

EKLAVYA STAFF HOSPITALISATION ASSISTANCE SCHEME
RULES & GUIDELINES
(January to December 2016)

Rules and Regulations

1. The scheme will be effective from 1st Jan 2016 and will be applicable up to 31st December 2016 ie it will be valid for a period of 12 months.
2. Under this scheme, medical expenses will be reimbursed only if there is hospitalization, except for procedures covered in the list below.
3. Floater cover of Rs 2,00,000/- (rupees two lakh) will be provided under this scheme (for a period of 12 months) for all those on full time in Eklavya.
4. Floater cover of Rs 1,00,000/- (rupees one lakh) will be provided to all those on part time fixed salary.
5. Pre and post hospitalization expenses will also be covered as per limits indicated in the table below.
6. Under this scheme, service charge will also be reimbursed.
7. There will be a 2 % co-payment on every insurance claim ie 2 % of the amount approved will be deducted from the reimbursement claim.
8. A staff member on grade shall be eligible for hospitalization assistance along with all her/his dependents i.e. spouse, parents (or in-laws), and dependent children, as declared in the self-attested form, duly signed by the staff member and counter-signed by the Centre in Charge.
9. Persons engaged on contract or on fixed salary, for a period of six months or more, shall be eligible for self and one dependent. These will also need to be declared in the self-attested form.
10. Policy will not be applicable to fixed salary contracts below six months.
11. Intimation of hospitalization shall be given in writing or by e-mail or through Eklavya website within 24 hours by the staff member, or latest by one day before discharge from the hospital.
12. The staff member shall also give intimation of discharge within 24 hours. For record and follow up.
13. The claim for reimbursement must be received in the Eklavya coordination office in Bhopal as soon as possible but not later than 30 days of date of discharge of the patient in the prescribed claim form with all details filled in. Along with that information in annexure-2 certified by the doctor/hospital will need to be attached.

14. All medical documents, prescriptions, test reports, admission card, discharge certificate, cash-memos / invoices of medicines, Hospital bills with receipts, etc. should be carefully preserved during hospitalization and be enclosed (in original) with the claim.
15. These reports can be returned to the staff member whenever necessary within a period of two years, on written request.
16. Claim received after due date and that without complete documents in original will not be further processed.

Dependents – definition and related clauses

1. 'Dependent' means one whose monthly income is less than Rs. 10,000/- . This income can be in any form – salary, pension, business, farming or any other enterprise.
2. If one of the parents (or in-laws) has a monthly income of more than Rs 10,000/-, the second person will be considered dependent on her/him.
3. Staff member who has not filed the dependent declaration in the form provided in annexure-1, will not be eligible to claim policy benefit for the dependent. This declaration cannot be filed after the incidence ie after hospitalization occurs. (For current year 2016, dependent declaration has to be filed by 15th February). Photo-ids will need to be provided for all dependents.
4. If information about income of the 'dependent' is found to be incorrect (ie declaring the family member dependent who has an income of more than Rs 10,000/-), Eklavya staff member who has filed such declaration will be debarred from this policy for a period of three years.
5. Brothers and sisters will also be covered if staff member is able to prove direct dependence.
6. For children, eligibility for policy assistance will cease on getting married.
7. Eligibility of assistance to any other dependent of the staff member shall be subject to approval of the Executive Council.

Limits and Other Specifics

1. Travel and ambulance expenses shall not be admissible.
2. Maternity benefits shall be applicable only to a female staff member or dependent spouse.
3. If the patient occupies a room with a room rent limit other than her/his eligibility as per these rules, then all the other charges viz. Doctor's fees, Diagnostic charges, Nursing charges, Surgeon, Anesthetist, consultant and Specialist fees, Blood, oxygen, OT charges,

Surgical Appliances, Diagnostic Materials, etc., shall be reduced in direct proportion of room rent admissible and the room rent actually paid.

4. Nutritional supplements will not be reimbursed.
5. Maximum admissibility for different items of expenditure shall be as follows.

Name of Ailment / Surgery / Procedure (All inclusive Package Excluding Room / ICU Rent)	Amount Rs.
Normal Delivery	20,000/-
Caesarean Delivery	40,000/-
Cataract (Each Eye)	20,000/-
Fistula, Piles, Hydrocele, Sinusitis (FESS), Fissure, Tonsillitis / Tonsillectomy	30,000/-
Benign Prostatic Hypertrophy (TURP), Hysterectomy, Appendicitis, Hernia, Gall bladder stone	40,000/-
Cholecystectomy, Lapchole	35,000/-
Joint Replacement (Each Joint)	90,000/-
Coronary Artery Diseases / Ischemic Heart Disease requiring Angioplasty / PTCA	1,50,000/-
Cerebro Vascular Attack	70,000/-
Chemotherapy / Treatment of Cancer	1,50,000/-

Incidentals	Amount Rs.
Room Rent	2,000/day
ICU Rent	3,000/day
Pre-hospitalisation (2 weeks) and Post-hospitalisation (4 weeks) expenses – medicines, tests etc (as percentage of total claim approved)	7 % subject to a maximum of Rs. 10,000/-

Process for Providing Advance

1. On receiving intimation, an advance of up to Rs. 10,000/- can initially be provided to the staff member as advance on demand.
2. Further advance shall be given progressively as per requirement and according to demand.
3. After discharge, the balance advance amount, if any, should be returned immediately.
4. If there is a default on this, the recovery of advance will be made from subsequent salary/salaries immediately.

Information

As per Income Tax rules, medical reimbursement is added to income of the person concerned and reimbursement of up to 25,000/- under section 80-D is exempt from income tax, amount above that is taxable.

Eklavya

31st December 2015

Note – In addition to the above it has been decided that medical tests for personal health monitoring as directed by the doctor will be reimbursed up to Rs 2000/- per staff member for this period.