To

The Secretary,
Indian Council of Forestry Research & Education,
P.O. New Forest,
Dehradun – 248006.

Subject:- Extension of medical treatment facilities to ICFRE Pensioners in recognized hospitals of Govt. of India under Central Govt. Health Scheme on payment of approved rates of Govt. of India by the ICFRE, Dehradun - regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to ICFRE letter No.11-1/PHS/2013-ICFRE dated 11th November, 2014 on the subject mentioned above and to state that the matter regarding grant of recognition to ICFRE for providing medical treatment to its pensioners under ICFREP/PHS in Govt. recognized/empanelled hospitals as per CGHS approved rates, was taken up with the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare.

2. The Ministry of Health & Family Welfare have informed that as per instructions issued in para 3(h) of the MOA signed between CGHS and HCOs, all empanelled hospitals/diagnostic centres/exclusive eye centres/exclusive dental clinics, shall also agree for empanelment with any autonomous body/public sector undertaking on the same terms and conditions as with CGHS on recommendations of MOHFW. Accordingly, the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare have conveyed their no objection to grant of recognition to ICFRE to empanel hospitals empanelled under CGHS for its medical scheme as per CGHS approved rates provided that ICFRE will make the payment of the expenditure on medical expenses to be incurred at approved rates of CGHS or actual cost, whichever is less, from its own budget.

3. In this regard, a copy of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare ID No.S.11015/2/2012-CGHS (P) dated /3/2015 is enclosed.

Yours Faithfully,

Under Secretary to the Government of India

(J.P. Meena)
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
CGHS (P) Section
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Sub: Extension of medical treatment facilities to ICFRE Pensioners in recognized hospitals of Govt. of India under Central Govt. Health Scheme on payment of approved rates of Govt. of India by the ICFRE, Dehradun -- regarding.

The proposal of ICFRE regarding approval of MoHFW to empanel hospitals recognized under CGHS for providing medical treatment to the beneficiaries of ICFRE under its own medical scheme devised by ICFRE as per CGHS approved rates, has been examined in this Ministry.

As per instructions issued in Para 3(H) of the MoA signed between CGHS and HCOs, all empanelled hospitals /diagnostic centres/exclusive eye centres/exclusive dental clinics (as per list of empanelled hospitals on the CGHS website) shall also agree for empanelment with any autonomous body/public sector undertaking on same terms and conditions as with CGHS on recommendations of MoHFW. In lieu of the above, it is informed that this Ministry has no objection in granting recognition to ICFRE to empanel hospitals empanelled under CGHS for their medical scheme as per CGHS approved rates provided that ICFRE will make the payment of the expenditure on medical expenses to be incurred at approved rates of CGHS or actual cost, whichever is less, on pensioner beneficiaries of ICFREPHS to the hospitals concerned from ICFRE own budget (as mentioned vide ICFRE’s letter no. 11-1/PHS/2013-ICFRE dated 11th Nov., 2014).

This issues with the approval of Addl. Secretary & Director General (CGHS).

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