

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972 – Recommendations of the Committee for revision of the Rules – Accepted – Orders – Issued.

HEALTH MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (K1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.74

Dated the 15th March, 2005
Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.465, HM&FW(K1) Deptt., dt.18-8-2003
2. Govt.Memo.No.18300/K1/2003-1, dt.8-9-2003.
3. From the DME, A.P., Hyd., Lr.Rc.No.20866/MA-A/03, dt.18-12-03
4. Govt.Lr.No.18300/K1/2003-2, dt.31-1-2004.
5. From the President, A.P. Sectt. Association, Hyd. reprn.dt.19-7-2004
6. Govt.Lr.No.18300/K1/2003-4, dt.4-8-2004.
7. G.O.Ms.No.250, HM&FW(K1) Deptt., dt.11-8-2004
8. From G.A. (SW-II) Deptt., U.O.Note No.101207/SWII-A1/2004-3, dt.9-9-2004.
9. Govt.Lr.No.18300/K1/2003-2, dt.15-9-2004.
10. G.O.Ms.No.413, GA (Poll-D) Deptt., dt.9-12-2004.
11. From Sri N.Narasimhaiah, MLA, reptn dt.29-11-2004
12. From the DME, A.P., Hyd., Lr.Rc.No.20866/MA-A/03, dt.28-12-04.

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ORDER:

Government have issued Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972, applicable to State Government employees and their dependents, employees of local bodies, students of Medical Colleges, members of State Legislature, A.I.S. Officers, A.P. State Higher Judicial officers etc. Many private hospitals both in the State and out side the State have been recognised as referral hospitals, for the treatment to the above category of persons on reimbursement basis. There is no uniform rates being charged from the patients by these private hospitals. In Government hospitals, various medical facilities are provided with latest equipments for the treatment to general public and also to the employees. Since the issue of the rules, Government have issued amendments /orders /Clarifications from time to time to the said rules. Therefore, some of the provisions in the said rules became outdated. Due to the above position, Government felt that there is a need to review all the provisions in Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972 and modification and re-issue the rules. Accordingly in the G.O. first read above, Government have appointed a committee under the chairmanship of Director General of Medical and Health Services and Commissioner, A.P. Vaidya Vidhana Parishad for revision of Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972 and to submit report to Government. Various terms of reference was specified thereon. In the G.O. seventh read above, the Director of Medical Education has been appointed as Chairman of the said Committee, due to resignation of the Director General Medical and Health Services and Commissioner, A.P.Vaidya VidhanaParishad. As per the terms of the reference of the committee, Government have referred various issues relating to medical reimbursement. In the reference fifth read above, the President, Andhra Pradesh Secretariat Association has also represented for reimbursement facility for Out Patient treatment at Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad / private recognised hospitals, removal of 20% cut on the claim and extend credit facility for obtaining treatment under emergency conditions in private recognised hospitals. This representation was also referred to the Committee.

2. In the reference 11th read above, Sri N.Narasimhaiah M.L.A. has represented that Out Patient treatment to M.L.A.s may also be allowed on credit basis, to enable to get tests like M.R.I., C.T. Scan etc. and save the health of V.V.I.Ps.

3. In the letter 12th read above, Chairman of the Committee for revision of Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972 and Director of Medical Education has submitted the recommendations of the committee and its report to Government. The Director of Medical Education has stated that the committee has met on 24-10-03, 25-11-03, 23-12-03, 25-2-04, 12-8-04, 19-10-04 and 16-11-04 and examined various issues. A sub committee was constituted for finalisation of package rates.

4. The Director of Medical Education has also stated that the following nine service associations have been requested to give suggestions on Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules:

- 1) A.P. Secretariat Employees Association, Hyderabad.
- 2) A.P. Non-Gazetted Officers Association, Hyderabad
- 3) A.P. Teachers Federation, Hyderabad
- 4) The Secretary, A.P. Revenue Employees Association.
- 5) A.P.T.N.G.O. Association
- 6) A.P.U.T.F Association.
- 7) A.P.P.R.T. Union, Hyderabad.
- 8) A.P. State Government Retired Employees Association.
- 9) A.P. Secretariat Women Employees Welfare Association.

5. The General Secretary, A.P. State Government (Retd.) Employees Association and Organising Secretary of A.P. State Government Employees. Association have attended the meeting of the committee held on 8-12-2003. The Director of Medical Education has also stated that the service associations have been reminded on 11-12-2003 to submit their views regarding revision of Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules 1972. The following service associations have sent their suggestions in the matter:-

- 1) A.P. State Government Retired Employees Association.
- 2) A.P. Secretariat Employees Association, Hyderabad.
- 3) A.P. Secretariat Women Employees Welfare Association.
- 4) P.R.T.U. & UTF (Teacher Associations)

6. The Director of Medical Education has stated that the sub-committee has recommended that the rates prescribed by Central Government Health Scheme may be adopted by State Government also for sanctioning reimbursement. The recommendations of sub committee have been accepted by the committee. He has furnished the recommendations for incorporation and revision of Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules rules, 1972.

7. The Director of Medical Education has requested the Government to consider and issue necessary orders in the matter at an early date.

8. The recommendations of the Committee includes adoption of Central Government Health Scheme package rates for the reimbursement of medical expenses incurred by State Government employees, their dependents, retired State Government pensioners and their family members etc., allowing medical reimbursement for the treatment obtained at Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad, Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati and all Government Hospitals as Out-Patients and follow-up treatments. As regards recognised private hospitals, medical reimbursement for the treatment obtained as outpatients may be allowed for the treatment of Chemotherapy, radiotherapy for cancer, regular dialysis for Kidney, Cardinal cases like cardiac cases, sever neurological problems and A.I.Ds subject to recommendation by the specialist doctor for the length of the treatment, consideration of medical reimbursement in accident cases under emergency conditions for the treatment obtained in unrecognised private hospitals by relaxing relevant rules by Government, conducting of health camps for master health checkup, delegation of powers for scrutiny and sanction of medical reimbursement upto Rs.25,000/- to various district level officers, referring of patients by District/ Area Hospitals to private recognised hospitals, reducing imposition of cut of 20% on the admissibility amount to 10%, when the treatment obtained in Private Hospitals recognised by Government without referral letter, extending medical reimbursement facilities for the treatment obtained in Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati on par with Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad etc.. The Committee after examination of the merits of the representations received from various associations has also recommended to accept certain demands and to reject certain demands.

