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To

District Medical Officer (Health)

All Districts

Sir,

Subject:- Kerala Health System Improvement Programme (KHSIP) – Submission of baseline data and mandatory registration of NCD patients with Permanent UHID – Instructions issued – reg.

Reference:- Note Received From NCD State Nodal Officer

The Kerala Health System Improvement Programme (KHSIP) is scheduled to be implemented in the State from 2026 onwards. As part of the preparatory activities, baseline data of BPL patients and all registered Non-Communicable Disease (NCD) patients needs to be compiled and submitted for the effective rollout of the programme.

Further, drug indenting and demand forecasting for NCD medicines will be carried out based on the total number of registered NCD patients in each district. Hence, accurate and complete patient registration is essential to ensure uninterrupted drug availability in all health facilities throughout the year.

In this context, the following directions are hereby issued for strict compliance:

1. All NCD patients availing services from the Health Services Department shall mandatorily be registered in the e-Health HMS portal.
2. Enrolment of all NCD patients with Permanent UHID number shall be ensured at the earliest.
3. The use of Temporary UHID shall strictly be discouraged.
4. Only patients possessing Permanent UHID will be entitled for one month medicine supply from the pharmacies.
5. Patients with Temporary UHID shall be eligible for drug supply for a maximum period of 10 days only.
6. District-level monitoring mechanisms shall be instituted to ensure 100%

registration of NCD patients with Permanent UHID within a time-bound manner.

This exercise is being undertaken to ensure scientific drug demand forecasting and uninterrupted availability of medicines in all health institutions based on actual patient load.

All District Medical Officers are directed to issue necessary instructions to all concerned institutions under their jurisdiction and ensure strict compliance. Progress in this regard shall be monitored regularly and reported to this office.

Yours faithfully,

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