

# **Nikshay Poshan Yojana (Nutritional Support To TB Patients)**

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## **Important Features (Nikshay Poshan Yojana (Nutritional Support To TB Patients))**

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## **Benefits (Nikshay Poshan Yojana (Nutritional Support To TB Patients))**

- CASH or IN
- KIND Financial incentive of ■500/
- per month for each notified TB patient for the duration for which the patient is on anti
- TB treatment. In
- kind where the total value of the food basket being distributed must not be less than ■500 per month.
- (It is the discretion of each state as to whether to provide the benefits in cash or in kind)

## **Eligibility (Nikshay Poshan Yojana (Nutritional Support To TB Patients))**

- The applicant must be a Tuberculosis (TB) Patient.
- The applicant must be registered / notified on the NIKSHAY Portal.

## **Application Process (Nikshay Poshan Yojana (Nutritional Support To TB Patients))**

- Step 1: The patient must visit the nearest healthcare facility to get registered on the NIKSHAY portal:  
<https://www.nikshay.in/>

## **Documents Required (Nikshay Poshan Yojana (Nutritional Support To TB Patients))**

- Bank Details of Self Bank Details of Parent / Guardian (in case the TB patient does not have a bank account) Aadhaar Number