

## DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF HEALTH SERVICES GOVERNMENT OF NCT OF DELHI F-17, KARKARDOOMA, DELHI-110032 (DISABILITY CELL)

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## CIRCULAR

In pursuance of the provision of Section 102 (2) of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (RPwD) Act, 2016, Rule 20 of RPwD Rules, 2017 notified on 15.06.2017 by Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Govt. of India and the Rule 28 of the Delhi RPwD Rules 2018, notified on 28.12.2018, by Department of Social Welfare, Govt. of NCT of Delhi that "The certificate of disability issued under the Persons with Disabilities (Equal Opportunities, Protection of Rights and Full Participation) Act, 1995 (1 of 1996) shall continue to be valid after commencement of the Act for the period specified therein."

All the notified Hospitals/Institutions in NCT of Delhi, shall accept a certificate of disability issued under PwD Act, 1995, by a Medical Authority specified by notification by the appropriate Government, for issuance of a disability certificate under that Act, including for the purpose of UDID Card, except, in case of a genuine doubt about the authenticity of a disability.

This issue with prior approval of the Competent Authority.

(Dr. Nutan Mundeja) Link Officer/DGHS

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1. Pr. Secretary (H&FW), GNCTD, Delhi Secretariat, New Delhi

2. Pr. Secretary (Social Welfare), GNCTD, Delhi Secretariat, New Delhi

3. State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, GNCTD, New Delhi

4. All concerned Hospitals/Institutions

5. PS to DGHS, GNCTD

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