A POCKET GUIDE ON ECHS 64 kB SMART CARD BY HELPING HANDS FOR ECHS BANGALORE

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Most of your doubts on 64kB cards will be answered in this document

SI	Situation being faced by	What should you Do	Additional
No	ECHS Beneficiary		Information
1	I still have a 16 kB Card.	The 16 kB card is no longer Valid	Refer Step By Step Procedures
	Can I get ECHS facilities?	To get ECHS medical facilities Apply On Line for 64 kB card immediately	published by Helping Hands For ECHS Procedure for
		Go to ECHS portal https://echs.sourceinfosys.com/	1) ESM Alive Procedure
		Register yourself in portal	2) Family
		Log In, Fill up Application, Pay & Submit	Pensioners Procedure
		Download a Temporary Slip, Get it signed by OIC Parent Polyclinic. This Ty slip is valid for 06 months.	
		For 16kB card holders or Veterans having faulty 32 KB card, there is a new provision to quickly apply for 64kB card at Polyclinic itself and obtain a Ty Slip. This is called Guest User at ECHS.	
		Refer CO ECHS letter B/49711- NSC/AG/ECHS/Guest User dated 13 May 2021.	
2	I have a 32 kB Card Should I apply for 64 kB Card?	Recommend apply On Line for 64 kB card. Go to ECHS portal https://echs.sourceinfosys.com/	Refer Step By Step Procedures published by Helping Hands For ECHS Procedure for
		Register yourself in portal Log In, Fill up Application_, Pay & Submit	1) ESM Alive Procedure
		Your 32kB Card is still valid to get ECHS medical facilities. As on date there is no cut-off date for the validity of the card	2) Family Pensioners Procedure

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3	I have an Off Line Temporary Slip	To continue to get ECHS facilities Apply On Line for 64 kB card immediately	In case of Medical Emergency. ECHS benefits will not be
	Can I get ECHS facilities?	Go to ECHS portal https://echs.sourceinfosys.com/ Register yourself in portal	denied just because of Validity of Temp Slips or
		Log In, Fill up Application_, Pay & Submit	Cards. Approach your OIC Polyclinic
		Off Line Temp Slip can be extended by OIC Polyclinic for 3 months	Or Director, Regional Centre,
		Once your 64 kB application has been Verified by Records Office, you can print a Temp Slip from the site, get it signed by OIC Parent PC. This will allow you to get all facilities till you receive 64 kB card	for Help especially for Empanelled hospitals
5	I applied for 64 kB Card	A) Status Check Using your Mobile	Refer Encl 2 of Step By Step Procedures
	How do I find out the STATUS of my application?	Install ECHS Beneficiaries App in your Mobile (Android or iOS)	published by Helping Hands For ECHS
		For Android – 'ECHS Beneficiaries' app Playstore	ESM Alive Procedure
		For iOS – 'ECHS Beneficiary' app – Appstore	Family Pensioners Procedure
		Launch App , Click on Card Status, Enter details asked for, Status of your application will be displayed	
		B) Status Check Using a PC or Laptop	
		Log In to https://echs.sourceinfosys.com/ → click 'Already Registered Click to Log in' → enter Registered Mobile Number, Password and Verification Code.	
		Status of your application will be displayed	
6	I submitted application for 64 kB card.	Go to ECHS portal https://echs.sourceinfosys.com/	If the Verification by your Records
	After Payment & Submit, I realised that I have entered wrong detail(s).	Login, → Edit application → correct the mistakes → Submit	Office is not completed, then only you can do this action
	Can I correct the application?		

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7	I submitted application for 64 kB card.	Go to ECHS portal https://echs.sourceinfosys.com/	momation
	Status is showing Verification Observations	Login, More Options → click on Revert Application → enter reasons → submit	
	from Records office What should I do?	Use Mobile app / Desktop PC to check whether Records Office has given the Approval for Revert Application request	
	(example: DOB entered not matching with your Records)	When you receive Approval, Login , click on Edit Application and correct mistakes & Submit application.	
8	I applied for 64 kB Card and Status is showing as "Under Observation"	Keep monitoring status. If there are any observations by Records office, complete actions as required.	In case of Medical Emergency. ECHS benefits will not be denied just
	What actions do I need to take?	If you have 32 kB card continue to use it	because of Validity of Temp Slips or
		If you have 16kB Card, download Temp Slip, get it signed by OIC Polyclinic. Use this for 06 Months	Cards. Approach your OIC Polyclinics or Director, Regional
		If you have Off Line Temp Slip, get it extended by 3 months from OIC Polyclinic.	Centre , to resolve issues especially with Empanelled hospitals
0	How do I come to know that I can collect my 64 kB card	You will receive an OTP in your Mobile # which you used while applying for the card.	
		OTP will also be received in your registered email ID	
		Check Status in mobile - SMS OTP Sent & Card Ready For Collection	
		This indicates that you can collect the card	
10	I received a message with OTP / in email, for card	Go to the Office that sent you the OTP.	
	collection.	Card is issued by Stn Hq or Polyclinic	
	What should I do?	You must provide OTP details to the Card issuing authority, so that Card is activated before handing over to you	
		Take relevant documents requested. You must return the old cards / Ty Slip	

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11	I received OTP but unable to trace it / deleted it by mistake in my SMS or Email. Is there a method to still collect my cards already received at Stn Hq / PC?	Go to your Stn Hq or PC where Cards are handed over. Carry your Mobile that was used when you applied for the card. Meet the Officer In Charge to initiate a request for a new OTP You provide the received OTP in mobile to the Card issuing authority. Your Card will be activated and handed over by card Issuing authority. Take relevant documents requested. You must return the old cards / Ty Slip	Only Card Issuing office can reinitiate a request for new OTP
12	I collected 64 kB card I find many errors on the Card (such as wrong Date Of Birth, Name, Rank, etc) What should I do?	Go to ECHS portal https://echs.sourceinfosys.com/ Login, More Options→ Select the Beneficiary whose card needs to be corrected Block the selected Card Click Home→More Options→Click Change in Data Modify details Pay & Submit Print a Temp Slip for the Blocked Card, get it signed by OIC PC and use it to get all ECHS facilities. When you receive OTP from respective Stn	The Card you blocked cannot be used Hand over your old card to Stn Hq / PC while collecting the new card
13	I collected & using a 64 kB card.	HQ or PC, Go & Collect your New Card Go to ECHS portal https://echs.sourceinfosys.com/	
	Can I change my registered Mobile Number?	Login, Click More Options → Change Mobile option. Take a print out of the request, meet OIC	
		Parent PC with the printed form & a copy of your 64 kB Card. OIC PC will approve your request Online.	

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14	I collected & using a 64 kB card	Go to ECHS portal https://echs.sourceinfosys.com/	This can be done only once in 06 Months
	Can I change my Parent Polyclinic (PC)?	Login, Click More Options→ Change Polyclinic option	
		Select Beneficiary to whom change is required, select New Polyclinic & Submit	
		Your request will be approved On-line by both OIC PCs.	
		Go to your New PC & Update 64 kB card in Kiosk	
15	I lost the 64 kB Card What actions do I need to	Go to ECHS portal https://echs.sourceinfosys.com/	The Card you blocked cannot
	take to get a new card?	Login → More Options→Select Beneficiary whose card is lost→ Block selected Card only	be used
		Click Home→More Options→Click Reprint of Loss of 64 kB Card	
		Pay & Submit	
		Print a Temp Slip for the Blocked Card , get it signed by OIC PC and use it to get all ECHS facilities.	
		When you receive OTP from respective Stn HQ or PC, Go & Collect your Duplicate Card	
16	I forgot my Password to login to ECHS portal https://echs.sourceinfosys.co m/	Go to ECHS portal https://echs.sourceinfosys.com/	Always keep the Password & Answers to Two Security Questions safely for reference
		Enter Mobile Number & select Change / Forgot password	
	But I remember Answers to the Two Security Questions	Select Use Security Questions option Enter correct answers for the Two security	If you have forgotten both Password and
	(Lucky) Can I set a new Password?	questions Enter New Password twice & Verification code	the Answers to two Security Questions, approach the ECHS Smart Card Helpline.
		Click on Change Password.	
		Use this for future Login to https://echs.sourceinfosys.com/	Go to echs.gov.in portal for contact numbers
		You can use Email ID Option also and follow steps	

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17	I collected my 64 kB Card and when I try to use it it is found that the ECHS Card is faulty. What should I do?	Take your card to your Polyclinic and meet Officer- In-Charge and report about the faulty card. The OIC will initiate actions to verify the condition of the card. Procedure to get a repaired or new card is explained in the CO ECHS letter B/49711 - NSC/AG/ECHS dated07 May 2021	
18	Demise of ESM / Primary Beneficiary. What actions are needed by the dependents?	The Primary Beneficiary card needs to be blocked. You can login to echs.sourceinfosys.com, log in and do this action. Death Certificate to be attached in the site. The spouse will be nominated as Primary Beneficiary automatically by the system The new Primary Beneficiary should apply for a new 64kB card within 6 months from blocking of the card. Use change in data option in the site to apply. Refer CO ECHS letter B/49711-NSC/AG/ECHS dated 01 Jul 2021	

NOTE: The contents here have been derived from Central Org ECHS Policy letters & SOP. If there are changes in policies at a later date, the Policies shall be referred by Beneficiaries.