

Prices of 98 drugs not fixed due to absence of information

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THE CENTRAL government has not been able to fix the price of 98 drugs used for treating various diseases such as tuberculosis, cardiac conditions, anemia, malaria and infections due to non-availability of information.

"NPPA prepared list of 98 medicines included in Schedule -I of DPCO, 2013 for which no information is available and prices could not be fixed/notified," National Pharmaceutical Pricing Authority said in a statement on its website. NPPA had asked various stakeholders to provide related data in 30 days. It had sought data/information about these 98 formulations from all states and UTs.

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