9. Government have examined the matter carefully and decided to accept the recommendations of the Committee for revision of Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972 constituted in the Government Orders first and seventh read above. Accordingly, in modification of the existing orders on Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972, Government hereby issue the following orders with immediate effect:-

- 1) The rates prescribed in the Central Government Health Scheme package by Government of India, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare Affairs, New Delhi for Central Government Health Scheme, Hyderabad are adopted in the State for the purpose of reimbursement of medical expenditure incurred by the State Government employees both in service/ retired and their dependents; family pensioners, M.L.As and their family members and all other eligible categories who are entitled for free medical treatment as mentioned in Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972, when the treatment was taken in the private hospitals recognised by the State Government within the State. If medical treatment is taken outside the State, the rates of Central Government Health Scheme, Delhi shall be applicable. If any rates which are not covered in the said procedure, the scrutinising authority is empowered to take final decision in the matter basing on the disease/ nature of disease, necessity of treatment /medicine. In modification of the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.161, HM&FW (K1)Deptt., dt.5-5-2000 and G.O.Ms.No.58, HM&FW (K1) Dept., dt.1-3-2002, the ceiling limit shall be Central Government Health Scheme package rates ceiling limit and also the criteria for scrutinising bills by the Director of Medical Education or otherauthorising scrutiny authorities.
- 2) For the expenditure incurred towards the treatment obtained in Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad / Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati, their package rates respectively be followed for sanctioning advance, scrutiny and Medical reimbursement purpose. Facilities of paying room as per the entitlement of indoor treatment as prescribed in Central Government Health Scheme package system is extended and the State Government Employees are categorized as three categories based on their scales of pay as mentioned below:-
 - (i) Scale of pay up to Rs.5,000/- -- 10,600/- - General Ward.
 - (ii) Scale of pay Rs.5,300/- -- 13,000/- to Rs.8,400/- -- 16,525/- - Semi Private Ward.
 - (iii) Scale of pay Rs.9,000/- -- 16,525/- above – Private Ward.
- 3) In respect of treatments/ operations obtained for cataract and other eye ailments, and dental diseases/treatments in Government or private hospitals recognised by State Government, the scrutinising authority need not insist for submission of Emergency Certificate. In modification of the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.276, HM&FW (K1) Department, dt.11-5-1993 and subsequent orders issued thereon and on Eye ailments and Dental diseases /treatments, it is ordered that the reimbursement shall be made as per the package rates prescribed by Government for various eye ailments and Dental procedures/ diseases, after duly scrutinising the bills by the Director of Medical Education, A.P. or other scrutinising authorities. The package rates prescribed for Eye ailments are mentioned in Annexure-I and package rates for Dental treatments/ diseases are mentioned in Annexure-II to this order.
- 4) **All types of out patient including diagnostics, and follow up treatments including Chemotherapy, Radiotherapy, Regular Dialysis for Kidney are allowed for reimbursement when the treatment obtained at Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Panjagutta, Hyderabad and Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati and all Government Hospitals. In respect of the treatment obtained as Out-Patients in private hospitals recognised by State Government, medical reimbursement is allowed for chemotherapy and radiotherapy for Cancer, and regular dialysis for Kidney and also Out patient treatment for Cardinal diseases like cardiac diseases and severe neurological problems and A.I.D.S. are included. The length of out patient treatment period should be recommended by the specialist doctor concerned and shall be scrutinised by the Director of Medical Education, Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad, Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati or other scrutinising authorities as prescribed.**
- 5) **In respect of life long follow up treatment to certain diseases, for every follow up treatment for post operative cases, who requires life long treatments, the concerned patient has to get revalidation of prescriptions once in six months from the specialist Government doctor and reimbursement be allowed on submission of scrutiny report of the Director of Medical Education or other scrutinising authorities concerned.**
- 6) The Superintendents of Teaching hospitals and the Superintendents of District Hospitals, Civil Surgeon Specialist of the Civil Dispensary, A.P. Secretariat, Hyderabad, Medical Officers of the rank of Civil Assistant Surgeons of Unit Medical Hospitals of Grey Hounds, Hyderabad, High Court of Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, Commissioner of Police, Hyderabad, and Medical Officer attached to Government Civil Dispensary, A.P. Bhavan, New Delhi are authorised to scrutinise the medical reimbursement claims up to a value of Rs.25,000 (Rupees twenty five thousand only), of State Government Employees, retired employees, their dependent family members and family pensioners and other categories of persons entitled for medical reimbursement as per of Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972 received from District level officers from their respective region/Districts and Offices concerned in partial modification of the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.471, H.M.&F.W. (K1) Department, dated 19-12-2001, G.O.Ms.No.674, HM&FW(K1) Deptt, dated 15-11-2003 and G.O.Ms.No.37, HM&FW(K1) Deptt., dated 31-1-2004. These scrutinising authorities should scrutinise the bills in terms of Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972 and as amended from time to time.

7) Powers are delegated to all the district level officers of all the Departments in the State to sanction the medical reimbursement claims up to a value of Rs.25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only), subject to scrutiny done by the District Medical Board/ District Hospital Superintendent/ Superintendent of Teaching Hospitals. If the claim is over and above of Rs.25,000/-, the claim should be referred by the concerned Department in the districts to Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad for scrutiny, and the sanctioning authorities for sanction of claims of medical reimbursement over and above Rs.25,000/- are Heads of Departments /District Collectors, after getting scrutiny report of Director of Medical Education, or Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad or Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati, as the case may be and where relaxation of rules are not involved.

8) Powers are also delegated to the Director of Health, A.P., Hyderabad to scrutinise the Medical Reimbursement claims in respect of the employees working under his administrative control on par with the Commissioner of A.P.Vaidya Vidhana Parishad, duly following the procedure adopted by the Director of Medical Education in scrutinising the bills, as per the existing orders on Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972 as modified from time to time.

9) In respect of road accidental cases, if the employee or his dependents and other categories of persons mentioned in rule 6 of Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules are admitted in nearby private hospitals which are not recognised as referral hospitals under emergency conditions to save the life of the patient, in such cases the claim can be considered for reimbursement of medical expenses up to a limit of Rs.25,000 (Rupees twenty five thousand only) and the Heads of Departments/ District Collectors are authorised to sanction the claim after getting the scrutiny of bills from the Director of Medical Education or other scrutinising authorities as the case may be. Such claims over and above Rs.25,000 shall be referred by the Heads of Departments/ District Collectors concerned after duly getting scrutiny of the bills etc., to the concerned administrative Department in Secretariat for obtaining relaxation of rules and duly consulting Finance Department.

