

CENTRAL GOVERNMENT HEALTH SCHEME

OBJECTIVES

- (i) To provide comprehensive medical care facilities to the Central Government employees/ pensioners and members of their families.
- (ii) To avoid cumbersome system of reimbursement of medical expenses to the employees/ pensioners.

2. ELIGIBILITY

The scheme as it stands today, covers:

- (i) Central Government employees residing in CGHS covered cities.
- (ii) Judges of Supreme Court of India and Judges of High Court of Delhi, including employees residing in CGHS areas.
- (iii) Retired Judges of Supreme Court of India and retired Judges of all High Courts of India residing in CGHS areas.
- (iv) Freedom fighters [O.M. No. S-11011/C/94-CGHS (P) dated 16.8.94]
- (v) Members and Ex-Members of Parliament.
- (vi) Central Government pensioners, who were members of CGHS just before retirement.
- (vii) Employees of some semi-Government bodies/semi-Government organisations (upto dispensary level only).
- (viii) Accredited Journalists (upto Dispensary level only).
- (ix) Ex-Governors and Ex-Vice Presidents of India.

3. FACILITIES PROVIDED TO MEMBERS

The following facilities are being provided to the beneficiaries through the dispensaries and polyclinics, Government and recognised hospitals:

- (i) Out Patient care facilities in all systems.
- (ii) Emergency services in Allopathic system.
- (iii) Free supply of necessary drugs.
- (iv) Lab. and Radiological investigations.
- (v) Domiciliary visits to seriously ill-patients. All the Medical Officers are under an obligation to visit the patients who are unable to attend the dispensary. The visits to be entered into a Register.
- (vi) Specialist consultation both at the dispensary and hospital level.
- (vii) Family Welfare Services.
- (viii) Treatment in specialised hospitals, both in Govt. and private recognised hospitals.

4. FACILITIES FOR PENSIONERS

- (i) The same type of medical facilities are provided to the Central Government pensioners residing in CGHS covered areas as are being provided to the serving Central Government employees.
 - (ii) Extension of CGHS to All India Service Pensioners.
- The All India Service pensioners who retire while serving under the State will also be eligible for