## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA DEPARTMENT OF SPACE SPACE APPLICATIONS CENTRE (ISRO) AHMEDABAD

No. SAC/CHSS/Physiotherapy/2018

February 22, 2018

## CHSS-CIRCULAR

Sub: Procedure for availing Physiotherapy treatment - reg.

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With reference to the above mentioned subject, the undersigned is directed to state that this office has been receiving representations for simplification of procedure for CHSS beneficiaries to avail physiotherapy treatment at private hospital empanelled under CHSS. The guidelines issued earlier on referral / permission under DOS-CHSS-SOR 2016 vide Para No. 15 and SAC Circular dated 22/11/2016 & 10/03/2017 has been reviewed and it has now been decided to reiterate / revise the guidelines for availing physiotherapy treatment at CHSS empanelled Private Hospitals/Physiotherapy Centre as per the details given under:-

- 1) Physiotherapy should be advised by concerned specialist only.
- 2) The duration and type of physiotherapy should be clearly mentioned by the concerned specialist.
- 3) The case is to be reviewed every two months by the concerned specialist and certified if continuation of physiotherapy is required. In exceptional cases, AMOs may issue referral letter based on the recommendation of a specialist upto the period of two months.
- 4) Home physiotherapy is allowed for a period of three months beyond which patient has to undergo the same in a CHSS recognised hospital. The procedure for availing Home Physiotherapy will continue to be regulated as per DOS OM No.D-11011/3/2012-V dated 22-04-2014.

These issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Hindi version will follow.

(Suryakant Solanki) Admin. Officer (CHSS)

To:

- 1) All employees through SACNET
- 2) Account Officer (CHSS)
- 3) Departmental Dispensaries
- 4) All AMO / Specialists.
- 5) Head, MISD With a request to place the information on CHSS website (Niramay)
- 6) Welfare Officer With a request to upload the circular on Retired Employee web portal.

Cc:

- 1. Director, SAC / DECU.
- 2. Associate Director, SAC
- 3. Controller, SAC.

For kind information please.

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Corrigendum

This is in continuation to letter No. SAC/CHSS/AMO/2016 dated November 22, 2016 regarding CHSS-Guidelines for implementation of new Schedule of Rates (SOR)-2016.

It is stated that the sentence mentions in the 3<sup>rd</sup> line of para 2 of the letter dated 22/11/2016 may be read as



The patient can also be advised for Physiotherapy by Medical Officers / Authorized Medical Officers (AMOs) in SAC-CHSS panel based on the recommendation of the concerned Specialist only or from being advised directly by concerned Specialist.

The other conditions remain unchanged.

(Ashok Kumar Sahoo

Administrative Officer (CHSS)

To:

- 1) Medical Officers- Vikramnagar/ Vastrapur / Antarixnagar
- 2) All AMOs in SAC-CHSS panel, Ahmadabad
- 3) Accounts Officer (CHSS), SAC, Ahmedabad.

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No.SAC/CHSS/AMO/2016

Sub: CHSS-Guidelines for implementation of new Schedule of Rates (SOR)-2016.

Sir / Madam,

As you are aware that we have recently revised CHSS Schedule of Rates (SOR-2016) and enhanced monthly Honorarium payable to AMOs under Contributory Health Service Scheme of the Department of Space with effect from 01-07-2016. Please refer to enclosed guidelines for implementation of new CHSS -SOR-2016.

However, of late, we have noticed that AMOs are referring the patients to Physiotherapists without any Specialist (Orthopedic surgeon) advice. You may kindly note Physiotherapy should be advised by concerned specialist only. In any cases, you should not issue referral letters for physiotherapy for longer duration without specialist opinon.

All AMOs under SAC-CHS Scheme are requested to kindly follow enclosed guidelines for strict compliance.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

(Ashok Kumar Sahoo

Administrative Officer (CHSS)

To:

All AMOs' in SAC-CHSS panel, Ahmedabad.

Copy to:

- 1) Medical Officers-Vikramnagar/Vastrapur/Anatrixnagar
- 2) Accounts Officer (CHSS), SAC, Ahmedabad.

No.D.11011/3/2012-V Government of India Department of Space

> Antariksh Bhavan New BEL Road Bangalore 560 231

> > April 12, 2014

## OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: CHSS - Clarification regarding Home Physiotherapy - reg.

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Some of the DOS/ISRO Centres/Units have raised queries about Home Physiotherapy under CHSS. The following clarifications are issued:-

- a. In view of the disability of paralysis occurring in patients following a cerebro vascular accident (STROKE), they may not be able to undergo physiotherapy and rehabilitation in a recognized hospital, the Department have given permission for Home Physiotherapy as a special case based on a certificate from the specialist of the hospital where the patient had treatment earlier.
- b. Such patients can avail of the physiotherapy from any qualified physiotherapist and not necessarily from the physiotherapist of a recognized hospital.
- c. However the nature of physiotherapy given has to be clearly mentioned in the bill claimed and reimbursement in such cases is restricted to CHSS rates and prior permission of the Director of the respective Centre/Unit Head is required in such cases.
- 2. DOS/ISRO Centres may take note of the above for guidance and compliance.
- 3. This issues with the approval of Competent Authority.

(G.Ravi Shankar) Under Secretary

To:

- 1) Director, VSSC/ISAC/LPSC/SAC/SDSC-SHAR/NRSC/MCF/ISTRAC/ADRIN/IISU/DECU/LEOS/IIRS/IPRC
- 2) Director, PRL/NARL/NE-SAC/SCL/ IIST.
- 3) Scientific Secretary, ISRO, ISRO Hqrs., Bangalore
- 4) Chief Controller, VSSC.
- 5) Controller, SDSC-SHAR/ISAC/NRSC/LPSC /SAC/SCL
- 6) Registrar, ADRIN/PRL/IIST.

## Copy to:-

- 1) Associate Director, INSES.
- 2) Consulting Physician, DOS.