

DELHI FAMILY BENEFIT SCHEME - as per notification by Delhi Govt.

The scheme provides for one-time assistance to the family members of deceased primary bread winner (male/female) of a household.

Eligibility Criteria

1. Age of the deceased should be between 18 to 60 years, i.e. death of the “bread earner” has occurred while he/she was in the age group 18-60 years. “Bread earner” is defined as the member of the household whose earnings contributed the largest proportion to the total household income.
2. Resident of Delhi for more than 5 years before the date of application
3. Family income of the applicant should not be more than Rs 1,00,000/ per annum.
4. The applicant should have an Aadhaar number
5. The applicant should have a ‘singly-operated’ account in any Bank in National Capital Territory of Delhi only for receiving the payment through Public Financial Management System (PFMS)

Application process

- a) Application to be made online on e-District portal www.edistrict.delhigovt.nic.in by registering through citizen log in or by approaching concerned District Social Welfare Office.
- b) Aadhaar number is mandatory for filling up the application- without Aadhaar, application portal will not work.
- c) For applying, self-attested documentary proof for following needs to be scanned and uploaded.
 1. Age proof
 2. Residence proof
 3. Bank a/c number (Single a/c). This provision may be relaxed in the case of minors who can have bank account under guardianship.
 4. Death certificate of bread earner
 5. One passport size photo of the applicant
 6. Income self-declaration in the format given on the portal itself.

Receipt of application forms, sanction

1. New applications under the Scheme are received on the e-district portal under Delhi Family Benefit Scheme.
2. After submission of application, District Social Welfare Office will scrutinize the application and if required, call the applicant with relevant documents for verification.
3. Normally, the applications are disposed off within 45 days of receipt of applications, unless circumstances dictate otherwise.
4. The payment to new applicants, if sanctioned, is remitted to their bank account.

Quantum of assistance & mode of payment-

One Time assistance of Rs 20,000/- is remitted to the bank account of the beneficiary as per the Aadhaar number/ account number of the beneficiary through PFMS portal.