

Old Age Pension Scheme - India

✉ **Name of the Scheme**

Indira Gandhi National Old Age Pension Scheme

✓ **Objective of the Scheme**

To disburse pension to the Destitute Old Age Persons

👉 **Assistance provided**

Rs.400/-Per month

👤 **Beneficiary**

Old aged persons who are

- 65 years and above, belonging to households below the poverty line
- 60 years and above for persons affected by leprosy, blindness, insanity, paralysis and loss of limb.

✧ **Eligibility criteria**

- In the case of persons affected by leprosy, blindness, insanity, paralysis and loss of limb the age limit is 60.
- For other old aged persons, the age limit is above 65 years, belonging to households below the Poverty Line.

♻️ **Other benefits given**

- Twice in a year for Deepavali and Pongal festivals, one free Dhoti for each Male and one free Saree for each female are supplied.
- All the pensioners are supplied daily with free Nutritious meal.
- Two kilogram of rice per month to those who are taking Nutritious Meal and 4 kilogram of rice per month to those who are not taking Nutritious meal are supplied at free of cost.

📄 **Procedure to apply**

Prescribed form to be obtained from the Taluk Office or in plain paper duly filled up and sent to the Tahsildar/ Special Tahsildar (Social Security Scheme)

👤 **Officer to be contacted**

Tahsildar/Special Tahsildar (Social Security Scheme.)

⌚ **Time limit for processing applications**

Within one month from the date of receipt of application.

✉️ **Grievances if any to be reported to**

Revenue Divisional Officer/District Collector.

Source: http://www.tn.gov.in/schemes/swnmp/social_security_net.pdf

Disclaimer: The information is only for creating awareness among the needful.

Destitute Widow Pension Scheme - India

☒ **Name of the Scheme**

Destitute Widows Pension Scheme

✓ **Objective of the Scheme**

To give pension to Destitute Widows

👉 **Assistance provided**

Rs.400/-Per month

👉 **Beneficiary**

Pension will be given to all the widows applying for without age limit subject to eligibility

✧ **Eligibility criteria**

- No age limit
- Must have no source of Income.
- Must not be professional beggars
- Pension is given in spite of having legal heirs of above 18 years of age.
- Must not possess property of value more than Rs.5,000/-.
- Assistance will not be given if remarried.

♻️ **Other benefits given**

- Twice in a year for Deepavali and Pongal festivals, one free Dhoti for each Male and one free Saree for each female are supplied.
- All the pensioners are supplied daily with free Nutritious meal.
- Two kilogram of rice per month to those who are taking Nutritious Meal and 4 kilogram of rice per month to those who are not taking Nutritious meal are supplied at free of cost.

📄 **Procedure to apply**

Prescribed form to be obtained from the Taluk Office or in plain paper duly filled up and sent to the Tahsildar/ Special Tahsildar (Social Security Scheme)

👉 **Officer to be contacted**

Tahsildar/Special Tahsildar (Social Security Scheme.)

🕒 **Time limit for processing applications**

Within one month from the date of receipt of application.

👉 **Grievances if any to be reported to**

Revenue Divisional Officer/District Collector.

Source: http://www.tn.gov.in/schemes/swnmp/social_security_net.pdf

Disclaimer: The information is only for creating awareness among the needful.

Destitute Physically Handicapped Pension Scheme - India

☒ **Name of the Scheme**

Destitute Physically Handicapped Pension Scheme

✓ **Objective of the Scheme**

To give pension to Destitute Physically Handicapped persons.

👉 **Assistance provided**

Rs.400/-Per month

👉 **Beneficiary**

Destitute Physically Handicapped persons whose disability is more than 50 percent and blind persons.

✧ **Eligibility criteria**

- Age must be above 45 years.
- Must have no source of Income.
- Must not be professional beggar.
- Must not be supported by son or son's son aged above 20 years.
- If the District Committee constituted by the District Collector, District Social Welfare Officer and District Medical Officer recommends, Physically Handicapped Pension is sanctioned without any age limit.
- No age limit for totally blind persons.
- Must not possess property of value more than Rs.5,000/-.
- Medical Certificate need not be submitted by the Physically Handicapped persons who lost both of their legs.

🌸 **Other benefits given**

- Twice in a year for Deepavali and Pongal festivals, one free Dhoti for each Male and one free Saree for each female are supplied.
- All the pensioners are supplied daily with free Nutritious meal.
- Two kilogram of rice per month to those who are taking Nutritious Meal and 4 kilogram of rice per month to those who are not taking Nutritious meal are supplied at free of cost.

📄 **Procedure to apply**

Prescribed form to be obtained from the Taluk Office or in plain paper duly filled up and sent to the Tahsildar/ Special Tahsildar (Social Security Scheme)

👉 **Officer to be contacted**

Tahsildar/Special Tahsildar (Social Security Scheme.)

🕒 **Time limit for processing applications**

Within one month from the date of receipt of application.

👉 **Grievances if any to be reported to**

Revenue Divisional Officer/District Collector.

Source: http://www.tn.gov.in/schemes/swnmp/social_security_net.pdf

Disclaimer: The information is only for creating awareness among the needful.