

GUIDELINES FOR STATE AWARDS

I. Rule under which the Award sub-Committee is Constituted: -

The Constitution of Indian Red Cross Society, Haryana State Branch approved by the Managing Committee of the Indian Red Cross Society, Haryana State Branch, Chandigarh in its meeting held on 10-09-2016 vide resolution No. 21, which has been notified on 28th November, 2016. As per clause No. G (c) (Powers and Functions of the Managing Body) under Chapter No. III (Governance). The Managing Committee is empowered to constitute an Executive Committee, Finance Committee, Junior Red Cross and Youth Red Cross Committee, Disaster Mitigation Committee and other Committees, their functions, powers and duration as it may consider from time to time. The proceedings of all the above Committees shall be placed before the Managing Committee at its next meeting for approval.

II. The Award sub-Committee will be constituted by the Managing Committee comprising of the following members: -

(i)	Chairperson: -	The Chairperson will be nominated by the Hon'ble Governor.
(ii)	Member: -	The Vice-Chairman of Indian Red Cross Society, Haryana State Branch.
(iii)	Member:- (Convener)	The General Secretary of Indian Red Cross Society, Haryana State Branch.
(iv)	Member: -	Joint Secretary of Indian Red Cross Society, Haryana State Branch.

III. Term of Award Sub-Committee: - sub-Committee will be constituted for a period of three years.

IV.	Types of Awards under Individual Category: -	
	(i)	For Gold Medal having 10 years of regular service / association with Red Cross & St. John. In case of Red Cross & St. John employee last 10 years ACRs should be 70% outstanding and 30% are to be very good.
	(ii)	For Silver Medal having 8 years of regular service / association with Red Cross & St. John. In case of Red Cross & St. John employee last 8 years ACRs should be 70% outstanding and 30% are to be very good
	(iii)	For Souvenir having 7 years of regular service / association with Red Cross & St. John. In case of Red Cross & St. John employee last 7 years ACRs should be 70% outstanding and 30% are to be very good.
	(iv)	For Bronze Medal having 5 years of regular service / association with Red Cross & St. John. In case of Red Cross & St. John employee last 5 years ACRs should be 70% outstanding and 30% are to be very good.
	(v)	For First Class Sanad having 3 years of regular service / association with Red Cross & St. John. In case of Red Cross & St. John employee last 3 years ACRs should be very good.
	(vi)	For Second Class Sanad having 3 years of regular service / association with Red Cross & St. John. In case of Red Cross & St. John employee last 3 years ACRs should be very good.
	(vii)	For Commendation Certificate having 3 years of regular service / association with Red Cross & St. John. In case of Red Cross & St. John employee last 3 years ACRs should be very good.
V.	Awards applicable to the following with the under mentioned terms & conditions: -	
	a.	Deputy Commissioner-cum-President, District Red Cross Branch.
	i.	Maximum Fund Raising for the District Red Cross Branch

	ii.	Maximum Membership subscription i.e. Red Cross Membership, St. John Membership and Hospital Welfare Services Membership .
	iii.	Opening of new fund-raising projects in the district for permanent and consistent income of Red Cross.
	iv.	Maximum camps for assessment and distribution of artificial aids & appliances.
	v.	Maximum collection from Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR).
	vi.	Any Red Cross Award received earlier.
b.		Awards for Officers / Officials of State Headquarters Employee: -
	(i)	Performance of duties as per constitution of Red Cross.
	(ii)	Any Red Cross Award received earlier.
	(iii)	Employee should not be involved disciplinary action / departmental enquiry / criminal proceeding at the time of submission of application for award.
	(iv)	Organizing and monitoring any project / work / Camp / Seminar etc. as per given norms by the authorities.
	(v)	Any extra ordinary work / programme performed for the up-liftment of the organisation.
c.		Award for Secretaries at District Red Cross Branches in Haryana: -
	(i)	Performance of duties as per instructions issued by Red Cross authorities.
	(ii)	Any Red Cross Award received earlier.
	(iii)	Employee should not be involved disciplinary action / departmental enquiry / criminal proceeding at the time of submission of application for award.
	(iv)	Performance of duties as per constitution of Red Cross i.e. conducting Executive Committee Meeting, Annual General Meeting, sub-committee meetings of Finance, Health, JRC, YRC, Disaster Mitigation and other.
	(v)	Timely preparation of Financial Budgets and Financial Statements during the year.
	(vi)	Minimum 500 Members of the different categories of Red Cross and St. John both are enrolled per year or not.
	(vii)	The Status Report regarding to organised with ALIMCO assessment and distribution camps of Aids and Appliances for divyangs.
	(viii)	Collection of Funds, Membership enrollment for both Red Cross and St. John Ambulance at their own level.
	(ix)	Organizing and monitoring any project / work / Camp / Seminar etc. as per given norms by the authorities.
		Successfully running of project being looking after by the District Red Cross Branch either they are managed through own sources or under grant-in-aid.
	(x)	Performance in imparting First Aid and Home Nursing Training.
	(xi)	Formation of Brigade Divisions in the District.
d.		Award for Officers / Officials at District Red Cross Branches in Haryana: -
	(i)	Performance of duties as per instructions issued by Red Cross authorities.
	(ii)	Any Red Cross Award received earlier.
	(iii)	Employee should not be involved disciplinary action / departmental enquiry / criminal proceeding at the time of submission of application for award.
	(iv)	Additional motivational / creative work done in the field of Social Welfare activities.
	(v)	Overall assistance / subornation assessment made by the authorities.
e.		Red Cross & St. John Individual Volunteer, YRC & JRC Counsellor and Members: -
	(i)	Individual should have good reputation with having moral rectitude. While submitting award case by an individual an affidavit shall be enclosed stating that there is no criminal history / background / case registered or pending against him / her.

