Office Memorandum


Duties of Hospital:-

(1) Every hospital shall maintain rooms or wards exclusively to examine and screen persons suspected of COVID-19.

(2) During screening of such cases, shall record,-

   (i) Whether the person has travelled to any country or area where COVID-19 has been reported during the last 28 days; and

   (ii) The history of the person coming in contact with a suspected or confirmed case of COVID-19.

(3) In case the person falling under sub regulation (2), the hospital shall,-

   (i) If the person is asymptomatic, he shall be advise to be in Home Quarantine for 14 days; or

   (ii) If the person is symptomatic as per case definition of COVID-19, then he shall be isolated in the hospital as per the guidelines of the Government of India issued from time to time in this behalf.

(4) Every hospital shall collect samples for COVID-19 as per the guidelines of the Government of India issued from time to time in this behalf and send them to the designated laboratory through the District Nodal Officer.

(5) Every hospital shall immediately inform all suspected cases of COVID-19 to the IDSP Office.

To
The Medical Officer Incharge,
All Health Facilities,
Puducherry.

Copy submitted to:
1. The Hon’ble Chief Minister, Puducherry.
2. The Hon’ble Health Minister, Puducherry.
3. The Chief Secretary, Chief Secretariat, Puducherry.
4. The District Collector, Department of Revenue and Disaster Management, Puducherry.
5. The Joint Secretary to Government of India, MoHFW, New Delhi.
6. The Deputy Director (Public Health), Puducherry.