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Objectives (National Family Benefit Scheme (Jammu and Kashmir))

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Benefits (National Family Benefit Scheme (Jammu and Kashmir))

- A one-time financial assistance of ₹20,000/-
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Eligibility (National Family Benefit Scheme (Jammu and Kashmir))

- The applicant should be a resident of Jammu and Kashmir.
- The applicant should be a family member or dependent of the deceased person.
- The deceased should have been the primary breadwinner (the main earning member of the family).
- The family of the deceased must be living Below the Poverty Line (BPL).
- At the time of death, the deceased must have been between 18 and 59 years old.
- The application should be submitted within one year of the death of the primary breadwinner (husband, wife, or son).

Application Process (National Family Benefit Scheme (Jammu and Kashmir))

- Step 1: The applicant should visit the Tehsil Social Welfare Officer (TSWO) in the concerned area, during office hours and request a hard copy of the prescribed application form from the concerned authority.
- Step 2: Fill in all the mandatory fields in the application form.
- Paste a passport-sized photograph (signed across, if required), and attach copies of all necessary documents (self-attested, if required).
- Step 3: Submit the duly filled and signed application form along with the documents, within the prescribed period (if any), to the Tehsil Social Welfare Officer (TSWO).
- Step 4: Request a receipt or acknowledgement from the concerned authority to whom the application has been submitted.
- Ensure that the receipt contains essential details such as the date and time of submission, and a unique identification number (if applicable).
- Post Application Processes Step 1: The TSWO verifies the submitted forms and forwards them to the District Social Welfare Officer (DSWO) for review.
- Step 2: The District Level Committee reviews the application and sanctions the pension.

- NOTE 1: Upon submission of the completed application form and the necessary documents, make sure to take a photocopy of the filled application form and the acknowledgement receipt for your future reference.
- NOTE 2: Ensure that the application is submitted within the prescribed period, if any.

Documents Required (National Family Benefit Scheme (Jammu and Kashmir))

- Aadhaar Card Passport-size Photograph Identity Proof i.e. Voter ID Card or Driving License Death Certificate of the Deceased Person Proof of Age of the Deceased Person Below Poverty Line (BPL) Card/ Ration Card Caste Certificate (if applicable) Address Proof Bank Passbook/Bank Account Details Any other documents as required

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