10) In G.O.Ms.No.175, H.M.&F.W. (K1) Department, dt.29-5-1997, 20% cut is prescribed on the eligible amount in cases of treatment obtained under emergency condition in private hospitals recognised by Government without referral letter from Government Hospitals or Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad, or Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati. In partial modification of the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.175, H.M.&F.W. (K1) Department, dt.29-5-1997, the 20% cut prescribed therein is reduced to 10%, on the eligible amount after scrutiny of bills by the Director of Medical Education or other scrutinising authority as per the package rates, when the treatment was obtained under emergency conditions in private hospitals recognised by Government without referral letter from any Government hospital or Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, +Hyderabad, or Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati.

11) In respect of medical reimbursement to the employees under suspension, the following two points be added to rule 6 (i) of Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972:-

“a) Provided dismissed or removed Government servants and their dependents are not entitled for reimbursement of medical expenses.

“b) As far as retired and re-employed pensioners are concerned, for persons who were convicted by the court of law for offence or involved in moral turpitude and punishment was imposed under A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980, he and his family members should not be entitled for any free medical treatment in Government hospital or medical reimbursement. Provided that the retired persons who were punished for any administrative lapses for which the punishment was given, which is not a 100% cut in his pension, can be allowed for free medical treatment/ medical reimbursement as the case may be”.

- 12) As per G.O.Ms.No.445, HM&FW(E2) Department, dt.19-07-1991, the medical advance facility is extended to four earmarked diseases i.e. 1) Acute Myocardial Infarction 2) Acute Coronary Disease, Acute Renal Failure 3) Severe Cases of Head and Spinal injury, Road accident and 4) In cases of Coma only, if the treatment is to be obtained in Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad. The following more major diseases are added for sanction of advance to be included in the said G.O.:-
- “(1) PTCA+STENT (2) Open Heart Surgery (3) Pace Maker (4) All organ transplants (5) Plastic Surgery done for accident cases and burns, (6) Mitral Valve replacement, based on package rates of Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences and Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences based on estimation given by them”.
- 13) In G.O.Ms.No.134, HM&FW (K1) Department, dt.9-4-2001, Government employees both in service and retired and their dependents are permitted to secure treatment for all diseases at Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad directly without referral letter under emergency circumstances. Since Out Patient treatment is allowed for medical reimbursement at Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad and Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati, the condition of “emergency circumstances” prescribed in G.O.Ms.No.134, HM&FW (K1) Department, dated 9-4-2004 is hereby deleted. All the reimbursement facilities available in Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad as per the orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.134, HM&FW (K1) Department, dt.9-4-2001, as modified now, be extended to Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati on par with Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad.
- 14) All the Heads of Departments and Regional and District Level officers can issue letter of credit (L.O.C.) to private hospitals recognised by State Government for treatment/ operations to their employees and their dependents for major ailments of CABG, Kidney transplantation, Cancer, NeuroSurgery Open Heart Surgery, all organ transplants, PTCA+STENT, Pace Maker, Plastic Surgery done secondary to accident, and burns cases, based on submission of estimation, and acceptance of the credit from the concerned recognised private hospital, subject to ceiling limit as per the package rates prescribed by the Government. Expeditious steps may be taken by all the departments to issue I.D. cards to all the eligible State Government employees and their dependents for availing of Letter of Credit facility. The referral private hospitals shall also provide treatment immediately after admission of the patient, on production of identity card in emergency situation.
- 15) Medical Reimbursement facility be allowed only to adopted son or daughter, and it is restricted to the family as defined under rule 3 (7) of Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972.
- 16) Specific drugs for the specialised treatment should be prescribed by the specialist doctors only, in both private hospitals recognised by Government, and Primary Health Centres, Community Health Centres, and other Government Hospitals.
- 17) The medical reimbursement facility be given to those who obtained medical treatment under emergency circumstances outside the State on official duty only, i.e. the provision may be given only to the persons who proceed on official duty and suddenly fell ill health, as per the Central Government Health Scheme package rates.
- 18) The powers are delegated to Superintendents of Area Hospitals and the Superintendent of District Headquarters Hospitals under the control of A.P.Vaidya Vidhana Parishad to refer the patients to Private recognised hospitals for specialised treatment.
- 19) Since user charges are abolished for the treatment in Government hospitals, vide G.O.Ms.No.163, HM&FW(M1) Department, dated 14-6-2004, no user charges should be collected from the State Government employees and their dependents including from the pensioners and their dependents and family pensioners in Government hospitals for their treatment both for outpatient and inpatient.
- 20) As per note (3) of Appendix-III, under rule 5 (3) (iii) of Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972 for belated claim, the existing condition that preferring the claim for medical reimbursement should be within a period of **six months** from the date of discharge of the patient from the hospital but not from the last date of treatment is continued, except for the Coma, expiry cases and accidental cases. In such cases, the claim may be preferred within **eight months** from the last date of discharge from the hospital /expiry of concerned patient.

- 21) For scrutiny of bills, the following original documents should be submitted along with the claim:-
- 1) Discharge Summary
 - 2) Emergency Certificate (Except for dental and Eye ailments)
 - 3) Essentiality Certificate
 - 4) Appendix-II Form
 - 5) Declaration of dependence to be attested by Gazetted Officer)
 - 6) Non drawl declaration, which should be attested by Drawing and Disbursing Officer concerned.

The Xerox copies of documents shall not be accepted.

