

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

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From,

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Addl. Chief Secretary to Government

To

The MD,NHM,Odisha
The MD,OSMCL, Odisha
The DMET(O)/DHS(O)/DFW(O)/DPH(O)

Sub: Implementation of vaccine policy initiative for the age group of 18-44 years.
Sir,

Govt. have been pleased to announce the policy decision to vaccinate the citizens within the age group of 18-44 years from 1st of May 2021. The State Govt. will procure the required vaccines from the manufacturers and vaccinate the people free of cost. Accordingly M/s Bharat Biotech International was requested to supply Covaxin of 10.34 Lakh doses in H & FW letter No.12384/HFW Dt. 24.04.2021. Purchase order has been placed by OSMCL in letter No. 9955 Dt. 27.04.2021 for an amount of Rs. 62.04 Cr. M/s Serum Institute of India has been requested to supply Covishield of 377.00 Lakh doses in H & FW letter No.12386/HFW Dt. 24.04.2021. The approximate cost of the vaccine would be around Rs. 1584.00 Cr.

As concurred in by Finance Department, the expenditure will be incurred out of the State budget under unit Medicine at the first instance which will be augmented at the time of Supplementary budget. The DHS & DMET are requested to place the entire budget provision with OSMCL for procurement of vaccines. OSMCL is requested to indicate the amount and schedule of payment so that arrangements can be made to provide required funds for the timely payment to the manufacturers.

Yours faithfully,

28/04/2021
Addl. Chief Secretary to Government

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Copy forwarded to the Joint Secretary, Scheme Section, H & F.W. Deptt. for information and necessary action.

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