

Disability Relief Allowance Scheme

Details (Disability Relief Allowance Scheme)

The Disability Relief Allowance Scheme under the Department of Social Justice, Government of Himachal Pradesh provides financial assistance to individuals with disabilities to help them manage their living costs and improve their quality of life. The scheme is for Persons with Disabilities who have been issued a permanent disability certificate of 40% or more from a Medical Board constituted as per the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016, do not have any adult children, and whose income does not exceed ₹35,000/- p.a from all sources.

Objectives (Disability Relief Allowance Scheme)

- Purpose: The allowance is intended to help with day
- to
- day expenses and medical costs related to the disability.

Important Features (Disability Relief Allowance Scheme)

- Features: Monthly Allowance: Eligible individuals receive a monthly financial allowance.

Benefits (Disability Relief Allowance Scheme)

- Following is the assistance provided: Pensioners with 40
- 69% disability ₹1150/
- per month Pensioners with 70% disability or more ₹1700/
- per month Pensioners with disability aged 70 years or more ₹1500/
- per month

Eligibility (Disability Relief Allowance Scheme)

- The applicant must be a resident of Himachal Pradesh.
- The applicant must have a minimum of 40% disability.
- The applicant must not receive any other pension or allowance from the state or central government.
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Application Process (Disability Relief Allowance Scheme)

- The eligible candidates with the filled application form , and documents enclosed can apply for the scheme by visiting the nearest block development office or district welfare office.
- The applicant will receive a receipt after submitting the application form.
- The department may review the application form and as per the guidelines issued by the department, the allowance may be released.

Documents Required (Disability Relief Allowance Scheme)

- Domicile proof. Disability Certificate. Income Certificate. Recommendation from the concerned Gram Panchayat. Copy of the Parivar Register. Aadhaar Card. Bank Account. Note: Income Certificate and Gram Sabha Recommendation are not required for persons with 70% or more disability or 40% or more mental disability.