- 22) In G.O.Ms.No.601, HM&FW(K1) Department, dt.15-10-2003, orders have been issued allowing medical reimbursement for three spells during the life time for the same ailments for claiming reimbursement for three spells when treatment obtained in recognised private hospitals. In modification of the said orders, it is ordered that no restriction is imposed for the treatments obtained in private recognised hospitals for different ailments operations/treatments. Medical Reimbursement facility for major ailments i.e. CABGS, kidney transplantation, cancer, neurosurgery, PTCA STENT be restricted to three spells for each of these diseases. Three spells means, three surgeries for the same ailments, except for Orthopedic and Plastic Surgeries, where more number of operations are warranted for the treatment of the same cause. A Justification Certificate issued by the concerned specialist treating doctor of the private hospital recognised by Government / Government hospital should be submitted for the second and third spell claims.
- 23) Reimbursement of medical treatment taken by employees in foreign countries under emergency conditions be allowed, only if they are on official visit to that foreign country. The treating doctor of the concerned hospital has to issue certificate about the nature of the Emergency, Essentiality Certificate and detailed bill, provided that they are not paid any amount towards the said treatment by any other authority including insurance company.
- 24) Master Health Checkup be conducted to all the Government employees who crossed the age of 40 years and before retirement from service. Master Health checkup will be allowed only three times with an interval of one year, between each checkup, and by duly fixing the package rates and can be obtained in all the Government hospitals, Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad, Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati and recognised private hospitals.
- 25) Medical reimbursement for deliveries and tubectomy to the Women Employees be allowed reimbursement up to two deliveries and with two living children as per the package rates. Hysterectomy operations shall be reimbursable as per package rates.
- 26) If the claimant has claimed his medical reimbursement from the Insurance Company, under Health Insurance Scheme by paying premium on his own, reimbursement also be allowed from Govt. as per Central Govt. Health Scheme package rates.
10. The above orders will be applicable to all State Government employees, their dependents, retired State Government pensioners and their dependents, family pensioners, M.L.A's and other categories of persons who are entitled for free medical treatment as specified in Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972. Suitable amendments to Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules, 1972 will be issued separately on the above orders.
11. The Director of Medical Education shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.
12. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide their U.O.No.419/28/A2/Exp-HM&FW-I/2005 dt.3-2-2005.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR. I.V.SUBBA RAO
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

HM&FW – APIMA Rules, 1972 – Reimbursement of medical charges to the pensioners – Certain anomalies in Rules – Enhancement of the Medical reimbursement from Rs.1.00 lakh to 2.00 lakhs to the retired Government servants and their dependants on par with serving Government employees – Certain Amendment – Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (K1) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No. 397

Dated: 14 -11-2008

Read the following: -

1. G.O. Ms. No. 105, HM & FW (K1) Department dated 9-4-2007.
2. From the President/General Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Teachers' Federation Lr. No. 144/2006-07 dated 14-8-2007.
3. From the President/General Secretary, A.P. State Government Retired Employees Association Lr. No. Gen1/MFC/062-R (1) dated 20-11-2007.
4. From the Vice President, State Pensioners' Association letter dated.17-9-2007.
5. From the Director of Medical Education, A.P,Hyderabad Lr.Rc.No.MA/1/2007 dated 13-11-2007.
6. From the Finance Department U.O. Note No. 9310-A/122/A1/PC.I/2008, Finance (FC.I) Department, dated 5-8-2008.

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ORDER: -

In the Government Orders first read above the Government have issued orders providing maximum ceiling limit (Rs. 2.00 Lakhs/Rs. 1.00 Lakh) of medical reimbursement to the serving and retired employees is as follows:

“The maximum ceiling limit of Rs.2.00 lakhs (Rupees two lakhs only) is fixed for the major ailments of Bypass Heart surgery, CABGS, Double valve replacement, Open Heart procedure, Aortic valve replacement, Kidney transplantation, Cancer and Neuro-Surgery to Brain irrespective of package rates of CGHS for the treatment obtained in private hospitals, and also for the treatment obtained in NIMS, Hyderabad and SVIMS, Tirupati or actual cost whichever is less. This ceiling limit of Rs.2.00 lakhs is applicable to the serving employees and their dependents. In respect of retired employees, their dependents and family pensioners, the ceiling limit is Rs.1.00 lakh for these ailments, as per the recommendations of P.R.C.2005”.

2. In the letters 2nd to 4th read above, the associations have represented the Government for enhancement of the medical reimbursement from Rs.1.00 lakh to Rs.2.00 lakhs on par with serving Govt. employees.

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3. The Finance (PC.I) Dept., in the U.O. Note 6th read above have referred the matter to the Anomalies Committee under the Chairmanship of Sri N. Ranga Chary. The Committee has recommended that the limit to medical reimbursement in respect of both the serving employees and the pensioners shall be the same viz., Rs. 2.00 Lakhs. Accordingly, the Finance (PC.I) Dept., has forwarded the report of the Anomalies Committee and requested to take further action on issuance of the orders of enhancement of Medical reimbursement to the Pensioners on par with Serving Employees.

4. Government after careful examination hereby issue the following amendment by replacing the para 7 (1) (b) of the G.O. Ms. No. 105, HM & FW (K1) Department dated 9-4-2007.

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AMENDMENT

7 (1) (b) *The maximum ceiling limit of Rs.2.00 lakhs (Rupees two lakhs only) is fixed for the major ailments of Bypass Heart surgery, CABGS, Double valve replacement, Open Heart procedure, Aortic valve replacement, Kidney Transplantation, Cancer and Neuro-Surgery to Brain irrespective of package rates of CGHS for the treatment obtained in private hospitals, and also for the treatment obtained in NIMS, Hyderabad and SVIMS, Tirupati or actual cost which ever is less. This ceiling limit of Rs. 2.00 lakhs is applicable to the retired employees (pensioners) and their dependents also on par with serving employees for these ailments, as per the recommendations of P.R.C. 2005 read with the recommendations of Anomalies Committee.*

5. These orders shall come into force from the date of issue of these orders.

6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance(Exp..HM&FW-I) Dept., vide their U.O.No.11868/860/A.2/Exp.HM&FW-I/08, dated.16-09-2008.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

P.K.AGARWAL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Director of Medical Education, A.P. Hyderabad.

The Director of Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Panjagutta, Hyderabad.

The Director, Sri Venkateswara Institute of Medical Sciences, Tirupati.

The Secy., State Legislature, Assembly Buildings, Hyderabad.

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The Accountant General, A.P, Hyderabad.

The Pay and Accounts Officer, A.P, Hyderabad

The Commissioner of Printing Stationery and Stores Purchase (Printing wing),
Hyderabad

(with a request to publish the amendment in para 4 of the G.O.(two copies)

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P.S. to Prl. Secy./Secy., HM&FW Deptt.,

Finance (Expr.HM&FW-I) Department.

The concerned Associations.

SF/SC.

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SECTION OFFICER.

