

**Important Circular**

No. AN/VII/7089/DCMAF  
Office of the CGDA,  
West Block-V, R K Puram,  
New Delhi- 110 066  
Dated: 8.5.2009

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To

- The PCDA
- The PCA (Fys) Kolkata
- The Pr. IFA New Delhi
- The CDA
- The CFA (Fys)

**Sub: Enhancement of Financial Assistance from Defence Civilian Medical Aid Fund (DCMAF) and Revision of subscription rates with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2009.**

**Ref:- In continuation of this HQ office letter of even No. dated 13.3.2008.**

A copy of Defence Civilians Medical Aid Fund, Ministry of Defence letter No. F-192/Vol-II/DCMAF dated 20<sup>th</sup> March 2009 on the above subject is forwarded herewith for your information, guidance and necessary action.

2. In this context, it is requested that the contents of this letter may be widely disseminated for information of all members/employees under your administrative jurisdiction to popularize the scheme.

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Copy to:

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AIDAA (CB) Pune  
C/o Office of the CDA (O) Pune
2. The Secretary General  
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3. ✓ EDP Centre, CGDA Office  
- For putting the DCMAF Circular on the Web site.
4. AN-IV Section (Local)  
- For similar necessary action with reference to above.

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Senior Accounts Officer (Admin)

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No.F-192/Vol-II/DCMAF .  
Defence Civilians Medical Aid Fund  
Ministry of Defence  
Room No.171-172, B-Block  
Dalhousie Road  
New Delhi-110 011  
20 March 2009

To

**Heads of All Defence Units/Estts.**  
**All Labour Welfare Commissioners**

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Subject:-**Enhancement of Financial Assistance from Defence Civilians Medical Aid Fund (DCMAF) and Revision of subscription rates with effect from 01 April 2009.**

1. The Managing Committee of the Defence Civilian Medical Aid Fund (DCMAF) in its meeting held on 25 Feb 2009, after reviewing the existing schemes has decided to enhance the financial assistance being paid to the members w.e.f. 01 April 2009. It has also been decided to enhance subscription rates for new members being enrolled w.e.f. 01 April 2009. The decisions of Managing Committee are enumerated in succeeding paragraphs for information and compliance:

2. **Implantation of Stents** : Financial assistance of Rs. 15000/- or the non-reimbursable portion of the expenditure, whichever is less, will be reimbursed in case of implantation of stents w.e.f. 01 April 2009 as is already being done in the case of Coronary By-Pass surgery, Valve Replacement, Renal Transplantation, Joint Replacement and Implantation of Pace-Makers. All conditions applicable for claiming the reimbursement in other cases will be applicable for claiming the reimbursement of the cost of the stents also.

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3. **Nutritious Diet Allowance** : The existing Nutritious Diet Allowance being given @ Rs. 800/- per month will be enhanced as under w.e.f. 01 April 2009:-

<b><u>Disease</u></b>	<b><u>Revised Amount</u></b>
(i) Cancer	Rs. 1500/- per month
(ii) Leprosy	Rs. 1000/- per month
(iii) Dialysis	Rs. 1000/- per month
(iv) TB	Rs. 1000/- per month

4. At present Nutritious Diet Allowance for cancer patients is given upto five years only. It has been decided that in case the treatment for cancer continues beyond five years then each such case will be examined on merit and the Nutritious Diet Allowance will be provided on case to case basis upto a maximum period of eight years.

5. **After-Care Allowance**: After completion of the treatment for TB, Cancer and Leprosy, as the case may be, the After-Care Allowance for a total period of six months will be enhanced from existing Rs. 600/- per month as under w.e.f. 01 April 2009 : -

<b><u>Disease</u></b>	<b><u>Revised Amount</u></b>
(i) Cancer	Rs. 1500/- per month
(ii) TB	Rs. 800/- per month
(iii) Leprosy	Rs. 800/- per month

6. **Nutritious Diet Allowance for Anaemia During Pregnancy and Lactating Mother** : After reviewing both the schemes, it has been decided to continue both the schemes. Nutritious Diet Allowance for Anaemia during Pregnancy till date of delivery and for Lactating Mother

for 4 months from the date of delivery @ Rs. 800/- per month will be given with the following stipulations regarding time limit for claiming the financial assistance w.e.f. 01 April 2009 to make these schemes more effective :-

- (a) **The request for financial assistance for Anaemia during Pregnancy for self/spouse should be submitted by the members before the date of delivery.** Any request submitted to the Unit/Establishment by the members after date of delivery will be treated as time barred and will not be entertained by DCMAF.
- (b) **The request for financial assistance for lactating mother for self/spouse should be submitted by the members within one year from the date of delivery.** Any request submitted to the Unit/Establishment by the members after one year from the date of delivery will be treated as time barred and will not be entertained by DCMAF.

7. **Membership Fee :** The rates of Annual Membership subscription and Full Service Membership subscription were last enhanced in 2002 w.e.f. 01 Jan 2003. Since 2003, Defence Civilians Medical Fund (DCMAF) has introduced various new benefits for its members resulting in increase of its financial liabilities. With a view to ensure that the Fund is self sufficient and able to meet its liabilities to provide enhanced financial assistance to its member, it has been decided to revise the Annual Membership Subscription (AMS) and Full Service Membership

Subscription (FMS) of DCMAF w.e.f. 01 April 2009 as under :-

Pay Band	Annual Membership (in Rs)	Full Service Membership (in Rs)
1S to PB-1	60	400
PB-2	100	600
PB-3	200	800
PB-4	400	1000

8. It is requested that the contents of this letter may be widely disseminated for information of all members/employees under your administrative jurisdiction.

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Hony. Secretary (DCMAF)

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All Members of Managing Committee - For information