

Government of India
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Sub: Reimbursement of the cost of the Artificial Hearing Aid

Administrative Officer - III, AMD, Hyderabad may please refer to his FAX Message No. AMD/CHSS/5374-Adm.II/12 dated 03.01.2012 on the above subject.

Binaural (two) hearing aids are provided as a special case upto a cost ceiling of ₹ 60,000/-. These are adult cases having bilateral severe to profound hearing loss (average hearing threshold more than 71 db in better ear), who do not benefit adequately with single hearing aid. Also children with bilateral congenital or early onset deafness are prescribed two hearing aids when they have bilateral moderate hearing loss (average hearing threshold of 41 db in better ear) or more. This is done to facilitate speech development and enhance hearing ability so that the child may be integrated well into normal society. However, such cases are allowed with the approval of the Department only.

Therefore, it is requested to forward the medical reports for further examination and approval.

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Under Secretary (IR&W)

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