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Pay Revision Commission Recommendations 2009 on Medical Reimbursement – Orders Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (K1) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No.68

Dated 28th March, 2011.

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.74, HM&FW (K1) Department, dated 15-3-2005.
2. G.O.Ms.No.105, HM&FW (K1) Department, dated 9-4-2007.
3. G.O.Ms.No.397, HM&FW (K1) Department, dated 14-11-2008.
4. The Principal Secretary to Government, Finance Department, D.O.Lr.No.243.B/16/PC.I/A2/2010, dt.6-4-2010.

ORDER:

1. Government have issued Andhra Pradesh Integrated Medical Attendance Rules 1972 for the benefit of all state Government employees and their dependents, employees of local bodies, students of medical colleges, members of the State Legislature, All India Service (AIS) Officers, A.P. State Higher Judicial officers etc. Several Private Hospitals - both within the State and outside the State - have been recognized by the Government as referral hospitals for providing health care and treatment for these category of persons on reimbursement basis.
2. In the letter 4th read above, Finance Department has forwarded the recommendations of the ninth Pay Revision Commission (9th PRC) relating to the medical attendance benefits for the employees and pensioners of the state Government. With regard to medical facilities, the 9th PRC observed that while 'they would have liked to see the new scheme adopted, they were aware that it might some time to get it implemented and in the interregnum, they have made the following recommendations in respect of the existing scheme in response to the representations received by the Commission from different Associations'.

a) Deletion of provision relating to 10%cut on the amount admissible

The Commission, recommended the removal of the provision relating to imposition of 10% cut on the amount admissible where treatment was obtained in the recognized hospitals.

b) Recognition of some Private Hospitals in semi urban areas as referral Hospitals

Recommended to explore the possibility of recognizing some more hospitals located in semi-urban areas as referral hospitals, where facilities for undergoing treatment are available.

c) Entitlement of wards for the in-patient treatment

Recommended categorization of serving employees and pensioners into three categories for purpose of entitlement of wards for inpatient treatment.

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Cat	Serving Employees	Pensioners	Entitlement of Wards
1	Gazetted Officers	Pensioners whose gross pension is Rs.15000/- p.m. and above	Private ward
2	Non- Gazetted Officers	Pensioners whose gross pension is more than Rs.7500/-p.m. but less than Rs.15000/- p.m.	Semi-Private ward
3	Last grade Employees	Pensioners whose gross pension is less than Rs.7500/- p.m.	General ward

However, any employee/ pensioner prefers other than the entitled ward, his claim may be restricted to the charge relating to the ward to which she is eligible.

d) Essentiality Certificate

Recommended issuing instructions to all recognized private hospitals to compulsorily note the order number and the date in which it was recognized and the date up to which the recognition is valid on the essentiality certificate itself.

e) Medical reimbursement to the dependents of family pensioners

The Commission was not in favour of including the dependents of family pensioners for purpose of eligibility to reimburse the medical expenses incurred by the family pensioners towards their treatment.

f) Dispensing with the scrutiny certificate separately in cases where treatment is obtained in NIMS/ SVIMS:

Recommended to dispense with the procedure of insisting on scrutiny certificate separately where treatment is obtained in NIMS/ SVIMS.

g) Reimbursement of the cost of O.P. treatment in the recognized private hospitals

The O.P. treatment of serious diseases is already covered in para 9(4) & (5) of the G.O. 1st read above and hence did not recommend for change in the present position.

h) Delegation of enhanced powers of Scrutiny and Sanction

Recommended delegation of the powers of scrutiny of claims of medical reimbursement up to Rs.50,000/- to District Hospital Superintendents /Superintendents of Teaching Hospitals and for the delegation of sanction of claims of medical reimbursement up to Rs.50,000/- to the District Level Officers (DCHS and DMHO).

i) Master Health Checkup for the Pensioners/Family Pensioners

The PRC recommended that it could not support the proposal.

j) Treatment of all accident cases and all emergent cases in the unrecognized private hospitals

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Recommended deletion of the word 'road' occurring in para 9(9) of G.O.Ms.No.74, HM&FW (K1) Department, dated 15-3-2005 and permitted

k) Dispensing with the essentiality certificate in certain cases

Where tests, medicines or surgical procedures are prescribed by the concerned specialist doctor in the Government hospital, the requirement of further essentiality certificate may be dispensed with.

l) Issue of letter of credit in the case of pensioners

The PRC recommend that it was unable to accept the request of the pensioners for issue of letter of credit.

m) Extension of medical facilities to the staff of aided institutions/universities

The PRC recommended that they may be brought into the fold of medical benefits when the insurance scheme is launched by the Government.

n) Payment of medical allowance

Recommended payment of Medical Allowance of Rs.200/- p.m. to the Pensioners/ Family Pensioners. This may be disbursed along with their monthly pension.

o) Removal /enhancement of ceiling limit

The PRC was not in favour of either increase in the ceiling limit or to remove the ceiling limit.

p) Removal of the restriction of three times in the entire service for the treatment of the same disease

The PRC recommended that the existing position referred to above is quite adequate and the Commission therefore recommended to continue the same provision.

q) Dispensing with the method of scrutiny by the Director of Medical education or other officials of the medical department

The PRC Declined to accept the request.

r) Extending the facilities of reimbursement of medical expenses as applicable to the State Higher Judicial Officers

The PRC stated that it was proposed by some organizations that the facilities extended to the Judicial Officers regarding medical treatment may be extended to Government Servants and also to pensioners.

The orders issued in G.O.Ms.No.107 Law Department, dated 14-7-2006, are based on various judgments of courts. The Govt. employees/pensioners are governed by A.P. Integrated Medical Attendance Rules as subsequently modified in G.O.Ms.No.74 HM & FW Dept. Dt:15-3-2005, and are amended from time to time. The Government has been quite liberal in extending medical facilities to its employees and pensioners. PRC felt that the existing facilities are adequate and if any change is required it should be in the direction of

moving away from Government led medical reimbursement to a more refined and sophisticated system that provides for cashless facility.

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s) Maximum limit for dental treatment

The commission felt that the existing scheme is adequate and requires no further relaxation.

t) Medical advance to the pensioners

The commission was unable to accept this request for the reasons already referred to earlier.

3. The Government after careful examination of the matter has decided to accept the recommendations of the ninth Pay Revision Commission and accordingly hereby order for adoption of the same to all the eligible categories of employees and pensioners with immediate effect. All Heads of Departments in the state shall communicate the same to all Unit Offices under their control for information, and implementation.

4. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance Department vide their U.O.No.29886/1168/A2/Expr.M&H.I/10, dt.22-10-2010

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR P.V.RAMESH
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Secy., State Legislature, Assembly Buildings, Hyderabad.

All the Heads of the Departments,

All the Departments of Secretariat,

All the Heads of Departments under control of
Health, Medical & family Welfare Department.

All Superintends of Government Teaching Hospitals.

The Legislature (MC/Pension) Department.

The Civil Surgeon Specialist, Civil Dispensary, A.P. Secretariat, Hyderabad.

All Recognized Private Hospitals through

the Director of Medical Education, A.P. Hyderabad.

The President, The State Teachers' Union, Andhra Pradesh, H.No.3-2-798,
S.T.U.Bhavan, Kachiguda, Hyderabad-500 027.

The Chairman, A.P.Secretariat Employees Coordination Committee,
Secretariat, Hyderabad.

The Chairman, JAC of Employees, Teachers and Workers Association,
NGO Home, Goundfoundry, Hyderabad.

The President, A.P.State Govt. Retired Employees Association,
4-5-958/959, Badi Chowdi, Sultaban Bazar, Hyderabad – 500 095.

Copy to:

The General Administration (SC-X/Poll) Department

The General Administration (SR) Department

The Spl. Secy to C.M. / P.S. to Minister (Finance & Health)

P.S. to Prl. Secy. (W&P), Finance Department

P.S. to Prl. Secy./Secy., HM&FW Department

Finance (Expr. HM&FW-I) Department.

The concerned Associations.

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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA
PRADESH EDUCATION (SE)
DEPARTMENT

Memo. No.4650/SE-Ser.1.2/2010

Dated: 04-06-2011.

Sub : Medical Attendance - Medical
Reimbursement Proposals in re-
laxation of rules - Seven cases -
Returned for further examination
- Reg.

Ref : 1. Draft certificate prescribed by
the Finance Department.

2. List of Medical reimbursement
cases.

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Copies of the references cited to-
gether with original medical bills other
documents relating to each of the
C&DSE's reference number (shown in
column.2) in the reference 2 nd cited ,
are herewith sent/ returned to the Com-
missioner & Director of School Educa-
tion, Andhra Pradesh., Hyderabad and
he is requested to verify the claims and
return the same along with the certifi-
cate mentioned in the ref. 1st cited in
respect of each case, for further exami-
nation.

He is also requested to furnish the
certificate in all medical reimbursement
cases in future also as Finance Depart-
ment is insisting on the same for settle-
ment of medical claims.

Dr.SAMBASIVA RAO

Prl. Secretary to Government

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This is to certify that the claims sub-
mitted by Sri.....is
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since.....years. It is verified that
the bonafide of the employee is correct
and the treatment obtained by him/her
in..... (name of Hospital)
a private un-recognised hospital is certi-
fied as genuine.

**Signature of Head of the
Administrative Department**

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Health, Medical & Family welfare – Employees Health scheme – Further clarification - Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (I.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.159

Dated: 22 -12-2014.

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.174 HM&FW (M2) Dept dated 01-11-2013.
2. G.O.Ms.No.175 HM&FW (M2) Dept dated 01-11-2013.
3. G.O.Ms.No.176 HM&FW (M2) Dept dated 01-11-2013.
4. G.O.Ms.No.134 HM&FW (I1.1) Dept dated 29-10-2014.
5. G.O.Ms.No.135 HM&FW (I1.1) Dept dated 29-10-2014.
6. G.O.Rt.No.3578 GA(SW) Dept dated 30-10-2014.
7. G.O.Ms.No.210 Fin (TFR) Dept dated 15-11-2014.
8. G.O.Ms.No.150 HM&FW (I.1) Dept dated 04-12-2014.
9. G.O.Rt.No.4092 GA (SW) Dept dated 18-12-2014.

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ORDER:

In the Government orders 1st and 4th read above, orders were issued for implementing 'Employees Health scheme' to provide 'cashless' treatment to the State Government employees, pensioners and their eligible dependent family members in replacement of the medical reimbursement system under APIMA Rules, 1972.

2. The employees' Associations and Pensioners' Associations represented certain grievances on implementation of the Employees Health scheme. After careful consideration of the grievances, Government have taken the following decisions:

- a. Health cards should be issued to all eligible employees and pensioners immediately in consultation with Finance and Medical & Health Departments.
- b. Necessary steps should be taken by Medical & Health Department and Aarogyasri Health Care Trust to ensure treatment by all NABH accredited hospitals and other corporate hospitals to the card holders.
- c. Cashless treatment to card holders and medical reimbursement systems should run parallel for two more months, till cards are issued to all eligible employees and pensioners and the Employees Health scheme is established.
- d. The meeting of steering committee constituted for this purpose be held shortly to get more feedback and suggestions from the employees and pensioners.

3. Accordingly, in accordance with the above decisions Government, hereby, issue the following orders:

- (i) Finance Department shall make available to Aarogyasri Health Care Trust, the data of all the employees, including the provincialised work charged employees, together with the details relating to their eligible dependent family members including their aadhaar data, so as to enable Aarogyasri Health Care Trust to generate health cards to all the employees.

In case of any delay in getting the data of employees through CFMS., and furnishing to the Aarogyasri Health Care Trust, the eligible employees who have not yet got health cards may be allowed to enroll themselves and their family members with Aarogyasri Health Care Trust, in the ehs-portal, as in the case of pensioners.

- (ii) Finance Department, in consultation with the Director of Treasuries and Accounts, shall evolve a procedure for enrolment of the pensioners of Andhra Pradesh State who settled in the neighbouring States of Tamilnadu and Karnataka. **Till such time they are issued health cards under Employees Health scheme, they will continue to be covered under APIMA Rules, 1972.**

- (iii) The Aarogyasri Health Care Trust shall take action, in consultation and coordination with Director of Medical Education, to negotiate with the NABH accredited hospitals and other corporate hospitals, (which have not come forward to provide treatment to the patients under Employees Health scheme), to participate in Employees Health scheme.

