

## Several Regulations of the Ministry of Health on Public Medical Care

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(1) The scope of public-funded medical prevention for national staff of people's governments at all levels, parties, organizations, and affiliated institutions has included township cadres (three additional cadres for each township) and university and junior college students since 1953.

(2) For the government units directly under the central government, the medical prevention funds at public expense were allocated directly by the central government in the past. Since 1953, the local health authorities have been responsible for reporting the number of people in a unified manner. No longer centrally funded.

(3) It is hoped that the health departments at all levels shall make a semi-annual summary report on the public-funded medical work in 1952. The department will list the number of participants and the number of overall planning and coordinating in detail. In areas where public-funded medical care has not yet been implemented, it should be implemented quickly. The implementation date and situation will be reported to the Ministry, and I hope that your Ministry, Department, Bureau, and Transfer will follow the implementation.