	(ii)	Contribute to promote membership, donation and other fund raising activities, spread awareness related to voluntary blood donation (Hemophilia & Thalassemia), organ donation, medical health check-up camps, communicable disease, T.B., HIV/AIDS, open defecation, cleanliness drive, cochlear implantation, tree plantation, health & nutrition, misuse of Red Cross Emblem, First Aid Training and also contribution to provide assistance to physically, mentally and visually disabled (Divyangs).			
	(iii)	The tenure of association will be applicable considered as mentioned in the para No. IV.			
	(iv)	Award case of the individual may be sent directly to IRCS, Haryana State Branch or through recommendation of the The Deputy Commissioner-cum-President, District Red Cross Branch. In case of direct submission, a letter of undertaking stating that whatever the information is provided is true and nothing has been concealed.			
NOTE: -					
	1.	Awardees of Gold Medal, Silver Medal, Souvenir, Bronze Medal will only be considered for regular extension in services as per the existing services rules of the Red Cross in the State of Haryana.			
	2.	The 1 st Class Sanad, 2 nd Class Sanad, Commendation Certificate will be forwarded directly to the concerned District Red Branches for further distribution by the respective Deputy Commissioner-cum-President, District Red Cross Branches in Haryana and apart from these award other awards will be distributed by the Hon'ble Governor-cum-President, Indian Red Cross Society, Haryana State Branch in the Annual General Meeting of the State HQ.			
	3.	The Award Committee is fully empowered for considering any award to individual on the basis of the above criteria.			
	4.	The Award Committee is fully empowered for considering any award to individual on the ground of extra ordinary / exemplary / outstanding work done in the field of Humanitarian and fund-raising activities covered under the objective of Red Cross.			
	5.	Lock in period for Gold Medal, Silver Medal, Souvenir and Bronze Medal will be for 3 years.			
	6.	The criteria under Para IV will be specifically applicable for Individual Category Awards i.e. Red Cross & St. John Officers and officials, Volunteers of Red Cross & St. Johns, JRC/YRC Counsellors and Members.			
	As amended in the Award Sub-Committee Meeting held on 7 th July, 2021 under the Chairmanship of Sh. Shiv Prasad Sharma, IAS (Retd.) the maximum number of awards under various categories have to be given as under: -				
	S.N.	Awards	Total Number	Individual	Institution
	(i)	Gold Medal	2	1	1
	(ii)	Silver Medal	4	2	2
	(iii)	Bronze Medal	6	3	3
	(iv)	1 st Class Sanad	10	5	5
	(v)	2 nd Class Sanad	10	5	5
	(vi)	Commendation Certificate	20	10	10
VI.	INSTITUTIONAL AWARD: -				
	The Award Committee is fully empowered for considering any award to any NGO, any Public Trust or any other Institution/Corporate Body provided funds through Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) either in cash or kind for public welfare, natural calamity or in any other way as per the objectives of Red Cross.				
VII.	VOLUNTARY BLOOD DONATION SERVICES (VBDS) AWARDS: -				
1.	Donors have been classified into two categories as: -				
	a)	Donors responding to emergency calls.			
	b)	Routine donors.			

