

Chief Minister's Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme- Extension of the Scheme to the Sri Lankan Tamils living outside the Refugee Camps - Orders - Issued.

HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (EAPI-1) DEPARTMENT

G.O (Ms) No.19

Dated:27.01.2014 Thiruvalluvar Aandu – 2044 Vijaya Thai – 14

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Read again:

1) G.O (Ms).No.169, Health and Family Welfare (EAPII-2) Department, dated 11.07.2011.

2) G.O(Ms).No.121, Health and Family Welfare (EAPII-2) Department, dated 03.04.2012.

Read also

- 3) From the Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Rehabilitation and Welfare of Non-Resident Tamils, Chennai-5, Letter No.E1/61/2013, dated: 05.04.2013 and 24.10.2013.
- 4) From the Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health Systems Project, Letter No.4127/ TNHSP/ Ins/ 2013 dated: 23.04.2013.

ORDER:

In the G.O 1st read above, orders were issued for implementation of a new Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme to achieve the objective of Universal Health Care to the people of Tamil Nadu. In the G.O. 2nd read above, the above Scheme has been extended to the Srilankan Refugees residing in the Refugees camps in the State.

2. In the letter 3rd read above, the Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Rehabilitation and Welfare of Non Resident Tamils has requested to extend the Chief Minister's Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme to the Sri Lankan Tamils in the State, who have registered themselves as Non Camp Refugees in the local police station as per the 'Q' Branch report for the month of February 2013, about 13,289 families consisting 34,826 refugees have registered their names in the local police stations as non-camp refugees and obtained certificate for the same. The list of such non-camp refugees and their local addresses are available with the Commissioner of Police in the case of Corporation areas and Superintendent of Police of the districts in case of non-corporation areas.

- 3. In the letter 4th read above, the Project Director, Tamil Nadu Health System Project, has stated that the Sri Lankan refugees living outside the Camps also may be covered under the Chief Minister's Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme, preferably without any income limit. He has added that however if the Government deems fit, suitable orders may be issued in this regard as only refugees in the camps alone are covered in this Scheme.
- 4. The Government after careful examination has decided to accept the request of the Principal Secretary / Commissioner of Rehabilitation and Welfare of Non-Resident Tamils. Accordingly, the Government direct that the Chief Minister's Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme shall be extended to the Sri Lankan Refugees living outside the Refugee Camps in the State, who have requested themselves as Non Camp Refugees in the local police stations. The Operational Guidelines for extension of the above Schemes are detailed below:

I. Eligibility:

- a. The beneficiary should have Registration Certificate issued by the Concerned local police station.
- b. There is no income ceiling for these beneficiaries.

II. Identification:

a. The Srilankan Non-Camp Refugees should obtain a certificate from the local police station. (Not below the rank of Inspector of Police).

III. Verification:

a. The beneficiaries identified should be verified with the existing Chief Minister's Comprehensives Health Insurance Scheme for Tamil Nadu (CMCHISTN) data for de-duplication.

IV. Enrolment:

- a. Enrolment is done at the concerned District Kiosk after following dueprocess of de-duplication.
- b. The Insurance Card should be issued to the beneficiary at District Kiosk through online printing.

c. Monthly data on enrolment provided.

V. <u>Distribution of Cards:</u>

a. The cards to be distributed same day from the District Kiosk

5. This order issues with the concurrence of Public Department vide its U.O. No.10980/RHII/2013 dated: 28.10.2013 and Finance Department vide its U.O.No.909/H-II/2014, dated: 10.01.2014.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

J.RADHAKRISHNAN SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

The Project Director,

Tamil Nadu Health Systems Project, Chennai-6.

The Private Secretary to Chief Secretary to Government, Chennai-9.

The Principal Secretary / Commissioner, Department of Rehabilitation, Chepauk, Chennai-5.

The Principal Secretary / Commissioner for Revenue Administration, Chennai-5.

The Principal Secretary to Government, Finance Department, Chennai-9.

The Principal Secretary to Government, Labour and Employment Department, Chennai-9.

The Principal Secretary to Government, Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department, Chennai-9.

The Principal Secretary to Government, Public Department Chennai-9.

The Mission Director, State Health Society, Chennai-6.

The Commissioner of Municipal Administration, Chennai-10.

The Director of Public Health and Preventive Medicine, Chennai-6.

The Director of Medical and Rural Health Services, Chennai-6.

The Director of Medical Education, Chenna-10.

All Collectors.

All Joint Directors of Medical and Rural Health Services / Deputy Director of Health Services.

Accountant General, Chennai- 6/18.

The Pay and Account Officer, (South) Chennai- 35.

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The Hon'ble Chief Minister's Office, Chennai-9.

The Senior P.A to Hon'ble Minister (Finance) / (Health) Chennai-9.

The Public (RH-II) Department, Chennai-9.

The Finance (Health- II) Department, Chennai-9.

Health and Family Welfare (Data Cell) Department, Chennai-9.

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