



Government of West Bengal
Directorate of ICDS

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Salt Lake City, Kolkata - 700064

Memo No. 1278/ICDM-Dte

Dated, 2nd August, 2021

From: The Director of ICDS
West Bengal

To: The District Magistrate(s),
Darjeeling/ Kalimpong/ Jalpaiguri/ Alipurduar/ Coochbehar/ Uttar Dinajpur/ Dakshin
Dinajpur/ Malda/ Murshidabad/ Nadia/ Birbhum/ Bankura/ Purulia/ Paschim
Medinipur/ Purba Medinipur/ Jhargram/ Purba Bardhaman/ Paschim
Bardhaman/Hooghly/ Howrah/North 24 Parganas/South 24 Parganas

The Additional Director of ICDS
West Bengal

Sub: Distribution of THR.

Ref: This office memo no. 1109/ICDM-Dte dated 24/6/2021.

Sir/Madam,

You are aware that Supplementary Nutrition in the form of dry Take Home Ration is being distributed among the beneficiaries of ICDS on monthly basis as the Anganwadi centres/ Creche units throughout the State are closed due to COVID-19 pandemic.

You are now requested to arrange for one round of THR distribution as done earlier at the same scale of 2 kg Rice, 300 gm Musur Dal and 2 kg Potato to each ICDS beneficiary irrespective of their age and nutritional status.

Potato will be procured locally by Anganwadi workers. The rate of procurement for all Districts except Darjeeling and Kalimpong may be between Rs. 12/- to max Rs. 15/- per kg, Re.1/- kg would be given as incidental and handling charge. The rate can be fixed by the District Magistrate from the range in consultation with Agri Marketing Officer for the ongoing round of THR distribution. For Darjeeling and Kalimpong the rate of Potato would be Rs. 20/- per kg with Re. 1/- per kg as incidental and handling charges.

The dry THR distribution would start from 5th August 2021 and should be completed by 13th August 2021.

Precautionary COVID protocol measures in terms of social distancing, wearing of mask and sanitization should be taken care of while carrying forth the above THR distribution. Unnecessary gathering at the Anganwadi centres / Creche units should be avoided by doing house to house distribution.


The crèche units throughout the State will distribute THR at the same rate, date and scale of expenditure as given above for the Anganwadi centres.

Order no.2877/SW/3S-289/12 dated 08/06/2018 of the Secretary, Department of Women and Child Development and Social Welfare, Government of West Bengal would remain suspended until further orders.

The rate per kg of potato inclusive of all incidental & handling charges fixed by the Districts may kindly be communicated to this office.

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Yours faithfully,


Director of ICDS
West Bengal


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Copyforwarded for informationandnecessaryactionto:

1. The Joint Secretary (ICDS), Department of WCD&SW, Bikash Bhavan, Kolkata- 700091
2. The PS to the Hon'ble MIC, Department of Women & Child Development and Social Welfare, Government of West Bengal, Kolkata-91.
- 3-25. The District Programme Officer (ICDS), Darjeeling / Kalimpong / Jalpaiguri/Alipurduar/Coochbehar/Uttarakhand/ Dakshin Dinajpur/Malda/ Murshidabad/ Nadia/ Birbhum/ Bankura/Purulia / Paschim Medinipur/Purba Medinipur/Jhargram/Purba Bardhaman/Paschim Bardhaman/Hooghly/ Howrah/ North 24 Parganas / South 24 Parganas/Kolkata.
26. The Sr.PA to the Secretary, Department of WCD and Social Welfare, Government of West Bengal


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