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## **HAEMODIALYSIS- FREE LIFE SAVING TREATMENT**

Government continues to provide free haemodialysis treatment for Kidney patients at the Modern Medical and Diagnostic Centre.

Prime Minister Dr. Ralph Gonsalves said this is just one of the revolutionary services being provided in the health care system.

Speaking on We FM earlier today, Dr. Gonsalves said it cost the Government approximately 80 thousand dollars a year to provide the treatment for each patient.

"Those 64 people up there, mainly the poor and the working class, would be dead if we didn't have it, .... if we didn't have it free, ...it's an amazing thing what we have done," the Prime Minister stressed.

Government spends approximately 5 million dollars per year to treat those patients receiving dialysis.

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