Government of Himachal Pradesh, Department of Health & Family welfare, H.P.

No. HSR-H (Clinical Estt)5/2018-X

Dated Shimla-2 the 25th March 2020

## OFFICE ORDER

It has come to the notice of the undersigned that different Private Hospitals registered under Clinical Establishments (Registration and Regulation) Act,2010 in the State of Himachal Pradesh are shirking away from providing Health Services to the patients and even instances of closure of the establishments have been reported in the wake of the threat of COVID-19.

In exercise of the powers conferred by the Clause 3 of the Himachal Pradesh Epidemic Disease (COVID-19) Regulations, 2020 notified vide notification no. HFW-A-A(3)1/2020 dated 14.03.2020 under the Epidemic Disease Act, 1897 and in accordance with Section 12 (2) of the Clinical Establishments Act, 2010, all the incharges of the Private Registered Hospitals are hereby directed to continue providing health services to the people of the State at large and comply with various directions/guidelines being issued from time to time particularly with respect to mandatory notification of such persons to the District Surveillance Units, along with duly filled up self declaration form of the persons who are having travelling history to COVID-19 affected countries, provision of separate FLU OPDs and undertaking all measures necessary to prevent congestion and enforcement of social distancing in their institutions, failing which necessary action shall be initiated as per law.

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Copy for information and necessary action to:

- 1. All the Deputy Commissioners in H.P.
- 2. All the HODs in H.P.
- All the Chief Medical Officers in H.P with the directions to bring this in the notice of all Private establishments under respective jurisdiction.

Additional Chief Secretary (Health) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh