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No. RSCWS/CHD/Memo-DGRHS/2023-11

Dated: 30-6-2023

Chairman & Chief Executive Officer,Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, NEW-DELHI – 110001.

- Sub: -Regarding Extension of Pan India Cashless Treatment facilities to Railway Beneficiaries at AIIMs & PGIs
 - (at par with other Central Government employees & Pensioners/ CGHS Beneficiaries) .
- Ref: -1.Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Department of Health & Family Welfare, Directorate General of CGHS letter F No. Z16025/12/2023/CGHS-111 Dated 31-05-2023.
 - 2. Press Release by MoH&FW dated 27-06-2023 Regarding MOA between AIIMS-New Delhi, PGIMER-Chandigarh & JIPMER-Puducherry.

Dear Sir,

In reference to the above letters, facility of Cashless Treatment has been extended to CGHS Beneficiaries in the Medical Institutes of National Importance (AIIMS at New Delhi, Bhopal, Bhuaneswar, Patna, Jodhpur, Raipur, Rishikesh, PGIMER-Chandigarh & JIPMER-Puducherry) with the following salient features:

- 1. Cashless treatment will be available in outpatient departments (OPD), investigations, and indoortreatment for CGHS pensioners and other eligible categories of beneficiaries.
- 2. These institutes will raise credit bills for CGHS pensioners and other eligible beneficiaries, and CGHS will preferably make payment within 30 days of receiving the bills.
- **3.** CGHS beneficiaries will be admitted only upon the production of a valid CGHS Beneficiary ID Cardfor treatment at these institutions.
- **4.** Separate Help Desks and accounting systems will be created for CGHS beneficiaries at AIIMS NewDelhi, PGIMER Chandigarh, and JIPMER Puducherry.
- **5.** Medicines prescribed by the doctors at these institutions, whether for OPD treatment or at the timeof discharge, will be collected by beneficiaries through CGHS
- 6. CGHS beneficiaries will no longer require referrals to access healthcare facilities at theseinstitutions.

Railways, also being a central government pan India organisation, the Railway Board is requested to extend these facilities of Cashless Treatment in all AIIMS and PGI Chandigarh etc without referral from the Railway Hospital to Railway beneficiaries also at par with CGHS Beneficiaries which will enable them to avail state-of-the-art medical facilities and also reduce the referrals burden on CMSs of Railway hospitals.

Yours truly,

(Harchandan Singh), Secretary General/RSCWS

Copy for information & early favourable action to:

Director General, Railway Health Services, Railway Board, Rail Bhawan, NEW-DELHI – 110001.