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Cc: SILVANO Anna-Maria (PMO-ISPRA)
Subject: Reimbursement of medical treatments in Switzerland

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Dear Mr Scognamiglio,

We write to you regarding the recent broadcast message sent to Ispra staff about medical treatments in Switzerland.

We acknowledge that the rules foresee a limitation of reimbursements for EU countries where medical expenses are extremely high, and we welcome the initiative to communicate to staff to their possible exposure to significant non-reimbursable expenses. At the same time, we are sure that you share with us the need to be as clear and transparent as possible when our colleagues' health is concerned.

A particular example where clarification is urgently required regards *analysis and exams*, for which we are very concerned to see that the maximum reimbursement is only 187 euro, taking into account that some analysis or exams are already more expensive within the EU.

That's why we kindly ask you to provide the following additional information:

- 1) The method (and anonymised data) used to get to the current maximum reimbursements
- 2) A complete table with maximum reimbursement amounts applicable to Switzerland for all JSIS codes, and not only the small set of 3 examples provided in the broadcast

We are confident that you will soon provide a positive answer to our invitation.

Kind regards,

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