## Government of Odisha Health and Family Welfare Department

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Special Secretary to Govt.-cum-CEO, SHAS

To

Superintendents/ Proprietors, All Empanelled Private Hospitals under BSKY

Sub: Clarification on beneficiary coverage under BSKY

## Madam/Sir,

As you are aware, the new eligibility criteria under Biju Swasthya Kalyan Yojana (BSKY) has come into from 1st September 2021. As per the new eligibility criteria, all NFSA/SFSS beneficiaries are eligible for cashless treatment (up to Rs5 lakhs per family and additional Rs5 Lakh for women members of family annually) in empaneled private hospitals under BSKY. The treatment cost in empaneled private hospitals is borne by the State Government.

As the updation and synchronization of database of NFSA/SFSS is likely to take some time, in the meantime, the following guidelines are to be followed for effective implementation of BSKY.

- It has come to our notice that in some cases, names of persons are there in the NFSA/SFSS card (Ration Card) but names are not found in BSKY online data base for authentication. In such cases, beneficiaries with names in NFSA /SFSS cards will be allowed to get the benefits.
- 2. The patients, who were eligible as per the earlier eligibility criteria and were undergoing Dialysis as a lifesaving treatment or undergoing Chemotherapy/ Radiotherapy for treatment of different cancers will continue to undergo Dialysis and remaining cycles/ fractions of Chemotherapy and radiotherapy as per the treatment protocol advised by the treating Doctor even though they do not possess NFSA/SFSS card or BSKY smart card. The hospital will ensure submission of earlier clinical records (as per MDR) & old URN numbers, photo ID card with earlier eligibility documents in support of initiation of Dialysis, Chemotherapy & radiotherapy before 1st September 2021 and justification for continuation of these procedures. Pre-authorization & claims need to be processed through manual (offline) mode in such type of cases. This applies only to Dialysis, Chemotherapy and Radiation Therapy packages.

The above guidelines are to be adhered to until 30<sup>th</sup> November 2021 or further orders, whichever is earlier.

Yours faithfully,

Special Secretary to Govt.-cum-CEO, SHAS

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