



## PUNJAB HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION

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### NOTIFICATION

**SUBJECT: MAKING BLOOD FREE OF COST TO PATIENTS IN ALL PUBLIC HOSPITALS IN THE STATE OF PUNJAB.**

The Health & Family Welfare Department, Government of Punjab, has decided to provide Blood and Blood Components (like Packed RBC, Fresh Frozen Plasma, Cryoprecipitate, Platelets Rich Plasma, Platelet Concentrates etc.) free of cost to the patients in all the Public Health Institutions Punjab (i.e. DHs, SDHs, CHCs, PHCs, and Government Medical Colleges w.e.f. 01.01.2019). The booking of expenditure for these categories would be done from the respective programme as already being done and for all other patients who were earlier not provided free blood and blood components, will now be provided free of processing charges and the funds in this respect will be recouped from the NIM.

Dated, Chandigarh  
The

**Satish Chandra, IAS**

Addl. Chief Secretary (Health & Family Welfare)  
Punjab, Chandigarh

Encl. No. 1003-60

Dated, Chandigarh, the 31<sup>st</sup> Dec, 2018

A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action.

- i) PS/PA to Hon'ble Health Minister, Punjab for kind information of I. M.
- ii) PS to ACS(H) for kind information of worthy ACS(H).
- iii) Project Director Punjab State Aids Control Society, Chandigarh.
- iv) Vice Chancellor, BFUHS, Faridkot.
- v) Director Health Services, Punjab, Chandigarh.
- vi) Director Research & Medical Education, Punjab, Chandigarh.
- vii) Director Health & Family Welfare, Punjab, Chandigarh.
- viii) Director (ES) Punjab, Chandigarh.
- ix) Director NHM, Punjab, Chandigarh.
- x) Director PHSC.
- xi) Director (F&F) PHSC.
- xii) Principal, Govt. Medical Colleges, Patiala, Amritsar, & GSSMC Faridkot.
- xiii) All Civil Surgeons in Punjab.
- xiv) Medical Superintendants MKH Patiala and C.H. Jalandhar.
- xv) All Deputy Medical Commissioners, PHSC.

  
**Managing Director**  
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