

EXTENSION OF ECHS FACILITIES TO NEPAL DOMICILED GORKHAS (NDG)
PENSIONER : ADMINISTRATIVE INSTRUCTIONS

1. Ref Govt of India, Min of Defence letter No 22D(48)/2006/US(WE)/D(Res) dated 14 Sep 2010 (copy attached).
2. Parent Polyclinics (India). NDGs residing at Nepal will be given option of choosing one of the Polyclinic astride Indo-Nepal border as a parent Polyclinic. These are located at Gorakhpur, Pithora garh, Ben gdubi, Dar bhanga, Haldwani, Ba reilly, Sitamarhi (when established), Motihari (when established) and Udhamasinghnagar (when established). NDGs residing in India will be allotted nearest Polyclinic as Parent Polyclinic.
3. Existing MI Rooms in Nepal. NDGs residing in Nepal will continue to get medical treatment at existing MI Rooms located at Kathmandu, Dharan and Pokhra till est of ECHS Polyclinics in Nepal.
4. Membershi p. Membership will be optional for Ne pal Domiciled Go rkhas. The contribution am ount i n r espect of p ensioner will be ded ucted by the pe nsion pay ment authority as per option exercised by the individual at the time of retirement.
5. ECHS Contribution. Wa r widows, b attle casualties and pre 19 96 r etirees a re exempted from one time ECHS contribution, for others, contributions will be applicable in Indian Rupees. Present rates of contribution are as follows:-

Grade pay drawn at the time of retirement	Contribution (in rupees)
Rs. 180 0/-, Rs. 1 900, Rs. 20 00/-, Rs. 2400/- and Rs. 2800 per month	15,000
Rs. 4200/- per month	27,000
Rs. 46 00/-, R s. 48 00/- , Rs. 5 400/- an d Rs. 6600/- per month	39,000
Rs. 7600/- and above per month	60,000

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6. Augum entation. Augmentation of Polyclinics a stride India-Nepal border mentioned at Para 2 a bove wou ld be undertaken to cater f or increased load. Th e augmentation wou ld be through additi onal e mployment o f one medical officer an d one nursing assistant per Polyclinic.

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