

Useful information for claimants

- ¹ The appointee is the person named by the member in his PMSBY enrolment form where the nominee is a minor.
- ² A claimant where there is no nomination or the nominee has pre-deceased the insured member shall be one who is a legal heir and submits a succession certificate or legal heir certificate issued by a competent court or authority.
- ³ Accident means a sudden, unforeseen and involuntary event caused by external, violent and visible means.
- ⁴ Permanent Disability means any of the following:

Total and irrecoverable loss of both eyes or loss of use of both hands or feet or loss of sight of one eye and loss of use of one hand or foot	Total disability-claim amount payable is Rs two lakhs
Total and irrecoverable loss of sight of one eye or loss of use of one hand or foot	Partial disability-Claim amount payable is Rs one lakh

- ⁵ Documents in support of proof of permanent disability:
FIR or Panchnama, along with (a) Disability certificate issued by the Civil surgeon and (b) hospital record supporting the same.
- ⁶ Documents in support of death due to accident may be any of the following:
- (1) (a), (b) and (c) as under:
- (a) Any of the documents listed below as proof of death:
- (i) Death certificate (issued by the registrar of births and deaths appointed by the state government for the local area)
- (ii) Hospital discharge summary/certificate in respect of the deceased person, specifying his/her name, father's/husband's name, address and the date, time and cause of death
- (iii) Certificate issued by the last attending Registered Medical Practitioner (doctor registered with the Indian Medical Council) in respect of the deceased person, specifying his/her name, father's/husband's name, address and the date, time and cause of death, which should be countersigned with his/her seal by a Gazetted officer of the Central or the State Government or by an officer of the deceased accountholder's bank or any public sector bank or any public sector insurer
- (b) FIR/ Panchnama
- (c) Post Mortem report
- (2) Certificate issued in respect of the insured member by the District Magistrate / Collector / Deputy Commissioner of the district concerned, or by any Executive Magistrate (Additional District Magistrate, Sub-Divisional Magistrate, Tehsildar/Talukdar, etc.) authorised by him/her, in the form prescribed in the claim settlement procedure for the scheme
- (3) In case of death due to accidents such as snake bite/ fall from tree, etc., hospital record specifying the deceased member's name, father's/husband's name, address and the date, time and cause of death in lieu of (a), (b) and (c) above.

⁷ This information is desirable but not mandatory.

⁸ Document in support of applicant's identity may be Aadhaar card or electoral photo identity card [EPIC] or MGNREGA card or driving license or PAN card or passport.