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Dated: 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2012

To,

The Jt. Director of Health Services, (All District) \_\_\_\_\_ District.

**Sub: Operational Guideline Implementation of Janani Suraksha Yojana (JSY).**

**Ref: DO No. Z-14011/2/2012/JSY dtd. 8<sup>th</sup> February, 2012.**

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above I am to inform you that as the second phase of NRHM has already started from 2012-13 and JSSK has been introduced since September, 2011 we will have to implement JSY with strict compliance of all Non-negotiable principles under JSY. To refresh our memory let us look back to the following guidelines circulated to the Districts from time to time.

JSY is a Safe Motherhood Intervention under NRHM with the objective of reducing Maternal and Neo-Natal mortality by promoting **Institutional Delivery** among the all pregnant women of Assam.

**Stratagy1:**

To achieve the objective, JSY is to be linked with Financial assistance and carrying out the following:

Micro Birth Planning linking with MAMANI scheme.

- First Ante Natal Check-up: Early Registration within 12 weeks – Counseling of pregnant women providing MAMANI Booklet, JSY Card, MCP Card and Folic Acid tablet.
- Second Ante Natal Check-up: Between 16 – 20 weeks and on the spot payment of first installment of MAMANI.
- Third Ante Natal Check-up: Between 28-32 weeks and on the spot payment of second installment of MAMANI.
- Fourth Ante Natal Check-up: At 36 weeks of pregnancy - Identification of the place of delivery and identification of Health centre for referral of high risk pregnancy and complication of pregnancy.

**Stratagy2: Financial Assistance:**

Category	Rural Area		Urban Area	
	Mother's Package	ASHA's Package	Mother's Package	Link Worker's Package
All pregnant women delivered in the General Ward	Rs. 1400/-	Rs.600/- for first two deliveries Rs.400/- after 3 <sup>rd</sup> delivery Rs. 200/- after 4 <sup>th</sup> delivery Rs. NIL After 5 <sup>th</sup> delivery and above	Rs.1000/-	Rs.200/-

**Non-negotiable points:**

1. No delay in JSY payment to the beneficiaries.
2. Full amount of financial assistance is to be paid to the beneficiary in A/c payee cheque before discharge from the health institution after delivery.

**Stratagy3:**

**Grievance Redressal Mechanism:** District JSY Nodal Officer is to be made responsible to supervise the grievance cell of the district. It will felicitate peoples genuine grievances regarding:

- a) Eligibility of the scheme.
- b) Quantum of JSY incentive.
- c) Delay in disbursement.
- d) Inability to encash the account payee cheque by the beneficiary.

**Stratagy4:**

**4% Administrative Cost:** Up to 4% of the expended fund for payment of JSY beneficiaries and incentive for ASHA/Link Worker can be utilized towards the administrative expenses. Please restrict to the following activities.



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1. Printing of JSY Card.
2. Institution Wise 10% verification of JSY beneficiaries – It should be done from District Hospital Level to the sub-centre level by JSY Nodal Officer, DEMO, Dy. DEMO and DPMU at District Level and by BEE, Health Educator and BPMU at Block level. The beneficiary from April 2012 are to be included.

TA/DA may be disbursed as per Govt. of Assam norms for regular employees and NRHM norms for NRHM employees on submission of the enclosed format (**Annexure-I**) for verification of JSY beneficiaries from 4% administrative cost. During verification documents to be verified in the institution are:

- a. Delivery Register, b. payment Register, c. JSY Card

All reports are to be compiled by BPM at the Block level and DPM at the District level at the end of the month and the anomalies detected are to be brought to the notice of SDM&HO, I/c BPHC and Jt. DHS of the districts and remedial actions are to be taken. The summary of verification is to be submitted regularly to the undersigned monthly.

3. TA/DA for JSY Nodal Officer for conducting enquiry of the complain received from the community regarding anomalies of JSY payment as per State Govt. Norms may be made from 4% administrative cost.
4. Display of names of JSY beneficiaries: The list of JSY beneficiaries along with date of disbursement of A/c payee cheque to her should mandatorily be displayed on the display board of the delivery points from where beneficiaries have got the benefit. Being updated regularly on month to month basis. Wherever necessary display board may be procured from 4% administrative cost. The list of beneficiaries district wise, month wise is to be uploaded in the website.

**N.B. Q. Frequently asked question: If the Governments policy is to control population why would Government be relaxing too child restriction under JSY?**

**Ans: JSY is a scheme for saving the life of Mothers and Neonates from the causes related to the process of delivery which is a policy of the Government. Women who are in higher orders of birth are more at risk of mortality as they tend to neglect their delivery care and it is by bringing them to institution and not by keeping them out of the domain of institutional delivery care and these high fertility women are to be counseled for Family Planning.**

Yours faithfully,

(Prateek Hajela, IAS)

Comm. & Secy. Health & FW,

Govt. of Assam cum MD, NRHM, Assam

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Copy to:

1. The Addl. Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Health & FW Deptt.
2. The Director, Health Services(FW), Assam, Swastha Bhawan, Hengerabari, GHY-36
3. The Addl. CM&HO (FW) (All District) \_\_\_\_\_ District.
4. The JSY Nodal Officer (All District) \_\_\_\_\_ District.
5. The DPM/DCM (all District) \_\_\_\_\_ District. They are requested to ensure availability of this letter in all BPHC.
6. The PS to the Minister, Health & FW Deptt, Govt. of Assam, with a kind request to appraise the Hon'ble Minister.

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