



## PUNJAB HEALTH SYSTEMS CORPORATION

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To

**All the Civil Surgeons**  
In the State of Punjab.

**Medical Superintendent**  
MKH Patiala and C.H. Jalandhar.

**All the Dy. Medical Commissioners**  
In the State of Punjab.

**SUBJECT: Free Treatment in the Govt. Institutions to students studying in Govt. and Govt. aided schools in the State of Punjab.**

Consequent upon the decision taken by the Cabinet and issuance of the notification No. 1/67/7-2HB4/1427, dated 16.7.2009, instructions were issued vide office letter No. PHSC/GMFA/09/4015-4060, dated 26.8.09 to provide free treatment in the PHSC hospitals to the students studying in Govt. and the Govt. aided schools. These instructions were issued in line with the National School Health Programme, which was part of the National Health Mission.

2. Revised user charges rates of the Govt. hospitals under PHSC were issued vide office letter No. PHSC/Accts./14/719-972, dated 25.6.14 and under the free category it was mentioned that free treatment will be provided under the ongoing National Programmes. Subsequently, it was also, mentioned that to maintain the flow of funds in the user charges, recoupment may be taken from the National Programmes.

3. It is clarified that the above free treatment is covered under the free category as already intimated subject to recoupment of the same from the National Programme funding.

**MANAGING DIRECTOR**

Cc to:

- i) PS to PSHFW for kind information of the PSHFW.
- ii) The Mission Director NHM, Punjab.
- iii) The Director Health & Family Welfare, Punjab.
- iv) The Director Health Services (FW), Punjab.
- v) Programme officer RBSK for information.