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Government of India,  
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare  
Department of Health & Family Welfare

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Nirman Bhawan , New Delhi  
Dated the 25<sup>th</sup> Febuary, 2009.

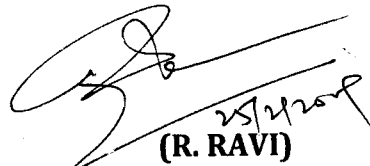
**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject:- Age Limit for dependent children of Government servants and pensioners for availing medical facilities under CGHS and Central Services (Medical Attendance) Rules, 1944 - Regarding.

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The undersigned is directed to refer to this Ministry's O.M. of even number dated 31.5.2007 on the subject noted above and to say that the issue of inclusion of name of married son, aged below 25 years, in the CGHS Card of a CGHS beneficiaries and beneficiaries covered under CS (MA), 1944 come up for consideration of this Ministry. The matter has been examined in consultation with the Department of Personnel & Trainings and it is clarified that the definition of "family" for the purpose of extending medical facilities to a beneficiaries under CGHS/CS(MA) Rules is primarily based on the definition of "family" as indicated in the CCS(Pension) Rules, 1972, CCS(LTC) Rules etc.; which does not include a married son even when below 25years of age in the definition of "family" of the Central Government employee/pensioner.

It is therefore, clarified that, son of the Central Government employee who is a (beneficiary under either CGHS or CS (MA) Rules, 1944)/pensioner CGHS beneficiaries who is married, cannot be included in the definition of "family" for the purpose of extending medical facilities under CGHS/CS (MA) Rules, even when he is below 25 years of age and dependent upon the Central Government employee/pensioner.



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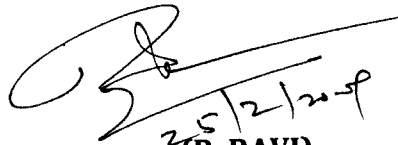
1. All Ministries/Departments of Governments of India.
2. Director, CGHS, Nirman Bhavan, New Delhi.

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3. All Pay & Accounts Officers under CGHS.
4. Additional Directors of CGHS.
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8. Admn.I/Admn.II Sections of Dte.GHS.
9. M.S. Section, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.
10. Rajya Sabha/Lok Sabha Secretariat.
11. Registrar, Supreme Court of India/Delhi High Court, Sher Shah Road, New Delhi.
12. U.P.S.C., New Delhi.
13. Finance Division, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.
14. Deputy Secretary (Civil Service News), Department of Personnel & Training, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, Sardar Patel Bhawan, New Delhi.
15. PPS to Secretary (H& FW), Min. of Health & Family Welfare.
16. PPS to DGHS/AS&FA/AS (J), AS (DG)/AS&PD, NACO.
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18. Swamy Publishers (P) Ltd., 4855, 24, Ansari Road, Near Sanjeevan Hospital, Daryaganj, New Delhi - 110002.
19. Shri Umraomal Purohit, Secretary, Staff Side, 13-C, Ferozshah Road, New Delhi-110001.
20. All staff side members of National Council (JCM).
21. Office of the Comptroller & Auditor General of India, 10 Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi.
22. All Officers/Sections/Desks in the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.
23. Office copy folder.
24. Guard file.

✓ 25. NIC - for uploading in the website of CGHS and CSMA Rules 1944.

Copy forwarded, for information, to the Deputy Director (Health & Family Welfare), Railway Board, Ministry of Railways, Rail Bhawan, New Delhi, w.r.t. Office Memorandum No.2008/H-1/2/15 dated the 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2008, received in the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare from Railway Board.

  
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