

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

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From
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Additional Chief Secretary to Government

To
All Collector & District Magistrates
All Municipal Commissioner
All CDM & PHOs,

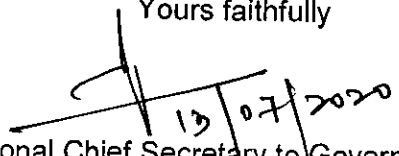
Sub:- Guideline for management of COVID-19 positive cases in COVID Care Centres by PSU, Corporate, Institutions, private and NGO sectors.

Sir,

In inviting a reference to the subject cited above, I am directed to send herewith the guideline for management of COVID-19 positive cases in COVID Care Centres by PSU, Corporate, Institutions, private and NGO sectors for information and necessary action.

You are therefore requested to take necessary steps to circulate the above guideline among all concerned and to instruct them to follow the guideline scrupulously .

Yours faithfully


13/07/2020
Additional Chief Secretary to Government

Memo. No. 16600 /H. Dtd. 13-07-2020
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Deputy Secretary to Government

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COVID CARE CENTRES BY CORPORATE, PRIVATE AND NGO SECTOR

The COVID care centres (CCC) Created by the Govt. in the state are facilities to accommodate mild and asymptomatic COVID-19 positive cases without requiring advanced medical attention. These facilities have either separate room or dormitories with comfortable beds with adequate spacing and required hygiene and care by trained manpower. Such facilities can be replicated to isolate and monitor the health of the COVID-19 positive cases till they recover and be discharged to return to their homes, in accordance with the protocols laid down by health authorities.

Infrastructure :

(A) Accommodation:

- These will run in their existing facilities or other complexes taken by the agencies on hire and should ideally be not located with residential colonies.
- Single room for each person with attached toilet is preferable. However, if this is not available separate dormitories for male and female with sufficient numbers of segregated toilets (at least @ 1 per 10) should be arranged.
- Separate accommodation for SUSPECTS and CONFIRMED cases is to be made.
- Room should be well ventilated, 24X7 Water supply facility and Power back up provision is essential.
- Minimum gap of 6 feet between adjacent beds is to be maintained.
- Security arrangement to prevent access by outsiders and to restrict movement of inmates to outside is needed. If possible CC TV camera may be installed at strategic points. Should be well ventilated.
- Adequate toilets for male and female should be available.
- Sufficient numbers of Wash Basins at strategic sites should be installed to facilitate hand washing.
- Free Fooding with Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner and tea should be arranged.

Logistics :

- Furniture's, Beddings & Clothing's , Utensils, Buckets , mugs, soaps etc., shall be provided by the agency.
- Adequate amount of Soap, Sanitizer, Triple Layer Mask, Gloves , PPE, Cleaning appliances, Waste Bins with Biodegradable coloured polythene bags, Hypochlorite solution, other disinfectants should be made available
- Patient examination and minimal Lab Test equipment's like infrared thermometer, digital/aneroid BP instrument, Pulse oxymetre, Glucometre, Uristics etc ., should be available.

- At least two oxygen filled Cylinders with accessories to be available for emergency.

Human Resource :

- One Authorised Medical Officer/ Nodal Officer to be attached to the CCC.
- One GDMO/AYUSH Doctor, two Pharmacists/Staff Nurse/ ANM, two attendants , two cleaning staff (M&F) and one BLS Ambulance should be attached per 50 persons per shift

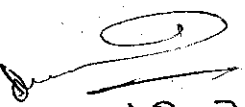
Infection Prevention & Bio Medical Waste Management

- All the inhabitants should wear triple layer mask throughout.
- Staff for Suspected Ward should not go to Confirmed wards.
- All staff coming directly with the inmates should wear PPE during contact with the patient.
- The standard Infection Prevention Practice is to be adhered to as per the Govt. Protocol.
- The Colour Coded Bins and Transport Trolley is to be branded "COVID-19 " and double layered polythene bags are to be used.
- There should be provision for proper decontamination and disposal of used Mask, Gloves, PPE etc., following BMWWM protocols.

Discharge/Referral :

- Asymptomatic Positive Cases are to be discharged after 10 days of stay can be discharged with advise for further 7 days Home Isolation following prescribed protocols.
- Symptomatic positive cases can be discharged after remaining afebrile for three days without anti pyretic administration. They will be advised to remain in Home Isolation with self-monitoring of Health for further seven days and to obey other protocols.
- Persons worsening with symptoms like Respiratory discomfort/ spO_2 less than 94 %/ Neurological signs / Shock etc will be referred to the nearest Covid Health Centre/ Covid Hospital with tagged ambulance. The ambulance driver should have to follow all IPC protocols and the vehicle is to be sanitised after each use.

The local authorities i.e., District Collectors / Municipal Commissioners shall administer local / specific required stipulation in addition to the above to meet with any unforeseen contingencies.


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