

## DELHI DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OFFICE Dy. CAO (MEDICAL CELL) G-BLOCK(PRESS BUILDING), Ist FLOOR, VIKASSADAN, I.N.A., NEW DELHI - 110023



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## F & E Circular No. \\

Subject: General Medical Awareness/clarification regarding reimbursement of claim related to Knee/hip Replacement surgery.

Ref No.1: F1(Misc)2018/MC-I/17 Dated 18.01.2018 Ref No.2: F&E Circular No.23 Dated 07.11.2022

The above mentioned circulars were issued/adopted with reference to Office Memorandum issued by the Ministry of Health and family Welfare, Govt. of India to follow in DDA mutatis mutandis; it has been observed that some medical beneficiaries raised queries telephonically or in person in this office before undergoing the surgery of knee/hip replacement. In view of the queries raised on the subject, further clarification/guidelines are hereby issued for the convenience of Medical beneficiary to avoid any confusion/misunderstanding while taking treatment on the subject matter.

- 1. The medical beneficiary needs to have undergone the treatment in a Govt. / Empanelled Private hospital with prior permission of the Competent Authority i.e CAO/DDA.
- 2. The treating orthopedic specialist shall issue a certificate to the effect that the implant has been implanted successfully and is functioning satisfactorily.
- 3. For all Knee/Hip replacement cases detailed medical history at least from last six months or from the initial date of trouble/treatment will be require to be enclosed with the estimate / medical claim submitted by the beneficiary.
- 4. The opinion of at least two specialists (Orthopedic Doctors) of leading hospitals will be required to be attached preferably one from paneled hospital and other from Govt. hospital.
- 5. The rates prescribed shall be valid till further orders and are applicable to implant of any name/category/cemented/non-cemented.
- 6. The Institutions such as utilizing Knee / Hip implant shall specifically and separately mentioned the cost the knee implant component-wise along with its brand name, name of manufacturer/importer/batch no./specifications and other details, If any in their estimate /proforma invoice/final bill, etc., to the patients or their representatives.

This issue with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Dy.CAO (Medical Cell)

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