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Government of India
Ministry of Health and Family welfare
National AIDS Control Organization

9th Floor, Chandralok Building
36 Janpath, New Delhi-110001
Date-28.03.08

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

To
The Project Director
State AIDS Control Society
(Tamil Nadu, Maharashtra, Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Manipur, Nagaland, New Delhi, Chandigarh, Rajasthan, Gujarat, West Bengal, Uttar Pradesh, Goa, Kerala, Himachal Pradesh, Pondicherry, Bihar, Madhya Pradesh, Assam, Mizoram, Punjab, Jharkhand, Haryana, Uttaranchal, J & K, Orissa, Chhattisgarh, Tripura, Meghalaya, Sikkim, Arunachal Pradesh)

Subject: Grant of concession to AIDS patients for treatment at nominated ART centers

The Ministry of Railways has decided to grant 50 % concession in train fares to AIDS patients, for treatment at nominated ART Centers and return after treatment. Concession will be admissible in basic mail fares only and will be granted directly by the station masters on production of the certificate in prescribed form issued by Officer-in charge of the concerned ART Center.

This concession would come into effect on tickets issued from 01.04.08. The letter from Ministry of Railways along with the specimen copies of the prescribed Concession certificates for outward and return journeys are enclosed. Kindly inform the nodal officers of all the ART Centers in your state with a direction that this information is widely circulated among the patients of their ART Centers.

Yours faithfully

Dr. D. Bachani

(Dr.D. Bachani)
Joint Director & Head
(Care, Support & Treatment Division)

- 1. Copy by e-mail to Nodal Officers of all ART Centers
- 2. Copy to Regional Officers

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- 3. Dr (F), NACO

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