

Prime Minister's Health Insurance Scheme for Media Workers and Journalists

Provision of a comprehensive and inclusive health insurance facility is a long outstanding demand of Journalists and Media Workers community. In response to this demand, Prime Minister of Pakistan has launched National Health Insurance Programme for registered working Journalists and Media Workers. The Programme is being executed by Press Information Department PID, Islamabad. Under this Programme Journalists and Media Workers will be able to get world-class health facilities free of charge in more than 1,200 hospitals across the country through State Life Insurance Corporation (SLIC).

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) pertaining to this Programme are as follows;

Q.1. Who can apply for health insurance scheme?

Ans. You have to be registered Journalist or Media Worker to apply for this scheme.

Q.2. What is the procedure for registration for health insurance scheme.

Ans. A link is provided on PID website (www.pid.gov.pk). Please follow the link, fill online form and you will be registered after verification.

Q.3. How much time verification process can take?

Ans. The verification process can take up to 45 days.

Q.4. Why I see Gmail sign-up page when I click on Registration link?

Ans. In order to fill online registration form, one has to sign-in from Gmail id.

Q.5. What is meant by Media Worker?

Ans. Any employee of registered Media Organization or newspaper. For example, Drivers, Sweeper, Helpers, Camera men etc.

Q.6. Which Journalist and Media Workers are ineligible?

Ans. Journalist and Media Workers belonging to unregistered Media Organizations or newspapers and all those who are government employees.

Q.7. Is there any fee or Do I have to pay for registration?

Ans. The entire process of health insurance registration is completely free of cost. Please do not pay to anyone for health insurance registration

Q.8. What if I entered wrong information in registration form?

Ans. Please fill this form carefully and entered all and correct information to avoid inconvenience and delays. If you have entered incorrect information, then please fill the form again.

For further details about facilities of health insurance scheme, kindly [Click Here](#)