OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE AND MISSION DIRECTOR (NHM), TELANGANA, HYDERABAD.

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Sub: vaccination against HBsAg and TT to all employees of all TVVP Hospitals, Public

Health Facilities including contractual/outsourced employees in the State of

Date: 20.07.2017

Telangana.

Ref: 1. Instructions from CH&FW and MD-NHM

2. National Quality Assurance Standards.

All Employees in the hospitals regularly encounter patients as an essential part of their jobs. Disease-causing organisms can easily spread from patients to health care workers and then back to other patients on a hospital floor. The result is a group of health care workers who are out sick and unable to do their jobs, as well as a group of patients with a new disease that they did not have when they were admitted. The solution, in the view of National Quality Assurance Standards, is to have all health care workers vaccinated who are working in District

Patients always have the right to expect that their hospital will take every reasonable precaution to protect them from developing a new disease that they did not have upon admission. With regard to the Hepatitis-B and many other contagious diseases, vaccination is

Hospitals, Area Hospitals, MCH centres, CHC's and PHC's in the state of Telangana.

the best way to honour this right.

It has been decided by the CH&FW and MD-NHM, to vaccinate all the employees including contractual / outsourced against Hepatitis B and Tetanus by using the vaccine available in their respective PP Units.

In this connection, all the Medical Superintendents of the TVVP Hospitals, DCHSs and DM&HOs are directed to vaccinate all the employees including contractual / outsourced against Hepatitis B and Tetanus by using the vaccine available in their respective PP Units and send the Compliance Photographs to State Team Quality Assurance Team mail address sqapts@gmail.com

for Commissioner of Health & Family Welfare and Mission Director (NHM)

To:

- 1. All DM&HOs in the State
- 2. All DCHS in the State
- 3. All Medical Superintendents of the TVVP Hospitals
- 4. MOs PHCs

Copy to:

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