2.	All donors with 10 donations may be recognized at the Distt. Level, while donors responding to emergency calls even 5 times should be recognized and considered at par with routine donors of 10 donations. A donor below 60 donations may be recognized at the district level whereas donors with more than 60 donations should be recommended to the State H.Q.'s for State awards, with authenticated documentary proof. The case for next award should be sent only after completion of 3 years on the receipt of previous State award.			
	i.	Blood Donation Gold Medal	On 100 and above donations. (The case should be recommended after the gap of 3 years of previous State award)	
	ii.	Blood Donation Silver Medal	On 80 to 100 donations. (The case should be recommended after the gap of 3 years of previous State award)	
	iii.	Blood Donation Bronze Medal	On 60 and above up to 80 donations and the donors should have been honoured at District Level also. The case should be recommended to State Headquarter after the gap of 3 years of previous State Award.	
			Donors with donations below 60 should be awarded at District Level.	
3.	For Institutions which organize blood donation camps in district the following awards have been instituted: -			
	a)	Educational Institutions	(For Boys)	: 2 Awards
			(For Girls)	: 2 Awards
	b)	Social Organisation / NGOs		: 2 Awards
	c)	Industries / Factories		: 2 Awards
	d)	Any other Institution		: 2 Awards
	The recommendations for these awards may be adjudged on the basis of: -			
	i)	Maximum number of donors		
	ii)	Highest percentage of donors, in relation to the total strength of a particular institution/organization.		
4.	VBDS Institutional Awards (Only for District Red Cross Branches): -			
a.	Voluntary Blood Donation Challenge Shield. (1 st & 2 nd)		To District Red Cross Branch for Maximum Blood Collection.	
b.	Priya Grover Voluntary Blood Donation Shield. (1 st & 2 nd)		To District Red Cross Branch for collecting Maximum Blood Units on Population Basis.	
c.	Special Plaque		To District Red Cross Branches who achieve a minimum target of 5000 units of voluntary collection.	
VIII. JUNIOR RED CROSS (JRC) AWARDS: -				
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S.N	Old Name of Award		Amended Name of Award	Basis
a.	JRC Counsellors Awards. (Merit Certificate)		JRC Counsellors Awards. (Merit Certificate) (No Change)	On Performance
b.	Tikka Manjit Singh JRC (Girls) Challenge Shield		Rani Lakshmi Bai JRC (Girls) Challenge Shield.	On performance
c.	Tikka Manjit Singh JRC (Girls) Runners Up Shield		Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj JRC (Girls) Runners Up Shield	On performance
d.	Ms. Pritam Takhat Singh JRC (Boys) Challenge Shield		Swami Vivekanand JRC (Boys) Challenge Shield.	On performance
e.	Ms. Pritam Takhat Singh JRC (Boys) Runners Up Shield		Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose (Boys) Runner Up Shield.	On performance
f.	Henry Dunant Challenge Shield for Co-educational High / Higher School.		Henry Dunant Challenge Shield for Co-educational High / Higher School. (No Change)	JRC activities

g.	Henry Dunant Runners Up Shield for Co-educational High / Higher School.	Henry Dunant Runners Up Shield for Co-educational High / Higher School. (No Change)	JRC activities
h.	JRC Album Competition Award.	JRC Album Competition Award. (No Change)	JRC activities
IX. YOUTH RED CROSS (YRC) AWARDS: -			
a.	Awards for Universities (Received by the nominee of Vice-Chancellor)	Already established criteria.	
b.	Individual Award for Programme Coordinator YRC	---do---	
c.	Awards for Colleges / Institutions	---do---	
d.	Counsellor's Award (Individual Award for the Counsellors of Youth Red Cross at Universities & Colleges)	---do---	
	The criteria for Youth Red Cross awards is as under: -		
	Category	Criteria for Awards	
1.	For Universities (Institutional Awards) Vice-Chancellor or his/her nominee will receive award in AGM.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. First Aid Training in the Universities should be minimum of 10% of the total strength of students of University campus.b. Minimum one, One Day Youth Red Cross seminar and camp to be organized for the strength of 50 students.c. Minimum one Voluntary blood Donation camp be arranged during the financial year with minimum 50 donors.d. Celebration of World Red Cross Day on 8th May (Birth Anniversary of Sir Jean Henry Dunant, the founder of Red Cross should be celebrated on 8th May on any other convenient day during the year), 12th August as Fund Raising Day etc.e. Celebration of important days & weeks (14th June Blood Donors Day, 1st October All India Voluntary Blood Donation Day, 1st December, World AIDS Day.f. Awareness rally/rallies on Environment/tree plantation during the year. Youth Red Cross share should be cleared by 28 th February of every year by the Universities for the same financial year.	
2.	Individual Award for Programme Coordinator, Youth Red Cross of the University.	This individual award will be given to those Programme Coordinators, Youth Red Cross of the Universities, whose University will be selected for the Institutional awards on the basis of their outstanding performance.	
3.	For Colleges/ Institutions (Institutional Awards) On Behalf of College the Principal of the College will receive award in the AGM. <i>Amendments have been made in the college counsellor awards, which have been incorporated in subsequent point No. 5.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. First Aid Training in the College should be minimum of 10% of the total strength of students of University campus.b. Minimum one, One Day Youth Red Cross seminar and camp to be organized for the strength of 50 students.c. Minimum one Voluntary blood Donation camp be arranged during the financial year with minimum 25 donors.d. Celebration of World Red Cross Day on 8th May (Birth Anniversary of Sir Jean Henry Dunant, the founder of Red Cross should be celebrated on 8th May on any other	

