfare EHS Section

No: Z.15025/38/2018 /DIR/CGHS/EHS

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi Dated the 22nd May, 2018

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: - Constitution of High Powered Committee for Grievance redressal of CGHS beneficiaries pertaining to medical claims

With reference to the above mentioned subject the undersigned is directed to convey the approval of competent authority for Constitution of a High Powered Committee for Grievance redressal of CGHS beneficiaries pertaining to their medical claims in compliance of the directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in their Judgement in the WP (Civil) No. 694 of 2015 filed by Sh. Shiva Kant Jha Vs UoI delivered on 13th April 2018 as per the details given under:

- 2. The High Powered Committee shall however, consider the representations of only those CGHS beneficiaries having a valid CGHS Card.
- 3. High Powered Committee shall meet once in a month and action on the decisions taken shall be completed within seven days of meeting, with the concurrence of the IFD, wherever, it is deemed necessary.
- 4. The High Powered Committee shall consider the grievances pertaining to the settlement of medical claims of CGHS beneficiaries holding a valid CGHS card at the time of treatment and to

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examine the requests pertaining to approval of reimbursement under the following conditions:

- a) Settlement of medical claims in relaxation of rules
- b) Approval for air-fare with or without attendant on the advice of treating doctor for treatment in another city even though he/she is not eligible for air travel / treatment facilities are available in city of residence
- c) Representations from CGHS beneficiaries seeking full reimbursements under special Circumstances, which are not notified.

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Under Secretary to Government of India

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To

- 1. Secretary, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
- 2. Director General of Health Services, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
- 3. Special Director General of Health Services, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
- 4. Addl. Secretary & DG,CGHS, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
- 5. All Ministries / Departments, Government of India
- 6. Director, CGHS, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi
- 7. CGHS Desk-I/Desk-II/CGHS-I/CGHS-II, Dte.GHS, Nirman Bhawan. New Delhi
- 8. Estt.I/ Estt.II/ Estt.IV Sections, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
- 9. Admn.I / Admn.II Sections of Dte.GHS
- 10. Rajya Sabha / Lok Sabha Secretariat
- 11. Registrar, Supreme Court of India /Punjab & Haryana High Court, Chandigarh
- 12. Under Secretary, U.P.S.C.
- 13. Under Secretary Finance Division
- Deputy Secretary (Civil Service News), Department of Personnel & Training,
 5th Floor, Sardar Patel Bhawan, New Delhi.
- 15. PPS to Secretary (H&FW)/ Secretary (AYUSH)/ Secretary(HR)/ Secretary(AIDS Control), Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
- 16. PPS to DGHS /AS&MD, NRHM / AS (H)
- 17. Shri Umraomal Purohit, Secretary, Staff Side, 13-C, Ferozshah Road, New Delhi
- 18. All Staff Side Members of National Council (JCM) (as per list attached)
- 19. Office of the Comptroller & Auditor General of India, 10 Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi
- 20. All Offices / Sections / Desks in the Ministry

- $21.\ UTI\text{-}ITSC\ ,\ 153/1,\ First\ floor,\ Old\ Madras\ Road,\ Ulsoor,\ Bengaluru\text{-}560008.$
- 22. Nodal Officer, MCTC, CGHS with a request to upload a copy of OM on CGHS Web-site
- 23. Office Order folder