

मुख्यालय ПЕАDQUARTERS OFFICE कर्मचारी राज्य बीमा निगम

EMPLOYEES'STATE INSURANCE CORPORATION (An ISO 9001-2000 certified organisation)

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No: D-12/16/1/03-E-VI

Dated: 25/08/08

То

All Regional Directors/ Joint Directors I/c Director(M) Delhi/ Director(M) Noida, ESI Corporation.

Sub: Salient features of ESIC-Pensioners Medical Scheme – Reg.

Sir,

A copy of DO letter of even No. dated 22.08.2008 signed by Addl. Commissioner (P&A) is enclosed herewith on the above subject. All Nodal Officers of ESIC-PMS of ESI Corporation are requested to issue the enclosed DO letter to all the pensioner pertaining to their unit after making requisite number of copies.

This issues with the approval of Addl. Commissioner (P&A).

Yours faithfully,

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Dear Shri/Smt

B.K. SAHU ADDITIONAL COMMISSIONER

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No. D-12/16/1/2003-E .VI Dated : २२^{२७}August,2008

It is a matter of immense pleasure to address the elders of the ESIC, each of whom have made a contribution towards building the organisation. It is in regard to your Medical Scheme that I felt the need for addressing you individually. As you are aware, the Standing Committee of ESIC in its meeting held on 13/12/05 approved scheme for medical facilities to the pensioners of ESIC under the name of style of "The ESIC-PMS 2006" and it came into force on 1/04/06. Subsequently, a number of instructions were issued adding more features to the scheme. Publicity was also given through the press so that every pensioner of the Corporation is aware of it.

However, it appears from the queries that are being generated and received, that many of the pensioners are still not aware of the scheme. I availed of the opportunity to address you personally to apprise of its salient features, which are as follows:-

- 1. Pensioner opting for this scheme shall pay contribution in advance for a minimum period of 6 months as per rates mentioned in the scheme circulated vide instructions No.D-12/16/1/03-E.VI dated 13/01/06.
- 2. ESIC-PMS Scheme is an optional one and a pensioner may or may not opt for the scheme irrespective of the location of his residence.
- 3. Pensioner not opting for the Scheme will be paid Fixed Medical Allowance @ Rs.100 P.M.
- Pensioners who retired prior to 31/03/08 and are not member of ESIC-PMS or lifetime member of any earlier medical scheme shall have one time option enrolment to the Scheme till 3/12/08 after which no request will be considered.
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- 5. D(M)D shall be the Nodal officer the case of pensioners in and around Delhi in matters regarding references to other Hospitals and RDs/JDs Incharge in the case of pensioners in other states.
- 6. Pensioners joining the scheme after a period of 6 months after retirement (which is subject to acceptance by the competent authority) shall be entitled for super speciality treatment only after a short "waiting period" of 6 months from the date of joining the Scheme.
- 7. Medical Institutions for availing treatment under the ESIC-PMS shall include following :-
 - (i) All ESI Hospitals and Dispensaries including ODCs etc. run by the ESI Corporation and the State Govts., as agreed to by the State Govt#
 - (ii) All hospitals and other facilities recognized by the CGHS and CS(MA) Rules.

- (iii) All Hospitals/Dispensaries/AMA etc. approved/recognized by the ESIC/ESIS authorities for the treatment of IPs and their employees or any other medical institution recognized by the Nodal officer specifically under the Rules 9 of the ESIC-PMS
- 8. Pensioners residing within a distance of 8 Kms. of ESIC -Dispensary/Hospital/ODC centers shall avail medical facilities through our medical institutions at the first instance. In case, any particular treatment is not available in such institution the patient shall be referred to any of the recognized institution where the required treatment is available.
- 9. The ESIC-PMS beneficiaries shall be entitled for treatment of any kind from any Govt. Hospital, Dispensary or any other facility maintained by Central, State or local bodies for which no formal recognition or agreement shall be necessary. The rate of reimbursement in these cases will be made on actual basis subject to the entitlement of the pensioner for various facilities. Reimbursement under ESIC-PMS shall be restricted to the rate as actually recognized institution/rates specified by CGHS/CSMA as the case may be or the rates contained in the agreement the Nodal Officer has entered into with such institution whichever is less except in the case of food/tonic some restricted medicines etc..
- 10. A member of the ESIC PMS, who is not resident within 8 Kms. of any ESIC institution irrespective of distance of residence may request f or his attachment to any of the medical institution/ AMAs, as per para-7 including an <u>ESIC institution</u>.
- 11. Nodal officers are empowered to reimburse the claims in respect of emergency treatment availed by you in any hospital irrespective of the distance from his residence if the hospital concerned has certified the Medical emergency and Nodal Officer in consultation with MR/SMC/MS of ESIC Hospital is satisfied about emergent condition. However, reimbursement in such cases will be made as per CGHS/ CSMA approved rates or actual expenditure whichever is less.

Corporation has also approved presentation of a memento worth Rs.5000/- (a silver medallion) on superannuation through Regional Directors.

While I am not able to accommodate exhaustive details of the scheme here, I believe I have managed to bring out some of pivotal aspects of the scheme. We have also published all the instructions issued on the website. I am also sure that our officers will be glad to guide you in case you find difficulty in availing the benefits.

With

Yours Sincerely,

(B.K. SAHU)

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