		<p>convenient day during the year), 12th August as Fund Raising Day etc.</p> <p>e. Celebration of important days & weeks (14th June Blood Donors Day, 1st October All India Voluntary Blood Donation Day, 1st December, World AIDS Day.</p> <p>f. Awareness rally/rallies on Environment/tree plantation during the year.</p> <p>Youth Red Cross share should be cleared by the College/ Institution by 30th November every year.</p>																				
4.	YRC Awards for Best Youth:	<p>Taking into consideration the contribution of the Youth Volunteers, it was decided in the meeting held on 7th July, 2021 of Award Sub-Committee, the Youth Volunteers may also be awarded under YRC Awards Category, which have further been submitted in the meeting of YRC Sub-Committee Meeting held on 21st March, 2022 for information & modification if any and the same have been approved finally in the subsequent meeting of YRC Sub-Committee dated 7th August, 2023.</p> <p>The Youths who have rendered exceptional services during his / her YRC Volunteer-ship in their respective College/ University may be selected for the same. For felicitating Youth Volunteers of Indian Red Cross Society, Haryana State Branch following parameters have to be fulfilled for making selection of best youths: -</p>																				
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		k)	Award Sub-Committee of Indian Red Cross Society, Haryana State Branch will finalize the awards under this category.
		l)	In case of any dispute arises Director General Higher Education-cum-Chairman, Youth Red Cross Sub-Committee, or may be a committee constituted by the DG, Higher Education.
5.	Amendments in YRC Award for College and University Teaching Department (UTD) Counsellors: -	The amendments were proposed during the award sub-committee held on 7 th July, 2021 and were approved for further suggestions and modifications in YRC Sub-Committee, which was held on 21 st March, 2022 and finally approved in the YRC Sub-Committee Meeting held on 7 th August, 2023. The parameters for selection of YRC Counsellors awards are as under: -	
		a)	YRC Counsellor shall have two years of continuous services in Youth Red Cross.
		b)	YRC Counsellor shall have attended YRC Camps at District and State/National Level.
		c)	YRC Counsellor shall be a regular blood donor, blood donation record must be enclosed, subject to his physical fitness. If due to age or having physical problem for donating blood must provide the reason.
		d)	After receiving the award YRC Counsellor will be again eligible after completing two years to get this award.
		e)	A brief report with data and action photographs shall be enclosed with the award case.
		f)	This award shall be considered as a State Level Award, a Shield and Certificate of Merit will be provided to the awardees.
		g)	An invitation for award will be circulated every year by Indian Red Cross Society, Haryana State Branch.
		h)	Award Sub-Committee of Indian Red Cross Society, Haryana State Branch will finalize the awards under this category.
		i)	In case of any dispute arises Director General Higher Education-cum-Chairman, Youth Red Cross Sub-Committee, or may be a committee constituted by the DG, Higher Education.
X.	SPECIFIC SHIELDS AND PLAQUES FOR RED CROSS ACHIEVEMENTS: -		
a.	Haryana Red Cross Membership Challenge Shield	Population Basis	
b.	Haryana Red Cross Fund Raising Challenge Shield	Population Basis	
c.	Haryana Red Cross Fund Raising Runners Up Shield	Population Basis	
d.	Hospital Welfare Section Fund Raising Challenge Shield	Population Basis	
e.	Hospital Welfare Section Overall Performance Shield	Outstanding Work	
f.	Haryana Red Cross Disaster Relief Runner-up Shield	Collection Relief of Rs. 5 lac	
g.	Haryana Red Cross Disaster Relief Runner-up Shield	Collection Relief of Rs. 3 lac	
h.	Haryana Red Cross Disaster Relief 2 nd Runner-up Shield.	Collection Relief of Rs. 2 lac	
i.	Award for Family Welfare Services	Performance basis	

