



GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM,
HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (A) DEPARTMENT
DISPUR, GUWAHATI- 781006

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NOTIFICATION

The Govt. of Assam is pleased to launch a Comprehensive Health Insurance scheme by converging the various ongoing beneficiary-oriented schemes under the umbrella of 'Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme' with a view to deliver benefits to the patients in a more transparent and expeditious way. Pursuant to the decision, decentralization of Assam Arogya Nidhi and Sneha Sparsha Scheme will be given effect for increasing coverage among wide section of people along with Mukhya Mantrir Jeevan Jyoti Bima Achoni.

A centralized receipt in each District Social Welfare Office will jointly manage all the insurance /reimbursement schemes of Social Welfare Department & Health & Family Welfare Department at district level. All applications will be collected and acknowledgement will be given and the payment will be made in the district itself to the public in a decentralized manner.

The broad guidelines in respect of implementation of Assam Arogya Nidhi, Mukhya Mantrir Jeevan Jyoti Bima Achoni and increasing coverage of "Sneha Sparsha" will be as follows:-

ASSAM AROGYA NIDHI:

1. Applications will be received at the district level. A District level Committee will be notified to check the admissibility of claims.
2. District wise fund allocation will be made for payment.
3. The District Social Welfare Office where Mukhya Mantrir Jeevan Jyoti Bima Achoni applications are collected will also collect applications of Assam Arogya Nidhi and will systematically compile all the claims.

MUKHYA MANTIR JEEVAN JYOTI BIMA ACHONI:

1. The existing District level Committee headed by the Deputy Commissioner of the concerned district will examine the claims of Social Welfare Department and Health Department schemes and provide the relief directly from the district. The overlapping diseases between Health Department schemes and Social Welfare Department's schemes will be decided by the Committee as to provide most suitable coverage either under Mukhya Mantrir Jeevan Jyoti Bima Achoni OR under concerned Health Department Scheme.

INCREASING COVERAGE OF "SNEHA SPARSHA" SCHEME:

1. The present guidelines envisage 10 diseases for Super Speciality treatment outside the State. The Scheme also allows reimbursement of medical expenses in the Medical Colleges as well as other hospitals of the State.

2. Applications received will be screened by the District Level Committee notified by the Govt. regarding financial eligibility of the claims etc.
3. Families with annual income less than Rs. 2.50 lakhs are eligible for availing the benefit. Priority is given to the BPL families.
4. The age limit is enhanced for the children up to 18 years. The following diseases are incorporated in addition to the existing diseases and following enhancement of costs are to be provided:

a) Hematology:

- i) Hematological Cancer diseases- Rs. 5,00,000/-
- ii) Solid Tumours-All Sarcomas- Rs.4,00,000/-
- iii) Non cancer Haematological disease- Rs.3,00,000/-
- iv) Severe Immuno Deficiency Disease- Rs.5,00,000/-
- v) Infantile disease- Rs. 3,00,000/-

b) Neuro Surgery:

- i) Brain Tumours- Rs. 1,20,000/-
- ii) Brain Tuberculosis & Granulomas- Rs. 60,000/-
- iii) Orbital Tumours- Rs. 80,000/-
- iv) Hydrocephalus- Rs. 40,000/-

c) Ophthalmology:

- i) Treatment of Retinopathy of Prematurity- Rs. 30,000/-
- ii) Treatment of Paediatric Cataract- Rs. 30,000/-

d) Neurology:

- i) Wilson's disease- Rs.1,00,000/-
- ii) Parkinson's Disease- Rs. 1,00,000/-
- iii) Myasthenia Gravis- Rs. 2,00,000/-
- iv) LGB Syndrome- Rs. 2,00,000/-
- v) Multiple Sclerosis- Rs. 1,00,000/-
- vi) AIDP/CIDP- 2,00,000/-
- vii) Non Compressive Myelopathy- Rs.50,000/-

e) ENT:

- i) Congenital Disorder of Ear, Nose and Throat- Rs. 30,000/-

f) Paediatrics:

- i) Surfactant Therapy- Rs. 20,000/-
- ii) Cerebral Palsy, Autism, Learning Disorder- Rs. 25,000/-
- iii) IVIG- Rs. 1,00,000/-
- iv) Albumin for Nephrotic Syndrome- Rs. 15,000

g) Urology:

- i) Posterior urethral valve (Pyeloplasty)- Rs. 25,000/-
- ii) PUJ Obstruction- Rs. 35,000/-
- iii) Wilm's Tumour (Radical nephrectomy)- Rs. 50,000/-
- iv) Renal stone surgery(Pyelolithotomy/ Nephrolithotomy)- Rs. 35,000/-

h) Nephrology:

- i) Nephrotic Syndrome- Rs.50, 000/-
- ii) Acute Kidney Injury in Childhood- Rs. 50,000/-
- iii) CKD on Dialysis- Rs. 1,00,000/-

The applications for "Sneha Sparsha" will also be received in the same manner as decided above and will be routed to the Medical Colleges of the respective districts and also payment will be made at the district level.

The District Level Committee for Sneha Sparsha/ Assam Arogya Nidhi will be constituted as follows:


- 1) Deputy Commissioner: Chairman
- 2) Joint Director of Health Services: Member Secretary
- 3) Additional Deputy Commissioner (Health): Member
- 4) Superintendent, District Hospital: Member
- 5) District Social Welfare Officer: Member.

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By order etc.


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