(P.T.O)

- (iv) Aarogyasri Health Care Trust shall take action for empanelment of corporate hospitals in the neighbouring States, which are already providing services to the respective State Governments under the relevant health schemes.
- (iv) General Administration (SW) Department shall take action to convene the meeting of the Steering Committee constituted in the G.Os.6th and 9th read above.
- (v) The Employees Health scheme and medical reimbursement system under APIMA Rules, 1972 shall run parallel till 28-02-2015 and the medical claims of the employees / pensioners under reimbursement system shall be processed in accordance with the APIMA Rules, 1972 and the orders issued thereunder.
- (vi) Staff working in A.P.Bhavan, New Delhi will, however, continue to be covered by reimbursement under the existing APIMA Rules, 1972.
- (vii) Even in the case of employees / pensioners who are having 'health cards', if they avail treatment in non-empanelled hospitals, **in emergency**, they may be allowed reimbursement, as per the package rates of Employees Health scheme.
- (viii) Employees working in Nellore, Chittoor and Anantapur, having health cards, and seek treatment in the Super Specialty hospitals in Chennai, Vellore and Bangalore, respectively, especially in case of complicated diseases, will be allowed reimbursement as per the package rates of Employees Health scheme.

4. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance PFS (R&E) No.10501/PFS/(R&E), Dated. 20-12-2014.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**L.V.SUBRAHMANYAM
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

The Principal Secretary to Government, General Administration
(Services &HRM), Department.

The Secretary to Government , Information Technology & Communications Department

The Commissioner, Civil Supplies, AP, Hyderabad.

The Chief Executive Officer, Aarogyasri, Health Care Trust, Hyderabad

All the District Collectors .

The Pay and Accounts Officers

All Heads of the Department.

Copy to:

The Principal Secretary to C.M

OSD to M (HM&FW)

All the Special Chief Secretaries to Government /Prl. Secretaries in secretariat,
Hyderabad

All the employees and pensioners associations through GA (Services Welfare)
Department , AP, Secretariat, Hyderabad.

The Accountant General (A&E), AP, Hyderabad

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, AP, Hyderabad

The Commissioner of Information and Public Relations, Hyderabad

The Finance (EBS.V) Dept.,

PS to Principal Secretary to Governor .

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**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Health, Medical & Family Welfare – Medical Reimbursement Scheme under APIMA Rules, 1972 – Inclusion of treatment of COVID-19 under Medical Reimbursement Scheme within the State and outside the State (Hyderabad, Bengaluru & Chennai) subject to ceiling the amount up to Rs.2.00 lakhs – Orders – Issued.

HEALTH MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (I.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 30

**Dated: 29-01-2021.
Read the following:**

1. From the CEO, Dr.YSRAHCT, Guntur, Lr.No.Dr.YSR AHCT/EHS/MR/3671/2020, dated: 05.10.2020.
2. G.O.Rt.No.17, HM&FW(I.1) Department, Dated:11.01.2021.
3. Orders of the Hon'ble High Court, in I.A.No.1 of 2020 in W.P.No.18429 of 2020 Dated.09/10/2020 & W.P.No.20717 of 2020 Dated:26.11.2020.

ORDER:

In the circumstances reported by the CEO, Dr.YSR AHCT and in compliance with the orders of the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh in I.A.No.1 of 2020 in W.P.No.18429 of 2020, Dated.09.10.2020 and W.P.No.20717 of 2020 Dated:26.11.2020, Government after examination of the matter, hereby accord permission to the CEO, Dr.YSRAHCT, Guntur for inclusion of treatment of COVID-19 under Medical Reimbursement Scheme within the State and outside the State (Hyderabad, Bengaluru & Chennai), subject to ceiling the amount up to Rs.2.00 lakhs in terms of G.O.Ms.No.105, HM&FW Department, Dated:09.04.2007 and G.O.Ms.No.397, HM&FW Department, Dt:14.11.2009.

2. The Chief Executive Officer, Dr.YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust, A.P., Guntur shall take necessary action accordingly.

3. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance (FMU, HM&FW) Department, vide their U.O.No.No.42028/33/FMU.HM&FW/2016, Computer No:47631, Dated.21/01/2021.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**ANIL KUMAR SINGHAL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

The Chief Executive Officer,

Dr.YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust, AP, Guntur.

All the Scrutinizing Authorities concerned in the State

through the CEO, Dr.YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust, Guntur.

All the Departments, AP Secretariat, Amaravati.

All the Heads of the Departments

All the District Collectors in the State.

Copy to:

The Finance (FMU, HM&FW-I) Department.

The OSD to Hon'ble Deputy CM (HFW&ME)

The PS to Principal Secretary to Government, HM&FW Department.

The Accountant General (A&E), AP, Vijayawada.

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, AP, Vijayawada.

The PAO, AP, Vijayawada.

All the Employees and Pensioners Associations through

GA (Services Welfare) Department, AP, Secretariat, Amaravati .

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Dr.YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust
(Govt. of Andhra Pradesh)

From
The Chief Executive Officer,
Dr.YSRAarogyasri Health Care Trust,
Chuttugunta Circle, Guntur.

To
The Commissioner,
School Education Department,
Ibrahmpatnam, Vijayawada.

DESPATCHED

Lr. No. Dr.YSR AHCT/MR /2268/2021, dated: 29.04.2021.

Sub: - Dr. YSR AHCT - Medical Reimbursement - Acceptance of Medical Reimbursement Claims of School Education Department - Employees and their dependents - Reimbursement of expenditure in Private Non referral Hospitals within and Outside the State - Reg.

- Ref: 1. G.O.Ms. No. 74 HM&FW (K1) Department, dated: 15.03.2005.
2. G.O.Ms.No.105 HM & FW (K1) Dept. dt.09-04-2007.
3. G.O.Ms.No.68 HM & FW (K1) Dept. dt.28-03-2011.
4. G.O.Ms.No. 159 HM & FW (I.1) Department, dated: 22.12.2014.
5. G.O.Rt. No. 30 HM & FW (I.1) Department, dated: 29.01.2021.
6. Lr. No. 5/2021, dated: 06.04.2021.

During the management committee meeting held on dated: 15.03.2021 under the chairmanship of CEO, Dr. YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust some of the members have requested to send clarification to commissioner of School Education Department regarding:

- a) Acceptance of treatment of the employees of Chittoor, Ananthapur & Nellore Districts. As per G.O.Ms.No. 159 HM & FW (I.1) Department, dated: 22.12.2014
- b) Acceptance of Medical Reimbursement bills of Employees & Pensioners of School Education Department in case if they get treatment in non-referral hospitals.