XI. CRITERIA FOR ST. JOHN SHIELDS PRESENTED TO DISTRICT ST. JOHN CENTRES IN HARYANA

Sr. No.	<u>Name of Awards</u>	<u>Criteria of awarding shields</u>
1.	St. John Membership Challenge Shield	<p>To be awarded to the District Branch which enrolls maximum members during the year provided the Branch has cleared its dues of the last financial year by 30th June of next year. The minimum membership of St. John during the financial year should be as under: -</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Patron=15 2. Vice Patron=20 3. Institutional Members=15 4. Life members=200 5. Annual Members=5000 <p>The shield will be received by the Deputy Commissioner-cum-President or any other person to be nominated by the Deputy Commissioner.</p>
2.	St. John Membership Runner-up shield	<p>To be awarded to district St. John Branch which stands second in enrolling members during year provided Branch has cleared its dues by 30th June.</p> <p>The minimum membership of St. John during the financial year should be as under:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Patron=10 2. Vice Patron=15 3. Institutional Members=10 4. Life members=150 5. Annual Members=4000 <p>The shield will be received by the Deputy Commissioner-cum-President or any other person to be nominated by the Deputy Commissioner.</p>
3.	St. John Shield for collections	<p>To be awarded to the District Branch, which collected maximum amount provided Branch has cleared its dues by 30th June. The collection should not be less than 10 lacs during the financial year.</p> <p>The shield will be received by the Deputy Commissioner-cum-President or any other person to be nominated by the Deputy Commissioner</p>
4.	Plaque for collections	<p>To be awarded for collection of minimum membership for Rs. 5 lacs by the District branch.</p> <p>The shield will be received by the Deputy Commissioner-cum-President or any other person to be nominated by the Deputy Commissioner.</p>
5.	Training in First Aid and Home Nursing Challenge shield	<p>To be awarded to the District St. John Branch which imparts maximum training in First Aid and Home Nursing on population basis during year provided branch cleared its dues by 30th April. Training target should be 1% of total population as per existing criteria and out of 1% target, 20% training should be in Home Nursing. If any district achieve the total training target (1% of total population) and 20%</p>

		<p>training target in Home Nursing is not achieved, no shield will be awarded.</p> <p>The shield will be received by the District Training Officer of the concerned District St. John Centre.</p>
6.	Training in first Aid and Home Nursing Runner-up-shield.	<p>To be awarded to the District St. John Branch which imparts maximum training in First Aid and Home Nursing on population basis during year provided branch cleared its dues by 30th April. Training target should be 1% of total population as per existing criteria and out of 1% target, 20% training should be in Home Nursing. If any district achieve the total training target (1% of total population) and 20% training target in Home Nursing is not achieved, no shield will be awarded.</p> <p>The shield will be received by the District Training Officer of the concerned District St. John Centre.</p>
7.	Special Plaque	<p>To be awarded to the District St. John Branch which achieve the target of First Aid and Home Nursing training fixed by the State Centre. The training target (1% of total population) should be completed including 20% of Home Nursing.</p> <p>The Special Plaque will be received by the District Training Officer of the concerned District St. John Centre.</p>
8.	Home Nursing challenge shield	<p>To be awarded to District Branch which impart maximum training in Home Nursing on population basis but not less than 5,000 during the year.</p> <p>The shield will be received by the District Training Officer of the concerned District St. John Centre.</p>
9.	Home Nursing Runner-up shield	<p>To be awarded to the centre, which stand second in imparting training in Home Nursing on population basis.</p> <p>The shield will be received by the District Training Officer of the concerned District St. John Centre.</p>
10.	Home Nursing Special plaque	<p>To be awarded to District Branch those have achieved the targets fixed by the State for Home Nursing training.</p> <p>The Special Plaque will be received by the District Training Officer of the concerned District St. John Centre.</p>

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