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The Competent Authority has approved the following modifications in the existing medical facilities to eligible Officers and Staff at IWAI Head Office and Regional Offices:

1. One month's pay (Band Pay + Grade Pay) of the previous year as on 31st March would be considered and fixed for all categories of serving employees for OPD treatment. However, the OPD limit for 36 chronic diseases is hereby raised from 50% to 100%. The list of 36 chronic diseases is enclosed at Annex - ‘A’. In case an employee avails OPD consultancy in a hospital, it would be preferable to purchase medicines from the pharmacy shop in the same hospital or any CGHS empanelled pharmacy.

2. For IPD treatment, the permission letters would be issued to empanelled Hospitals for treatment of employees and their dependent family members as and when required. The bills would be settled according to CGHS rates. Medical advances would be paid to the concerned hospital for employees in emergency cases only with the approval of the Competent Authority.

3. For further improvement, streamlining and stabilizing medical treatment facilities to IWAI employees, IWAI has empanelled 13 CGHS empanelled Hospitals having accreditation under NABH and NABL. These hospitals have expressed their willingness to provide IPD services on authorization basis and OPD on cash basis at CGHS rates under a formal agreement. Efforts are underway to extend this facility for hospitals such as Escorts, MAX, Fortis, Vedanta, Apollo, NIH etc. The list of empanelled hospitals is enclosed at Annex - ‘B’.

4. In case any employee visits a hospital or a Registered Medical Practitioner outside the empanelled hospitals, the reimbursement will be restricted to CGHS rates.
In the case of IPD, all Directors, Officers-in-charge must reach a decision promptly.

The empanelment of hospitals which are empanelled with CGHS and having accreditation under NABH and NABL in their jurisdiction. The expression of willingness by such hospitals to provide IPD service on authorization basis and OPD on cash basis at CGHS rates with formal agreement is requested to be forwarded to Head Office for approval. The proof of CGHS empanelment of such hospitals should also be provided.

Chief Accounts Officer

Encl:-

1. List of 36 chronic diseases (Annex - 'A').
2. List of empanelled hospitals (Annex - 'B')
4. Application Form for obtaining Medical Card.

To

1. Chief Engineer (P&M)
2. Hydrographic Chief
3. Director (IT) for uploading on website.
4. Director, IWAI, Kolkata.
5. Director, IWAI, Kochi.
6. Director (I/c), IWAI, Guwahati.
7. Director (I/c), IWAI, Patna.
8. Officer in-charge, IWAI, Bhagalpur.
9. Officer in-charge, IWAI, Allahabad
11. Assistant Secretary (A&E)
12. Notice Board.

Copy for information to:

1. PS to Chairman
2. PA to Member (Finance)
3. PA to Member (Technical)
4. PA to Secretary
The List of Chronic Diseases is as under:

1. Tuberculosis
2. Cancer
3. Ischiemic/ Rheumatic Heart Diseases
4. Metabolic Diseases
5. Bronchial Asthma
6. Epilepsy
7. Pemphigus
8. Open Angle Glaucoma
9. Retinal detachment
10. COPD
11. Bronchectasis
12. Cystic Fibrosis
13. Sarcoidosis
14. Systematic Hypertension
15. Cardiac Arrhythmias
16. Hemophilia
17. Crohn's Disease
18. Ulcerative Colitis
19. Hepatitis-B
20. Hepatitis
21. Nephrotic Syndrome
22. Chronic Renal Failure
23. Renal Transplant
24. Parkinsonism
25. Hypothyroidism & Myxedema
26. Hyperthyroidism (Thyrotoxicosis)
27. Thalassemia
28. Diabetic Mellitus (Replace Diabetes)
29. Aplastic anemia
30. HIV infections (AIDS)
31. Schizophrenia
32. Osteo & all types of Arthritis
33. Cirrhosis of Liver
34. Muscular Dystrophy
35. Ankylosis Spondylitis etc.
36. SLE (Systematic Lupus Erythematosus)