



## SAROJ GUPTA CANCER CENTRE & RESEAR

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To

The Visa Officers, The High Commission/ Deputy High Commissions for India in Bangladesh.

Dated	.05	11	24

Ref:- SGCC&RI/06/2024/1374

Sub: MEDICAL APPOINTMENT & REQUEST for MULTIPLE ENTRY MEDICAL VISA for 1 to 5 yrs., to all CANCER victims, as they shall require frequent visits to this Centre for rest of their life at uncertain intervals. Sir.

Patient's Name : ABUL KALAM	MALE P.P. NO :- A16615028
Diagnosis:	Treating Doctor(s) : ENT DEPARTMENT
Appointment dates: 05.11.24 To	05.01.25 (REPORT AT OUR OPD BY 12 NOON ON ANY WORKING DAY ONL
Attendant 1 : ABDUL HASIM Attendant 2 :	P.P. No.: EJ0926968
Attendant 2 :	P.P No :
rateridant 3 .	PP No:

Visa Officer may kindly add or alter the name(s) of attendant(s) for MED. Visa, if necessary. N.B.: 1. The patient should be accompanied by at least One Attendant. 2. Child patients (up to 14 yrs.) mandatorily require Mother/ Female relative, to be admitted with the patient in the same bed and at least one or more additional General Duty Attendant(s). 3. Depending on the condition of the patient and problem(s)/compulsion(s) of the family, as the family may explain, more attendant(s) may be provided.

## JUSTIFICATIONS in support of the request for issuing MULTIPLE ENTRY visa to all CANCER patients:

- Cancer being a Dreaded Terminal Illness, deserves special consideration and must not be equated with other medical conditions, e.g., Appendicitis, etc. while issuing Visa, AS THEY CAN BE CURED WITHIN ONE OR TWO VISITS.
- Diagnosis and treatment of Cancer requires frequent visits, as advised by the doctors or even S.O.S. (i.e., whenever they feel necessary), without any delay & at intervals of 7 to 21 days, or even lesser, for Radiotherapy, Chemotherapy, etc. and be on frequent check-up from Day-1 for REST OF THEIR LIFE, unlike any other disease.
- 3. It may please be also considered, who will take the responsibility of possible treatment failures, and resultant consequences, complications, death, etc., from any delay in investigations and treatment of Cancer patients, due to Visa related problems.
- 4. Issuing TRIPLE ENTRY "MED" VISA for 6 MONTHS ONLY to the Cancer patients and their Attendants (who are mostly an immediate kin of the Cancer patient), who are under threat of imminent death, is illogical in comparison with MULTIPLE ENTRY TOURIST VISA for 1 or 5 years, liberally issued to almost all applicants, Including known Cancer patients with previous Medical Visa endorsed on their Passports, encouraging them to apply for T-Visa.
- Persons with T-VISA may or may not come to India, according to their discretion, but Cancer patients have to come mandatorily for their survival, SOS (i.e., whenever necessary), for the rest of their life, for check-up, investigations and

Thus e request for MULTIPLE ENTRY MEDICAL VISA for 1 to 5 yrs. to all CONFIRMED CANCER PATIENTS, treating them with EMPATHY, at par with OURISTS, and not with lesser diseases, ON MEDICAL, HUMANITARIAN and ETHICAL grounds.

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