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Department of Health Research, Ministry of Health
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Dated: 7.6.2021.

To,

The Directors/Directors-in-Charge of
permanent Institutes/Centres of ICMR.

Subject: Revision of guidelines regarding provision of CPAP/BiPAP/Oxygen
Concentrator, in respect of CS(MA) beneficiaries for domiciliary use.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to a copy of email dated 27.5.2021 received from under Secretary, Deptt, of Health and Family Welfare, Ministry of Health & family Welfare New Delhi forwarding therewith a copy of OM No. S.14025/55/2019-EHS, dated 27.5.2021 on the subject mentioned above for information and necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

(Jagdish Rajesh)
Asstt. Director General (Admn.)

Encl: As above

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Fwd: Provision for CPAP/BiPAP/Oxygen Concentrators devices for CS(MA) beneficiaries- revision of guidelines

From : Prof. Balram Bhargava <balram.bhargava@gov.in> Thu, May 27, 2021 02:38 PM

Subject : Fwd: Provision for CPAP/BiPAP/Oxygen Concentrators devices for CS(MA) beneficiaries- revision of guidelines 1 attachment

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Subject: Provision for CPAP/BiPAP/Oxygen Concentrators devices for CS(MA) beneficiaries- revision of guidelines

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Madam/ Sir,

Please find the attached OM dated 27.05.2021 for CS(MA) beneficiaries, for information. Physical copy is also being issued separately.

with regards,

Sandeep Kumar
Under Secretary (EHS)
MoHFW, New Delhi
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No. S.14025/55/2019-EHS
Government of India
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
Department of Health & Family Welfare
EHS Section

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi

Dated: the 27th May, 2021

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub:- Revision of guidelines regarding provision of CPAP / BiPAP / Oxygen concentrator, in respect of CS(MA) beneficiaries for domiciliary use.

The undersigned is directed to refer to the Office Memorandum No. S.14025/6/2006-MS dated 19th May, 2006 issued by this Department on the above subject. The matter has been reviewed in this Ministry and the following guidelines have been framed for considering requests for permission to purchase Oxygen Concentrator/BiPAP/CPAP etc. by CS(MA) beneficiaries and regulating reimbursement of cost of such machines to the CS(MA) beneficiaries:

(i) Request of the beneficiary should be accompanied with the relevant proforma prescribed for the machine, duly filled up by the treating physician (specimen copy of proforma attached). The treating physician should carefully read the laid down guidelines before filling up the respective columns of the Proforma. Actual value of all the parameters mentioned in Proforma should invariably be entered and complete basic investigation reports must be attached.

A. Arterial blood gas report taken while the patient is in stable condition and is breathing room air (in case of oxygen concentrator and bi-level ventilator supplier system).

B. Detailed in-lab-level-I polysomnography report (including all the tracings and tables) in case of recommendation for CPAP and Bi-level CPAP.

(ii) As these machines are life saving devices and have a maximum life of five years, these will be allowed to be replaced again after a period of five years subject to a certificate by the service engineer regarding the un-serviceability/condemnation/ of the earlier machine.

(iii) The beneficiary has also to submit an undertaking to the effect that he has not claimed reimbursement of the cost of the machine in the last five years (copy of format for the affidavit and the undertaking is enclosed).

(iv) Individual requests for permission/ replacement / ex-post facto approval shall be considered by the screening committee consisting of DDG(M), Dte.GHS and two Medical Specialists in the concerned field.

(v) The maximum ceiling limit for reimbursement will be as following:

a. Oxygen Concentrator	Rs. 45,000/- + GST
b. CPAP	Rs. 45,000/- + GST
c. Bi-level CPAP	Rs. 68,000/- + GST
d. Bi-level Ventilatory System	Rs. 1,05,000/- + GST

(vi) The above ceiling limits include cost of maintenance with spare parts for a period of five years. No request for reimbursement of cost of maintenance/parts will be entertained.

(vii) Request for replacement of machine after completion of five years will need to be advised and processed in the same manner as for the first machine.

(viii) Request for permission/ex-post facto approval of these machines, complete in all respect as mentioned above may be sent to Directorate General Health Services.

2. This Office Memorandum supersedes all earlier instruction issued on this subject. These instructions shall take effect from the date of issue of this Office Memorandum i.e. all requests under this OM should have advice for these machines subsequent to the issue of this OM.

3. This issues with the concurrence of Integrated Finance Division, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare vide concurrence Dairy No. 2188, dated 23rd December, 2020.

(Sandeep Kumar)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Signature valid

Digitally signed by SANDEEP
KUMAR, To
Date: 2021.05.27 14:05:05 IST

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