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**ISSUE OF MEDICINES FOR 90 DAYS TO ECHS BENEFICIARIES**

1. Reference Central Organisation letter No B/49762/AG/ECHS dated 23 Oct 06 and IHQ of MOD (Army), DGMS (Army) letter No B/75782/DGMS-5(B)/ESM dated 15 Dec 08.
2. There have been many representations and complaints from the environment regarding period of issue of medicines for chronic ailments. Many aged ex-servicemen are on long term treatment for chronic diseases who in most cases do not need any change of treatment. Most of these patients do not require any review by Medical Officer/ Specialist and just come from far off places to get prescription for being issued with medicines. It causes hardship and has resulted in great discontent amongst such patients.
3. Hence, it has been decided in consultation with DGMS(Army), to issue medicines upto 90 days based on prescription giving due consideration to the age, physical condition and place of dwelling of the patient.

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Please connect your letter B/75068/DGMS-5B dated 17 Apr 09 and our letter No B/ 49762/AG/ ECHS dated 01May 09