

GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Health and Family Welfare Department - National Health Mission - Proposal for setting up of State Blood Cell for Hemophilia and Hemoglobinopathies for Government of Kerala - Sanctioned - Orders issued.

HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (FW) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt)No.959/2020/H&FWD Dated,Thiruvananthapuram,
27/05/2020

Read:-Proposal for setting of State Blood Cell for Hemophilia and Hemoglobinopathies for Government of Kerala submitted by the State Mission Director, National Health Mission, Thiruvananthapuram

ORDER

As per the paper read above, the State Mission Director, National Health Mission, Thiruvananthapuram has submitted a proposal for setting up of State Blood Cell for Hemophilia and Hemoglobinopathies for Government of Kerala.

2. Government have examined the matter in detail and are pleased to issue the sanction for the proposal for setting up of State Blood Cell for Hemophilia and Hemoglobinopathies for Government of Kerala. Government are also pleased to appoint the Project Director, Kerala State AIDS Control Society, Thiruvananthapuram as the State Nodal Officer of State Blood Cell. Role and responsibility of the State Nodal Officer are as below:

Administration

- Establish Hemophilia Treatment Centers (Day Care Centers for Blood Disorders) in all Districts, either in District Hospital or Government Medical College Hospitals.

- Establish Hemophilia Treatment Centers in few Taluk Hospitals where more people with hemophilia are present.
- Establish Hemophilia and Hemoglobinopathy Diagnostic facilities in District hospitals.
- Conduct Technical Committee, with relevant experts, stakeholders, NGOs and people affected before procuring Anti Hemophilia Factors.
- State Blood Cells, State Nodal Officer shall be a part of patients forum.
- State Blood Cells Shall work on State, National and Global projects on hemophilia/bleeding disorder projects/studies
- Coordinate with NGO/ Patient bodies to improvise hemophilia care.
- Resolve issues in Hemophilia treatment center.
- The established State Blood cells committee must meet at least twice a year.
- The committee members have to Visit the Day Care centers once in a quarter across the state and ensure proper utilization of the factors and smooth running of the program.
- Closely monitor the requirement of anti-hemophilia factors by all hemophilia treatment centers and designated Government Medical College Hospitals
- Supervise and implement the program in National Health Mission.

3. Government are also pleased to constitute the following Committees for the implementation of the program in Kerala.

(I) State Level Steering Committee for Blood Cell

Hon'ble Minister(Health & Family Welfare) - **Chair person**

- Principal secretary(Health & Family Welfare) - **Vice Chairman**
- Project Director, Kerala State AIDS Control Society - **Member Secretary**
- State Mission Director, National Health Mission - **Member**

- Managing Director , Kerala Medical Services Corporation Limited-
Member
- Director of Medical Education - **Member**
- Director of Health Services - **Member**
- Additional Director(Medical),Health Services - **Member**
- Executive Director-Kerala Social Security Mission - **Member**
- Head of the Department, Department Of Hematology, Medical College Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram - **Member**
- Head of the Department, Department Of Hematology, Medical College Hospital, Kozhikode - **Member**
- Medical Officer in charge, Hemophilia Treatment Centre, District Hospital, Aluva - **Member**
- Medical Officer in charge Hemophilia Treatment Centre, District Hospital, Mananthawady, Wayanad - **Member**
- Director, Model Blood Bank, Medical College Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram - **Member**
- Assistant Director, Blood Transfusion Services, Kerala State AIDS Control Society- **Member**
- One Representative from Community will be decided by the State Committee

(III) Technical Committee for Blood Cell

State Mission Director, National Health Mission - **Chairman**

- Managing Director ,Kerala Medical Services Corporation Limited- **Co Chairperson**
- Project Director, Kerala State AIDS Control Society - **Member Secretary**
- Head of the Department, Dept Of Hematology, Medical College Hospital,

Thiruvananthapuram - **Member**

- Head of the Department, Dept Of Hematology, Medical College Hospital, Kozhikode - **Member**
 - Medical Officer in charge, Hemophilia Treatment Centre, District Hospital Aluva - **Member**
 - Medical Officer in charge, Hemophilia Treatment Centre, District Hospital, Mananthawady, Wayanad - **Member**
 - Director, Model Blood Bank, Medical College Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram - **Member**
 - Assistant Director, Blood Transfusion Services, Kerala State AIDS Control Society - **Member**
- The Terms of Reference for the Technical Committee are as below:
- The technical Committee needs to evaluate all the products available in Indian Market, and evaluate the best-suited specification for the products.
 - Selection of product should be based on the need of the patients.
 - The Technical committee has to closely monitor the quality of the products procured and adverse events if any.
 - Chart and monitor the technical specification of AHF to be indented
 - Approve the technical specification of the factors to be procured.

(By order of the Governor)

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ADDITIONAL SECRETARY

To:

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Project Director, Kerala State AIDS Control Society, Thiruvananthapuram
The Director of Health Services, Thiruvananthapuram
The Director of Medical Education, Thiruvananthapuram
The officers concerned

The Principal Accountant General (Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
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