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No. Z.28015/71/2008-N  
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare  
(Nursing Section)

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi  
Dated 17<sup>th</sup> November, 2008

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**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

**Subject: -** Revision of rates of Nursing Allowance, Uniform Allowance and Washing Allowance to the Nursing Personnel.

As per recommendations of the Sixth Pay Commission and Resolution of Ministry of Finance (Department of Expenditure) published in the Gazette of India (Extraordinary) (Part-I-Sec-I) No. 1/1/2008-IC, dated 29.08.2008 pertaining to the decisions of the Government on recommendation of the Sixth Pay Commission, the President is pleased to sanction the enhancement of existing rates of following allowances to the Nursing Personnel of all categories at all levels working in Central Government/UT Hospitals/institutions and Centrally funded Autonomous Bodies like AIIMS, New Delhi, PGIMER, Chandigarh, JIPMER, Puducherry etc. subject to the following conditions and as per the details given below: -

- a) All these allowances will not be treated as a part of pay as already decided vide Ministry of Health and Family Welfare Order No. Z.28015/86/97-N dated 28<sup>th</sup> July, 1998
- b) The additional expenditure due to enhancement of these allowances would be met by the respective institutions from their sanctioned budget.

S. No.	Allowance	Existing Rate	Revised Rate
1.	Nursing Allowance	Rs. 1600 pm	Rs. 3200/- pm
2.	Uniform Allowance	Rs. 250/- pm	Rs. 500/- pm
3.	Washing Allowance	Rs. 150/-pm	Rs. 300/-pm

- 2. This orders will take effect from 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2008
- 3. Nursing Allowance will be payable to all Nurses whether working in Dispensaries or in Hospitals.

4. The rates of above allowances shall automatically increase by 25% every time the dearness allowance payable on the revised pay structure goes up by 50%.
5. This issues with the approval of AS&FA vide Dy. No. 6289, dated 4.11.2008 and Ministry of Finance, Department of Expenditure, IC U.O. No.7.17/2/2008-IC, dated 7.1.2008.

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1. Director General of Health Services, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi.
2. Joint Secretary (UT), Ministry of Home Affairs, North Block New Delhi.
3. Director, All India Institute of Medical Science, New Delhi
4. Director, PGIMER, Chandigarh.
5. Director, JIPMER, Dhasvantri Nagar, Puducherry.
6. Director, NEIGRIMS, Shillong.
7. Director CGHS, New Delhi.
8. The Principal/Medical Superintendent, Safdarjang Hospital/Dr. RML Hospital/ LHMC & SKC Hospital/RAK College of Nursing, New Delhi

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