Dr. YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust has thoroughly examined the request made by the members of Management Committee and representation by MLC, Shaik Sabjee vide Lr. No. 5/2021, dated: 06.04.2021. In regard to (a), it is to note that vide G.O.Ms.No. 159 HM & FW (I.1) Department, dated: 22.12.2014 in para 3 clause VII & VIII, the Government clearly says as follows:

"VII. Even in the case of employees/pensioners who are having "Health Cards" if they avail treatment in Non-empanelled hospitals, in Emergency, they may be allowed reimbursement, as per the package rates of Employees Health Scheme.

VIII. Employees working in Nellore, Chittoor & Ananthapur having health cards, and seek treatment in the Super Speciality Hospitals in Chennai, Vellore & Bengaluru respectively, especially in case of complicated diseases will be allowed reimbursement as per the package rates of Employee Health Scheme".

The above guideline is followed by all the departments with regard non referral hospitals, hence same also may be followed by school education department.

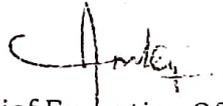
In regard to point (b), Dr. YSR Aarogyasri Health Care Trust has been following guidelines and instructions laid down in G.O.Ms.No.68 HM & FW (K1) Dept. dt.28-03-2011 under para 2 in clause J:

"J. The treatment of all accident cases and all emergent cases in the Unrecognised Private Hospitals is permitted".

The above guideline is followed by all the departments with regard non referral hospitals, hence same also may be followed by school education department.

Mr. Shaik. Sabjee, MLC has requested clarification applicability of Medical reimbursement for COVID-19 treatment in Non-referral Hospitals. In this regard, As per G.O.Rt. No. 30 HM & FW (I.1) Department, dated: 29.01.2021 treatment of COVID-19 under Medical Reimbursement scheme within the state and outside the state i.e., Hyderabad, Bengaluru & Chennai subject to ceiling amount upto 2 lakhs.

The above cited GOs have been attached for your ready reference.


Chief Executive Officer,
Dr. YSR AHCT

Copy to

1. Principal Secretary to School Education Department.
2. Management Committee Members.
3. Mr. Shaik. Sabjee, MLC

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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Medical Attendance - Medical Reimbursement claim in respect of Sri K.G.Lakshminarasappa, LFL HM, MPPS, Sasanakota, Parigi Mandal, Anantapur District - Sanction for an amount of Rs.90,000/- (Rupees Ninety Thousand Only) in relaxation of APIMA Rules 1972 - Orders - Issued.

SCHOOL EDUCATION (SERVICES.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 350

Dated: 20-11-2018

Read the following:-

- 1.G.O.Ms.No.74, HM &FW (K1) Dept., dated 15.03.2005.
- 2.From the Dir. of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad, L.Dis.No.8259(1)/MA-A/2016, dated 13.07.2016.
- 3.From the Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam, Lr.Rc.No.148/MB-1-2/2016, dated 27.11.2016.

ORDER:-

In the circumstances reported by the Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam in the reference 3rd read above and after careful examination of the matter, Government hereby accord sanction for net admissible amount of Rs.90,000/- (Rupees Ninety Thousand Only) as scrutinized by the Director of Medical Education, A.P., Hyderabad in the reference 2nd read above to Sri K.G.Lakshminarasappa, LFL HM, MPPS, Sasanakota, Parigi Mandal, Anantapur District towards his treatment for "Rt.Diabetic Foot with Wet Gangrene", during the period from 02.12.2015 to 26.12.2015 at Apollo Hospital, Bangalore, which is not recognized by the Govt. of A.P., in relaxation of APIMA Rules, 1972.

2. The expenditure sanctioned in para-1 above shall be debited to the relevant Head of Account.
3. The Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam, shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly. The bills in original are returned herewith.
4. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (FMU.HM&FW) Dept. vide their U.O.No.42028/397/2017-FMU-HM&FW, dt.11.09.2017.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ADITYA NATH DAS,
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To
The Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam.
(w.e. original medical bills)

Copy to
The Mandal Educational Officer, Parigi Mandal, Anantapuramu District.
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AS per
Rt. 02/12

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Medical Attendance - Medical Reimbursement claim in respect of Smt.M.N.D.Santha Kumari, Retd.School Assistant (Bio-Science), Z.P.P. (Girls) High School, Gudur, Gudur Mandal, SPSR Nellore District - Sanction for an amount of Rs.79,592/- (Rupees Seventy Nine Thousand Five Hundred Ninety Two Only) in relaxation of APIMA Rules 1972 - Orders - Issued.

SCHOOL EDUCATION (SERVICES.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 351

Dated: 20-11-2018

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.74, HM &FW (K1) Dept., dated 15.03.2005.
2. From the Chief Executive Officer, Dr.NTRVaidyaseva Trust, Guntur, Lr.No.APMR01718/Dr.NTRVST/EHS/2017, Dated 09.11.2017.
3. From the Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam, Lr.Rc.No.1438/MB 2-2/2017, Dated 06.03.2018.

ORDER:-

In the circumstances reported by the Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam in the reference 3rd read above and after careful examination of the matter, Government hereby accord sanction for an amount of Rs.79,592/- (Rupees Seventy Nine Thousand Five Hundred Ninety Two Only) to Smt.M.N.D.Santha Kumari, Retd.School Assistant (Bio-Science), Z.P.P.(Girls) High School, Gudur, Gudur Mandal, SPSR Nellore District towards her Husband treatment for "Recurrent L5-S1 Disc Prolapse" at Apollo Hospitals, Chennai, during the period from 05.02.2016 to 08.02.2016, which is not recognized by the Govt. of A.P., in relaxation of APIMA Rules, 1972.

2. The expenditure sanctioned in para-1 above shall be debited to the relevant Head of Account.
3. The Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam, shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly. The bills in original are returned herewith.
4. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (FMU.HM&FW) Dept.vide their U.O.No.42028/177/2018-FMU-HM&FW, dt.19.04.2018.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ADITYA NATH DAS,
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To
The Commissioner of School Education, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam.
(w.e. original medical bills).

Copy to
The Headmistress, Z.P.P. Girls High School, Gudur - 524 101,
S.P.S.R.Nellore District.

SF/SC.

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