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Government of India
Central Water Commission
(O&M)

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

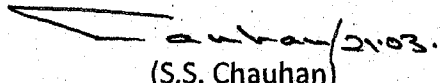
Subject:- Delegation of Powers in cases of settlement of medical reimbursement claims/ Permission/Grant of Medical Advance etc. under CGHS/CS(MA) Rules consolidated order.

The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare have delegated powers to the Head of Departments for settlement of individual medical reimbursement claims/to accord permission/grant of medical advance in connection with treatment under CGHS Rules for the monetary limits upto ₹ 5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakhs only) vide its Office Memorandum No. S-11011/20/2014-CGHS(P)/EHSS, dated 23rd November, 2016 and upto ₹2,00,000/- (Rupees Two Lakhs only) for treatment under CS(MA) rules, 1944 vide its O.M. No. S.14025/01/2014, dated 5th June, 2014 interalia to read with other orders issued from time to time.

2. A number of Office Orders were issued in the past by the Commission, for delegation of powers pertaining to various sort of medical claims and cases. However, for sake of convenience, need for issuing consolidated order has been realized time & again. Accordingly, power delegated to the officers of CWC in this regard are stipulated in Annexure-I. All the power thus delegated to CWC officers including cases for grant of medical advance are only upto monetary limit of ₹5,00,000/- (Rupees Five Lakhs only) under CGHS rules and upto ₹2,00,000/- (Rupees Two Lakhs only) under CS(MA) rules. All cases beyond this limit need to be referred to Integrated Finance Division of the Ministry which have also been shown separately in Annexure-I.

3. This Office Memorandum is issued in supersession of all the previous orders, including No. 4/3/2000-O&M, dated 25.06.2001 and No. 4/2/2014-O&M/412, dated 16.03.2016 issued in this regard.

4. This issues with the approval of Chairman, CWC.


(S.S. Chauhan)
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1. PPS to the Chairman.

2. Member (WP&P)/Member (RM)/Member(D&R), CWC

3. All Chief Engineer at Headquarters & Field

4. PS to Secretary, CWC

5. All SuperIntending Engineer/ Directors / Director SMD for uploading on CWC website

(Annexure to O.M. No. 4/2/2014-O&M, dated March, 2017)

S. No.	Nature of case	No. & Date of orders vide which powers delegated by the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare to the Head of Deptt.	Authority to whom powers re-delegated
1.	Medical claims in respect of CGHS beneficiaries for treatment obtained in emergency at private recognized hospitals/ private hospitals/ private clinics, as per the item-wise ceiling prescribed under CGHS, subject to an overall limit of ₹ 5 lakhs per case where there is no relaxation in rules is required.	O.M.No.S.11011/20/2014-CGHS(P)/EHSS,, dated 23.11.2016	Chief Engineer (HRM)- for employees posted at CWC Headquarters. Chief Engineer (Field Office) – for employees posted at Field Offices.
1.(a)	Medical claims in respect of CS(MA) beneficiaries for treatment obtained in emergency at private recognized hospitals/private hospitals/ private clinics, as per the item-wise ceiling prescribed under CGHS, subject to an overall limit of ₹ 2 lakhs per case where there is no relaxation in rules is required.	O.M. No. S.14025/01/ 2014/ MS, dated 5.6.2014	Chief Engineer (HRM)- for employees posted at CWC Headquarters. Chief Engineer (Field Office) – for employees posted at Field Offices.
2.	Reimbursement of bills in respect of CGHS beneficiaries for taking Indoor treatment at Government hospitals (emergency/non-emergency). In case of non-emergencies, specific treatment taken at private recognized hospitals after the same has been advised by CGHS/Govt Hospital/ AMA and permission has been taken from the Department subject to an overall limit of ₹5 lakhs per case.	O.M.No.S.11011/20/2014-CGHS(P)/EHSS,, dated 23.11.2016	Under Secretary(E-XIV) at Hqrs. Head of Office in the Field offices.
2 (a)	Reimbursement of bills in respect of CS(MA) beneficiaries for taking indoor treatment at Government hospitals (emergency/non-emergency). In case of non-emergencies, specific treatment taken at private recognized hospitals after the same has been advised by CGHS/Govt Hospital and permission has been taken from the Department subject to an overall limit of ₹2 lakhs per case.	O.M. No. S.14025/01/ 2014/ MS, dated 5.6.2014	Under Secretary(E-XIV) at Hqrs. Head of Office in the Field offices.
3.	Medical claims of CGHS beneficiaries, involving payment exceeding ₹ 5 lakhs without any monetary ceiling but as per the prescribed rate list and where there is no relaxation in rules is required.	O.M.No.S.11011/20/2014-CGHS(P)/EHSS,, dated 23.11.2016	CE(HRM)/C.E. of Field Offices, with the concurrence of Internal Finance Division, Min. of Water Resources, RD & GR.
3.(a)	Medical claims in respect of CS(MA) beneficiaries involving payment exceeding ₹ 2 lakhs without any monetary ceiling but as per the prescribed rate list and where there is no relaxation in rules is required.	O.M. No. S.14025/01/ 2014/ MS, dated 5.6.2014	CE(HRM)/C.E. of Field Offices, with the concurrence of Internal Finance Division, Min. of Water Resources, RD & GR.

