

**National Health Mission
SDA Complex, Kasumpti, Shimla-9
Himachal Pradesh**

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Advisory to Private Hospitals

As per notification no HFW-A-A(3)A/2020 dated 11th March, 2020, vide which 'Himachal Pradesh Epidemic Disease (COVID-19) Regulations, 2020' it is mandatory for all Registered Private Medical Practitioner including AYUSH practitioners to notify such person(s) to concerned District Surveillance Unit along with duly filled up self declaration form who, within their knowledge are having traveling history to COVID-19 affected countries and are having complaints of fever or cough or respiratory difficulty or even without any sign & symptoms of the epidemic disease.

In addition to this, all registered private medical practitioners including AYUSH practitioners are advised to take following measures in view of the threat of COVID-19:-

1. Advisory as issued vide letter No. NHMHP-IDSP/1/2020-IDSP – Section-NATIONAL HEALTH MISSION-HP-Part (3)-2642 dated 19th March, 2020 regarding undertaking such measures as may be required for decongestion and enforcement of social distancing may be adhered to.
2. In case, any symptomatic person has history of travel to any COVID-19 affected region or history of contact with a COVID-19 confirmed case in the last 14 days, the person should be immediately isolated and all health care workers should undertake contact with such person after adequate protection with PPEs. The details of such person should immediately be shared with District Surveillance Unit.
3. Separate URI (flu) corners, as have been setup in Government Health Institutions, are advised to be setup in private hospitals as well for preventing nosocomial transmission.

All the notifications/ advisories issued regarding COVID-19 from time to time may be adhered to in letter and spirit. All the notifications/guidelines/advisories are available on website nrhmhp.gov.in


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4. All Chief Medical Officers, Himachal Pradesh
5. All District Surveillance Officers, Himachal Pradesh



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