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Government of India  
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare  
Department of Health & family Welfare  
(Grants Section)

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi  
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**Office Memorandum**

In terms of para 10(i) of National Policy for Rare Disease, 2021, Para 4(xv) of the guidelines regarding implementation of Umbrella Scheme of Rashtriya Arogya Nidhi, issued vide O.M. No. W-11036/39/2017-RAN dated 1.2.2019 is amended as under:-

Maximum financial assistance admissible under Rare Disease Component of the Umbrella Scheme of Rashtriya Arogya Nidhi (RAN) will be Rs.20 lakh. For Rashtriya Arogya Nidhi(RAN) and Health Minister's Cancer Patient Fund (HMCPF) components of the Scheme, maximum financial assistance admissible will be Rs.15 lakh.

2. All other provisions of the guidelines will remain unchanged.
3. This amendment comes into effect from the date of issue of this Office Memorandum.

Signed by Baidyanath  
Prasad

Date: 27-04-2022 17:24:30  
Reason: Approval (Baidyanath Prasad)

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To,

1. All the Government Hospitals (as per list enclosed).
2. Health Secretaries of all State Government/UT administrations.
3. Department of Expenditure.
4. National Health Authority, New Delhi (with request to amend the scheme as per above in IT platform.)

Copy to: <sup>PPS to AS(CRS) US(CRD)</sup> Director (RD)

1. Finance Division.
2. Director (Budget)
3. Rare Disease Cell.