Government of West Bengal  
Finance Department  
Medical Cell  

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MEMORANDUM

Sub: Empanelment of Tata Medical Center, Rajarhat under West Bengal Health Scheme

Employees / Pensioners / Family Pensioners of Government of West Bengal and AIS officers & pensioners who renders/rendered services for the Government of West Bengal gets medical treatment facility under West Bengal Health Scheme.

Now, the Governor is please to empanel, Tata Medical Center (TMC), Rajarhat a uni-specialty cancer hospital as a service provider (Health Care Organisation) under West Bengal Health Scheme, subject to the following terms & conditions:

1. TMC, Rajarhat shall be treated as **Special Category** hospital with Class-I status under West Bengal Health Scheme with Code ‘0411084’.

2. TMC, Rajarhat shall charge from the beneficiary under the West Bengal Health Scheme 100% of **General Rate Tariff** for a particular procedure / investigation as prescribed by them.

3. Beneficiary of West Bengal Health Scheme may avail both Out-Patient Department (OPD) and In-Patient Department (IPD) treatment in TMC, Rajarhat. Hospital shall provide OPD treatment on payment basis and each IPD treatment in cashless mode up to Rs. 1 (one) lakh. The amount above Rs. 1 (one) lakh has to be paid by the beneficiary directly to the hospital before discharge, as per rules and procedure of the hospital.

4. Beneficiaries of West Bengal Health Scheme shall be entitled for two types of bed accommodation i.e. **General Bed** and **Private Bed** while availing indoor treatment as per eligibility of the bed / cabin mentioned clearly in enrolment certificate of the beneficiary. In case of admission in ICU/ICCU/ITU/NICU/PICU, Day Care, HDU/SDU/LDU, Isolation Bed, the rate as mentioned against “General Rate” shall be applicable irrespective of bed entitlement.

5. **Day Care** treatment for Chemotherapy and Radiation shall be considered as IPD treatment. Minimum hospitalization period for such day care treatment in TMC, Rajarhat is 1 (one) hour.

6. During the In-Patient Department treatment of the beneficiary, the TMC, Rajarhat shall supply all medicines as per pricing policy of TMC, Rajarhat.
But in case of high value chemo medicine which may not available at the store of TMC, Rajarhat and the Hospital Authorities have recommended in writing to procure the same from outside, in such case, beneficiary may procure and provide to the hospital. Hospital shall acknowledge such case and issue a certificate to beneficiary so that s/he can claim reimburse under West Bengal Health Scheme.

7. TMC, Rajarhat shall provide suitable accommodation to IPD patient in their wards and cabins as per the entitlement recorded in the enrolment certificate. In case the patient is provided higher category of bed due to non-availability of the bed as per entitlement, excess amount over entitlement would be recovered from patient before discharge of the patient, thus this will be treated as non-admissible charges under WBHS. Hospital will shift the patient to his/her entitled category of bed immediately after availability of the same.

8. In case of IPD treatment cost exceeds Rs. 5 (five) lakh, the matter is to be brought to the notice of the West Bengal Health Scheme Authority, Finance Department by the TMC, Rajarhat and also inform the patient party with prognosis report of such as limited/nil/poor/guarded of the patient by the treating physician attaching up to date detailed treatment bill. Where, in the opinion of the attending physician, prognosis of a case is limited or nil, and the patient party opts for continuation of the treatment and the patient is kept in TMC, Rajarhat for indefinite period, no expenses other than bed rent is admissible under WBHS and beneficiary has to bear the entire inadmissible expenditure from his/her own pocket.

9. The bed rent also includes the cost of diet and nursing charges. All other costs (which are not related with the treatment, like, extra mattresses, slippers, telephone charges, barber charges, etc.) except medicines and investigations are to be additionally charged and it shall be borne by the beneficiary as inadmissible expenses under WBHS.

10. The cost of investigations will be inclusive the cost of drawing the samples.

11. In case of cancer chemotherapy, whenever the cost of therapy per cycle exceeds Rs.50,000/- (Rupees fifty thousand) only, the Treating Oncologist shall certify with justification for the use of such chemotherapy drugs with regard to the expected survival/palliation and prognosis of the patient.

12. The ceiling of disposables/ consumables mentioned in clause 9 order no. 11253-F(MED), dated; 16.12.2011 shall not be applicable for TMC, Rajarhat. Hospital will use all such consumables based on necessity and charged it to the bill as admissible expenditure.
13. Hospital will have the full right to recover the cost of inadmissible components under West Bengal Health Scheme as per order no. 6586-F(MED), dated 29.06.2019, except the components mentioned in serial no. (B) from employee/pensioner/family pensioner or from their dependents at the time of discharge from hospital.

14. In case of the death of an enrolled government employee/pensioner/family pensioner while receiving indoor treatment, TMC, Rajarhat shall release the dead body and if any dues remain unsettled, the hospital authority may send the bills with necessary treatment papers directly to the Medical Cell of Finance Department for clearance of their dues. The Medical Cell shall scrutinize the claim and calculate the total payment amount (including non-admissible charges) as per provision of agreement signed and refer the same to the concerned administrative department of the beneficiary for the remaining dues to the respective hospital from the relevant Head of Account.

15. The General Rate Tariff of TMC, Rajarhat shall exclusively be applicable for TMC, Rajarhat only and not to be applicable for any other empanelled private hospitals.

16. If a beneficiary does any investigation of cancer treatment in TMC, Rajarhat on payment basis as per prescription of an Oncologist of any other empanelled hospital under WBHS, shall get full reimbursement of such charges.

17. Treatment in payment basis at TMC, Rajarhat will be reimbursable with immediate effect and cashless facility from 01.01.2020.

18. This empanelment will remain valid for 4 (four) years from the date of issuance of this order.

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