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National Health Mission
SDA complex, Kasumpti Shimla-9
Himachal Pradesh

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To

All the Chief Medical Officers
In Himachal Pradesh

Dated the Shimla-9



Subject: Regarding additional incentive for ASHAs

Sir,

As you are aware that ASHAs are the key drivers of community based care introduced with the key objective of bridging the gap between health services and community by functioning as the health care facilitator, service provider and health activist. Govt has approved additional incentives for ASHAs for referral of SAM children to NRC and follow up of SAM children after discharge from NRC from the current norms of Rs. 150 to 300 per SAM child as under:

1. For referring SAM child with medical complication to NRCs, ASHA incentive has been enhanced from Rs 50 to Rs. 100/- per child.
2. Follow up visits of SAM children after discharge from NRC has been enhanced from 100 to 150 per child : Follow-up breakup is - 1st visit - 50; 2nd visit Rs. 25; 3rd visit Rs. 25; 4th visit- Rs. 50
3. Additional incentive of Rs. 50/- per SAM child for ASHA in case child is declared free of SAM status after completion of all follow ups.

Further the expenditure report of ASHA incentive under FMR RCH 7- Nutrition S.No 54- Nutritional Rehabilitation Centre from April 2022 to Dec 2022 as under:

S.No	Name of Nutritional Rehabilitation Centres	Fund allocated for ASHA incentive under in Lakhs	Expdt upto Dec 2022 Rs
1	Bilaspur	0.06	0
2	Chamba	0.07	0
3	Hamirpur	0.04	1550
4	Kangra	0.09	12300
5	Kinnaur	0.01	4850
6	Kullu	0.04	0
7	Mandi	0.08	0
8	Shimla	0.04	5750
9	Sirmour	0.11	0
10	Solan	0.11	0
11	Una	0.06	0

You are therefore requested to kindly book the ASHA incentive as per

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the new norms of ASHA incentive for SAM children from Jan 2023 onwards.

Further it has been observed that all the identified SAM children are not being referred to nearest NRCs. In order to improve the nutritional status of children Govt. of India has approved funds for mother incentive @ Rs.100 for an average stay for 10 days per child. The fund will be released from the concerned NRC to the mother. You are therefore requested to kindly give wide publicity on this.

You are also requested to adhere to the SOPs for management of SAM/MAM children in convergence with WCD. As per SOP you are requested to submit the report of SAM/MAM children on monthly basis on google sheet- https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1Eqo_c2tHt8qWxOaovl_8JtHsgASU-p-BB8ja6p-DCXQ/edit?usp=sharing.

Let's work together effectively in reducing the prevalence of malnourishment in our children.



Yours faithfully


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1. The Secretary (Health), GoHP, Shimla-2 for information please
2. The Director Health Services, SDA complex, Kasumpti, Shima-9 for information please.
3. The Director WCD, Cedar Home Brentwood Estate, Himland, Shimla-1 for information and necessary action please.
4. The Nodal Officer of NRC at Pt.JLNGMC, Chamba, Dr. RKGMC, Hamirpur, Dr. RPGMC Tanda at Kangra, ZH Mandi, IGMC, Shimla, Dr. YSPGMC Nahan at Sirmour, DH Una and SHLBSGMC, Nerchowk Mandi HP for information and n/a. Also requested to give priority to the referred SAM/MAM children.


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