	Reimbursement of OPD bills where treatment has been taken at Government hospitals, at the clinic of AMA or at private recognized hospitals duly referred by Govt doctor/AMA after taking permission of the Department.	O.M.No.S.11011/20/2014-CGHS(P)/EHSS,, dated 23.11.2016 and O.M. No. S.14025/01/ 2014/MS, dated 5.6.2014	Under Secretary(E-XIV) at Hqrs. Head of Office in the Field offices.
4(a)	Reimbursement of OPD bills for availing medical services while on tour or leave at outstation in any CGHS/ Dispensary/ recognized hospitals or in case of non-CGHS area, AMA & empanelled private hospitals(Central/State).	O.M.No.S-11011/7/99-CGHS(P), dated 30.9.1999	Under Secretary(E-XIV) at Hqrs. Head of Office in the Field offices.
5.	Where relaxation in rules is required in settlement of medical claims irrespective of amount.	O.M.No.S.11011/20/2014-CGHS(P)/EHSS,, dated 23.11.2016 and O.M. No. S.14025/01/ 2014/MS, dated 5.6.2014	CGHS of the concerned city or Ministry of Health & Family Welfare in case of CS(MA) through CE(HRM) for CWC(Hqrs) and Head of Office concerned for Field Office.
6.	Condonation of delay in submission of medical bills	O.M. No. S.14025/8/99-MA, dated 25.5.1999	Chief Engineer (HRM)- for employees posted at CWC Headquarters. Chief Engineer (Field Office) – for employees posted at Field Offices.
7.	Ex-post facto permission for taking treatment at CGHS recognized hospitals after the same has been advised by CGHS/Govt Hospital/AMA.	O.M.No. 1967/2013/DEL/CGHS/SZ / D52/CGHS(P), dated 30.12.2014	Chief Engineer (HRM)- for employees posted at CWC Headquarters. Chief Engineer (Field Office) – for employees posted at Field Offices.
8.	Procedure/investigation for which there is no prescribed CGHS rates subject to ceiling upto ₹20,000/-.	O.M. NO. S-12020/4/97-CGHS(P), dated 7.4.1999	Chief Engineer (HRM)- for employees posted at CWC Headquarters. Chief Engineer (Field Office) – for employees posted at Field Offices.
8(a)	Procedure/investigation for which there is no prescribed CGHS rates above ₹20,000/-.	O.M. NO. S-12020/4/97-CGHS(P), dated 7.4.1999	CGHS of the concerned city or Ministry of Health & Family Welfare in case of CS(MA) through CE(HRM) for CWC(Hqrs) and Head of Office concerned for Field Office.
9.	Grant of Medical advance to CGHS beneficiaries in cases of non-emergency with the estimated cost upto ₹5 lakhs. In emergency cases, advance may also be granted for a higher amount with justification of the same to be furnished at the time of final settlement/post facto approval of the medical bill/case.	O.M. NO. S-12015/3/93-CGHS(P), dated 10.12.1993 O.M.No.S.11011/20/2014-CGHS(P)/EHSS,, dated 23.11.2016	Under Secretary(E-XIV) at Hqrs. Head of Office in the Field offices.

