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23 Mar 2020

(All RCs)

**REIMBURSEMENT OF MEDICINES : SPECIAL SANCTION IN VIEW OF COVID-19**

1. In view of the Corona Virus disease (COVID-19), all out efforts are being made to contain the impact of this pandemic by instituting measures at community as well as individual level.
2. Guidelines on maintaining social distancing between individuals has also been advised by WHO. In the spirit of above guidelines, Veterans having life style diseases on long treatment may purchase one month requirement of all medicines based on the prescription held (prescribed by Polyclinic/ Service hosp/ Empanelled hosp) for the month of Apr 2020, irrespective of NA or otherwise. Veterans need not go to Polyclinics to collect the medicines for the month of Apr 2020.
3. One time sanction is hereby accorded to reimburse the above expenditure under individual reimbursement of medical claims. The bills for reimbursement to be submitted by Veterans after 15 May 2020.
4. This will be implemented with immediate effect till 30 Apr 2020.
5. This has the concurrence of MoD/DoESW.

  
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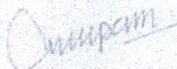
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24 Apr 2020

(All Regional Centres)

**REIMBURSEMENT OF MEDICINES : SPECIAL SANCTION IN VIEW OF COVID-19**

1. Further to this HQ letter No B/49761/AG/ECHS dated 23 Mar 2020 (copy att).
2. A onetime sanction for purchase of medicines and claim reimbursement was issued till 30 Apr 2020. In view of extended lockdown till 03 May 2020, the veterans having life style/ chronic ailments/ diseases on long treatment may purchase medicines lasting till 31 May 2020 based on the prescription held (prescribed by Polyclinic/ Service hospital/ Empanelled hospital) irrespective of NA or otherwise. Veterans need not go to Polyclinics to collect the medicines till 31 May 2020.
3. One time sanction is hereby accorded to reimburse of above expenditure under individual reimbursement of medical claims. The bills for reimbursement to be submitted by Veterans after 15 Jun 2020.
4. This will be applicable with immediate effect till 31 May 2020.

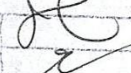


  
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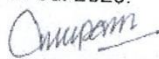
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01 Jun 2020

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**REIMBURSEMENT OF MEDICINES : SPECIAL SANCTION IN VIEW OF COVID-19**


1. Further to this HQ letter No B/49761/AG/ECHS dated 23 Mar 2020 and even No dt 24 Apr 2020.
2. A onetime sanction for purchase of medicines and claim reimbursement was issued till 31 May 2020. In view of increasing cases of COVID-19 and further extension of lockdown beyond 31 May 2020 in containment zones, to promote social distancing and avoiding unnecessary exposure to ECHS beneficiaries as well as minimizing footfall at ECHS Polyclinics, the ECHS beneficiaries having life style/ chronic ailments/ diseases on long treatment may purchase medicines lasting till 31 Jul 2020 based on the prescription held (prescribed by doctor of Polyclinic/ Service hospital/ Empanelled hospital) irrespective of NA or otherwise. It is also clarified that the ECHS Polyclinics are functional and ECHS beneficiaries also have the option to collect medicines through ECHS Polyclinics as per normal practice, instead of purchasing from market, after taking prior appointment from respective OIC Polyclinic.
3. One time sanction is hereby accorded to reimburse the above expenditure under individual reimbursement of medical claims. The reimbursement will be done as per guidelines issued by this HQ vide letter No B/49761/AG/ECHS/Medicine Policy dt 18 May 2020.
4. This will be applicable with immediate effect till 31 Jul 2020.

  
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