



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

Dated: Shimla-171009, the



### CIRCULAR

In continuation to the earlier Circular No. NHMHP-IDSP/1/2020-IDSP-Section-NHMHP-Part(2)-2961 dated: 9th April, 2020 & Order No. NHMHP-IDSP/1/2020-IDSP-Section-NHMHP-Part(2)-3125 dated: 1st May, 2020, queries are being received from various quarters regarding sampling and quarantine from people travelling from red zones/containment zones. The following is hereby clarified:

1. All interstate symptomatic travellers are being tested for COVID-19 by the districts. Districts may also randomly test asymptomatic persons as well, especially those coming from red zones. These test samples of asymptomatic travellers can be pooled as well, as per issued guidelines.
2. The persons who are undertaking interdistrict travel and are travelling from a known containment zone shall ordinarily would have been quarantined for a period of 2 weeks in the containment zone from the detection of last positive case in that containment zone as per Circular No. NHMHP-IDSP/1/2020-IDSP-Section-NHMHP-Part(2)-2961 dated: 9th April, 2020. Such individuals shall not be required to undergo further quarantine in the district to which they are travelling. However, if the person is travelling from a containment zone and has not completed quarantine of 14 days from the date of detection of last positive case in that containment zone, he/she shall be quarantined in the district he/she is travelling to, for the remaining period so that a total period of 14 days of quarantine is completed from the day of detection of last positive case in the containment zone, he/she is travelling from. He/she shall be sampled if found symptomatic during this period.

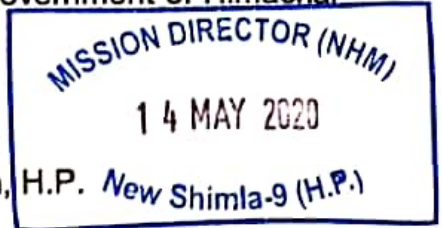
  
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