(a)	Grant of Medical advance to CS(MA) beneficiaries in cases of non-emergency with the estimated cost upto ₹2 lakhs. In emergency cases, advance may also be granted for a higher amount with justification of the same to be furnished at the time of final settlement /post facto approval of the medical bill/case.	O.M. NO. S-12015/3/93- CGHS(P), dated 10.12.1993 O.M. No. S.14025/01/ 2014/ MS, dated 5.6.2014	Under Secretary(E-XIV) at Hqrs. Head of Office in the Field offices.
9.(b)	Grant of Medical advance to CGHS beneficiaries with the estimated cost above ₹5 lakhs.	O.M.No.S.11011/20/2014- CGHS(P)/EHSS,, dated 23.11.2016	CE(HRM)/C.E. of Field Offices, with the concurrence of Internal Finance Division, Min. of Water Resources, RD & GR.
9.(c)	Grant of Medical advance to CS(MA) beneficiaries with the estimated cost above ₹2 lakhs.	O.M. No. S.14025/01/ 2014/ MS, dated 5.6.2014	CE(HRM)/C.E. of Field Offices, with the concurrence of Internal Finance Division, Min. of Water Resources, RD & GR.
10.	Permission to CGHS/CS(MA) beneficiaries for taking treatment in any CGHS recognized private hospital when a procedure has been advised by CGHS/Govt hospital/ AMA.	O.M. No. 1967/2013/DEL/ CGHS/SZ/- D52/CGHS(P), dated 30.12.2014 No. S.14021/06/2005-MS, dated 4.1.2007	Under Secretary(E-XIV) at Hqrs. Head of Office in the Field offices.
11.	Prior permission to CGHS beneficiaries for treatment at CGHS recognized institution in other city.	O.M. NO. S-12020/4/97- CGHS(P), dated 7.4.1999	CGHS of the concerned city through CE(HRM) for CWC(Hqrs) and Head of Office concerned for Field Office.
11(a)	Prior permission to CS(MA) beneficiaries for treatment at CGHS recognized institution in other city.	No. S.14021/06/2005-MS, dated 4.1.2007	Chief Engineer (HRM)- for employees posted at CWC Headquarters. Chief Engineer (Field Office) – for employees posted at Field Offices.
12.	Issue of letter to CGHS recognized hospital for treatment of CGHS/CS(MA) beneficiaries & their family members on credit basis.	No.11045/36/2012- CGHS(HEC), dated 1.10.2014	Under Secretary(E-XIV) at Hqrs. Head of Office in the Field offices.
13.	Permission for purchase of artificial appliances, recommended by CGHS/Govt doctor for which rates are available in CGHS/ CS(MA) rules.	O.M. No. S.14025/10/2002/ MS, dated 26.5.2015 and O.M. No. S-1101125/2014/ CGHS-(P), dated 8.7.2014 etc.	Under Secretary(E-XIV) at Hqrs. Head of Office in the Field offices.
13(a).	Permission for purchase of artificial appliances which are not included in the CGHS rate list but recommended by CGHS/Govt doctor as per the patient's requirement costing below Rs.50,000/-	O.M. No. S-1101125/2014/ CGHS-(P), dated 8.7.2014	Chief Engineer (HRM)- for employees posted at CWC Headquarters. Chief Engineer (Field Office) – for employees posted at Field Offices.

b)	Permission for purchase of artificial appliances which are not included in the CGHS rate list but recommended by CGHS/Govt doctor as per the patient's requirement costing above ₹50,000/-.	O.M. No. S-11011/25/2014/CGHS-(P), dated 8.7.2014	CGHS of the concerned city or Ministry of Health & Family Welfare in case of CS(MA) through CE(HRM) for CWC(Hqrs) and Head of Office concerned for Field Office.
13(c)	Permission/ex-post facto approval for purchase of specialized implants/artificial appliances viz. Neuro implants, BPAP, CPAP & Oxygen Concentrators etc.	No. S.11011/4/2014-CGHS(P), dated 5.3.2014	CGHS of the concerned city or Ministry of Health & Family Welfare in case of CS(MA) through CE(HRM) for CWC(Hqrs) and Head of Office concerned for Field Office.
14.	Reimbursement of artificial appliances for which rate are available in the CGHS rate list duly recommended by CGHS/Govt doctor and permission, where necessary, has been taken from the Department.	O.M. No. S-11011/25/2014/CGHS-(P), dated 8.7.2014	Under Secretary(E-XIV) at Hqrs. Head of Office in the Field offices.


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