

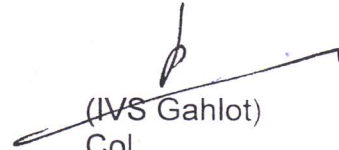
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**LOAN TRANSFER POLICY: NON EXPENDABLE ITEMS OF
MEDICAL AND DENTAL STORES ECHS**

1. PI refer your letter No. 34906/ECHS/Gen/DGAFMS/DG-2(Plg) dt 17 Nov 2016 & even no dated 17 Feb 2017.
2. All medical equipments for polyclinics are to be procured, maintained and repaired as per existing AFMS procedure by DGAFMS/AFMSD vide GOI letter No 24(3)/03/US(WE)/D(Res)(ii) para (16) to (20) dated 09 Sep 2003 (relevent extract attached).
3. RMAF 2010 para 573 has envisaged the loan transfer of medical equipments under power of various functionaries. There is no provision for transfer of a scaled item to any AFMS institution or to hold items in surplus at polyclinics. The provision also exists vide para 589 & 592 of RMAF for disposal of med eqpts and stores rendered surplus to authorised holdings/surplus to requirement.
4. Vide GOI letter under reference, Central Org issues a consolidated list of items/consignee's for medical equipment procurement and supply for polyclinics. O/o DGAFMS letter No 20069/ECHS/PV040212N/DGAFMS/DG.2S/Steam Sterilizer/TE ECHS-103/AT-1790 dated 29 Jul 2016 has authorised Central Org ECHS to transfer items to be supplied to polyclinics till the AT/SO is still under supply and the same auth has been used for transfer of dental chairs and other medical equipments.
5. The policy on the repair and maintenance procedure of med eqpt is as per the laid down procedure of service hospital, hence Central Org ECHS had disseminated the same policy to ECHS Polyclinics.
6. In view of the above no separate policy on the loan/permanent transfer of non expendable items of medical and dental stores from one ECHS Polyclinic to another is required to be issued by Central Org ECHS. There is only a need to reiterate the same to the line directorate's with a request that Central Organisation ECHS is informed where ever centrally procured medical or dental stores are transferred/loaned to other ECHS polyclinic.


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Encls: As above

