GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
DIRECTORATE OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE SERVICES, PUDUCHERRY

No. 8 to / DMS /2020

dated: 27.03.2020

To
The Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor,
Govt. of Puducherry
Puducherry.

Respected Madam,

Sub: DHFWS - Action Taken on the announcement of Hon'ble Union Finance Minister on the financial package to reach the

Vulnerable people - Reg.

Ref: email dated 27.03.2020 from Director, Department of Planning &

Research, Puducherry.

The Hon'ble Union Finance Minister yesterday (26.03.2020) has announced in the media for Rs.1.70 lakhs Crores Benefit package in the wake of COVID-19 Pandemic crises for the benefit of public. One element of package as per Hon'ble Finance Minister is offering Rs.50 lakhs Life insurance for the Frontline Health workers involved in the treatment of COVID-19 crises.

In respect to UT of Puducherry (including all the four Regions), all the health staff are involving <u>surveillance</u>, <u>screening</u>, <u>line listing</u>, <u>contact tracing</u> and managing, <u>isolation</u>, <u>Quarantine</u> patient management are involved in COVID-19 patient.

Hence, therefore the entire staff of Health Department including National Health Mission (NHM) may be brought into ambit of the Hon'ble Union Finance Minister Health Benefit Package.

Yours sincerely

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The DD (PH)/IDSP, Puducherry.

Copy submitted to:

- 1. The Hon'ble Chief Minister, Puducherry.
- 2. The Hon'ble Health Minister, Puducherry.
- 3. The Chief Secretary, Chief Secretariat, Puducherry.
- The District Collector, Department of Revenue and Disaster Management, Puducherry.
- 5. The Secretary to Govt. (Health), Chief Secretariat, Puducherry.
- 6. The Director (PSEC), Puducherry.
- 7. The Joint Secretary to Govt., MoHFW, New Delhi.
- 8. The P.S. to Hon'ble Lt. Governor, Puducherry.