



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Health & Family Welfare Department - "Aardram" Comprehensive Primary Health Care Clinical Guidelines - approved and published - Orders issued.

HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (FW) DEPARTMENT

G.O.(Rt) No.2781/2017/H&FWD.

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 09/10/2017

Read: 1. G.O. (Rt) No. 1514/2017/H&FWD dated 29/05/2017

2. G.O. (Rt) No. 46/2017/Health dated 05/08/2017

3. Letter No. NIL dated 25.8.2017 from the Executive Director, State Health Systems Resource Centre.

O R D E R

1. Government of Kerala has initiated several programs under the umbrella of Aardram Mission to revamp the health system in this state. One of the objectives of Aardram Mission is to strengthen the primary health care system by converting Primary Health Centres to Family Health Centres (FHC) by improving the scope of services ensuring quality. Standardisation of hospitals is one of the strategies to improve quality of services.

2. In this scenario, it has been decided to publish the clinical guidelines, to ensure Comprehensive Primary Health Care (CPHC) through FHCs and to deliver standardised care with improved quality. Accordingly the work was entrusted with State Health Systems Resource Centre - Kerala (SHSRC-K) and they submitted a detailed guidelines to Government. Several expert working groups were constituted to prepare the guidelines and was finalised after several discussion among the academicians and experts in Health Services Department. The guidelines to deal with the steps of management of common conditions attending a primary health care centre. This also includes guidelines to be followed for prevention of common diseases, for referral of a patient and for follow up of a patient referred back.

3. Government have examined the guidelines in detail and are pleased to approve, publish and implement the guidelines as appended to this order, for strict compliance by all concerned.

(By Order of the Governor),

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ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVT.

To

The Director of Health Services, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Director of Medical Education, Thiruvananthapuram.

The State Mission Director, National Health Mission, Thiruvananthapuram.

The Executive Director, State Health System Resource Centre,
Thiruvananthapuram.

All District Medical Officers (through the DHS)

The Principal Accountant General (A&E/Audit), Thiruvananthapuram .

The Finance Department.

I&PRD (Web & New Media).

Local Self Government Department.

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