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प्रधान मुख्य कार्मिक अधिकारी का कार्यालय  
Office of the Principal Chief Personnel Officer  
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दिनांक/Dated:25.01.2022

**All concerned**

विषय /Sub: **Reimbursement of cost of OPD medicines : Special sanction in view of COVID-19**

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A copy of Railway Board's letter No.2020/H-1/7/3 (Part-I) dated 20.01.2022 along with Ministry of Health & Family Welfare O.M.No.Z15025/12/2020/DIR/CGHS dated **13.01.2022** is enclosed for information, guidance and necessary action.

The Railway Board's letters dated 28.03.2020, 11.06.2020, 20.10.2020 & 08.06.2021 referred therein have been circulated as [PBC 92/2020](#), [188/2020](#) and [81/2021](#).

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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (भारत सरकार)**  
**MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (रेलवे मंत्रालय)**  
**RAILWAY BOARD (रेलवे बोर्ड)**

No.2020/H-1/7/3(Part-1)

New Delhi, Dated- 20 .01.2022

**General Managers**  
**All Indian Railways**  
**Including PUs, RDSO & NAIR.**

**Sub:- Reimbursement of cost of OPD medicines : Special sanction in view of COVID-19.**

**Ref:- (i) Ministry of H&FW's OM No.Z15025/12/2020/DIR/CGHS 13.01.2022 (copy enclosed).**

**(ii) Railway Board's letter of even number dated 28.03.2020, 29.03.2020, 05.05.2020, 11.06.2020, 21.09.2020, 20.10.2020, 01.03.2021, 09.06.2021 & 01.10.2021.**

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Vide this office letters cited under reference, decision of the competent authority in the matter for mutatis-mutandis adoption of provisions contained in Ministry of Health & Family Welfare's OM number Z15025/12/2020/DIR/CGHS dated 10.08.2021 and extension thereof up to 31.10.2021 for Railway medical beneficiaries also was conveyed. The implementation of the provision contained in Ministry of Health & Family Welfare's OM dated 13.01.2022 has been further extended up to 30.04.2022 vide Ministry of Health & Family Welfare's OM No.Z15025/12/2020/DIR/CGHS 13.01.2022 (copy enclosed). The Competent Authority in the Ministry of Railways has decided to extend the implementation of the scheme up to 30.04.2022 mutatis-mutandis for Railway medical beneficiaries also.

It is also clarified that railway health facilities are functional and railway medical beneficiaries also have the option to collect medicines through railway health facilities as per normal practice, instead of purchasing from market.

This issues with the concurrence of Finance Directorate of Railway Board.



(Dr. Praval Pant) (डा. प्रवाल पंत)

Director/Ind. Health ( नि./औ.स्वा.)

Railway Board (रेलवे बोर्ड)

**Copy together with a copy of MOH&FW's OM dated 13.01.2022 forwarded for information and necessary action to:**

- (i) PCMDs/ PCMOs of All Indian Railways, Including PUs, RDSO & NAIR.**
- (ii) PFAs of All Indian Railways, Including PUs, RDSO & NAIR.**

No.2020/H-1/7/3-Part(1)

1065574/2022/Health Section



Z 15025/12/2020/DIR/CGHS  
 Government of India  
 Ministry of Health & Family Welfare  
 Directorate General of CGHS

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi  
 Dated the 13<sup>th</sup> January , 2022

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Sub: Reimbursement of cost of OPD Medicines- Special Sanction In view of COVID-19- till 30<sup>th</sup> April 2022- regarding**

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In view of the Corona Virus Disease(COVID-19) , all out efforts are made by the Government to contain its impact by instituting measures at community as well as at individual level.

2. In this regard the undersigned is directed to draw attention is the OM of even number dated 27.03.2020, 29.04.2020 , 29.05.2020 , 24<sup>th</sup> August 2020 , 30<sup>th</sup> September 2020 , 29.12.2020 and 15.04.2021 and 10.08.2021 vide which an option has been provided to CGHS beneficiaries getting medicines for Chronic diseases , to purchase medicines based on the prescription held (prescribed by CGHS Medical Officers/CGHS Specialists /other Govt. Specialists/ Specialist of empanelled hospital) till 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021, irrespective of Non-Availability certificate from CGHS or otherwise. However, several representations are received in the Ministry seeking extension of the period in view of the COVID-19 Pandemic and resurgence of active cases.

3. The matter has been reviewed by the Ministry and it is now decided , that CGHS beneficiaries getting medicines for Chronic diseases shall be permitted to purchase medicines based on the prescription held (prescribed by CGHS Medical Officers/CGHS Specialists /other Govt. Specialists/ Specialist of empanelled hospital) till 30<sup>th</sup> April , 2022 on the same conditions as per the earlier OM dated 27.03.2020. It is also clarified that the CGHS Wellness Centres are functional and CGHS beneficiaries also have the option to collect medicines through CGHS Wellness Centres as per normal practice, instead of purchasing from market. This order is valid from the date of issue.

4 Issued with the approval of Integrated Finance Division, MoHFW vide CD No.2576 dated 13.01.2022

(Dr. Alka Ahuja )

Addl.DDG(HQ), CGHS

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- 1 All Ministries / Departments, Government of India
- 2 Estt.I/ Estt.II/ Estt.III/ Estt.IV Sections, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
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