

<u>ABSTRACT</u>

National Health Mission – Tamil Nadu – National Viral Hepatitis Control Programme – Constitution of State Steering Committee for prepare and implement the National Viral Hepatitis Control Programme – Orders – Issued.

Health and Family Welfare (EAP II-1) Department

G.O (Ms) No.526

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Read:

From the Mission Director, National Health Mission, letter Ref. No. 7859/NHM/P8/2019, dated: 23.10.2019.

ORDER:

In the reference read above, the Mission Director, National Health Mission has stated that, the Government of India has requested to constitute the State Steering Committee headed by the Secretary to Government, as per the provision of National Viral Hepatitis Control Programme Operational Guidelines and convening a meeting of the State Steering Committee constituted to prepare and implement a time bound action plan for rolling out screening, diagnostic and treatment/ management services for both Hepatitis B & C in at least one treatment centre in each district in 2019-20. He has further stated that, the key functioning of the program Steering Committee are as follows:-

- Monitor the progress of the Programme.
- Advise on the newer interventions over the process of implementation.
- Identify the service delivery sites and regularly monitor them.
- Conduct State level review meeting and field visits to monitor the program implementation
- 2. The Mission Director, National Health Mission has also stated that, the Steering Committee shall monitor and provide guidance for implementation of the program and shall meet as often as necessary, but atleast once in 6 months and requested to issue orders to constitute the State Steering Committee for the implementation of National Viral Hepatitis Control Programme.
- 3. After careful consideration, the Government have decided to constitute the State Steering Committee for implementation of National Viral Hepatitis Control Programme. Accordingly, the Government constitutes a State Steering Committee duly chaired by the Secretary to Government, Health and Family Welfare department with the following composition.

S.	Name and Designation of the officials of	Role in
No	State Steering Committee	State Steering Committee
1.	Secretary to Government, Health and Family Welfare Department.	Chairman
2.	Mission Director, National Health Mission - Tamil Nadu.	Member Secretary
3.	Director of Medical Education, Chennal.	. Member
4.	Director of Medical and Rural Health Services, Chennai.	Member

5.	Director of Public Health and Preventive Medicine, Chennai.	Member
6.	Additional Director, Directorate of Medical and Rural Health Services, Chennai.	Member
7.	State Nodal Officer and In-charge of Model Treatment Centre / Head of Department, Institute of Hepato Biliary Science, Rajiv Gandhi Government General Hospital, Chennai.	Secretary/ Convenor
8.	Nodal Officer for State reference Laboratory/ Head of Department, Department of Microbiology, Rajiv Gandhi Government General Hospital, Chennai.	Member
9.	Joint Director(Epidemics), Directorate of Public Health and Preventive Medicine, Chennai.	Member
10	Deputy Director, Directorate of Medical Education.	Member

- 4. The State Steering Committee shall monitor the progress of the Programme, advise on the newer interventions over the process of implementation, identify the service delivery sites and regularly monitor them and to Conduct State level review meeting and field visits to monitor the program implementation.
- 5. The State Nodal Officer and incharge of Model Treatment Centre / Head of Department, Institute of Hepato Biliary Science, Rajiv Gandhi Government General Hospital, Chennai shall be responsible for convening the meeting of the above committee periodically, atleast once in six month.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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The Mission Director, National Health Mission, Chennai - 6

The Director of Medical Education, Chennai - 10

The Director of Medical and Rural Health Services, Chennai- 6

The Director of Public Health and Preventive Medicine, Chennai - 6

The Additional Director, Directorate of Medical and Rural Health Services, Chennai – 6

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