Addendum to the Testing, Quarantine, Hospital admission and Discharge criteria for nCoV issued 1st February 2020

1. **Discharge policy**: Patients in hospital isolation with negative rtPCR result may be discharged and sent for strict home isolation if clinically stable.

2. **Second sample testing in patients tested negative initially**: If Patients from Wuhan or those who are close contacts of proven nCoV cases continue to be symptomatic even if the initial rtPCR is negative, a second sample may be sent.

3. There is no change in the follow up testing protocol for lab confirmed nCoV infections.

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