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HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

File No. PT3-HFW-SCH-I-MISC-0023-2020 - 17322 /H Dated, 17-6-2021

From

Shri P.K. Mohapatra, IAS,
Additional Chief Secretary to Government.

To

All Collector & District Magistrates
The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation
Bhubaneswar, Cuttack, Berhampur, Sambalpur and Rourkela
All CDM & PHOs

Sub:- COVID-19 Vaccination of all eligible People Living with HIV (PLHIV) in the State – Reg.

Ref: Letter No: 1961 dated, 8th June, 2021 of the Project Director, OSACS and Email dated, 14th June 2021 of the Dy. Director (CST), NACO

Madam/Sir,

With reference to the letter cited above on the subject, I am to say that the COVID-19 vaccination in the State commenced from 16th January, 2021 with vaccination of Health Care Workers and later on expanded for vaccination of Front Line Workers, Citizens above 60 years, citizens above 45 year and citizens 18 years & above.

Now, NACO, Govt. of India has advised that all eligible PLHIV (irrespective of CD4 count & viral load) should undergo the complete schedule of COVID-19 vaccination for protecting themselves against COVID-19 and also to limit the spread of disease to their contacts including family members, friends and Co-workers.

In this context, you are requested to vaccinate such people on priority by mobilizing them and through on-site registration in Co-WIN portal in nearby COVID Vaccination Centre at the earliest.

Yours faithfully,


17/06/2021
Additional Chief Secretary to Government

Memo No. 17323 /H

Dated, 17-6-2021

Copy forwarded to the Mission Director, NHM, Odisha for kind information.

Memo No. 17324 /H

Deputy Secretary to Government
Dated, 17-6-2021

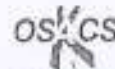
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ORISSA STATE AIDS CONTROL SOCIETY

Department of Health & Family Welfare, Govt. of Orissa



XXIII-OSACS-IM-05/2021/196/OSACS

Dated-08.06.2021

From

Dr Sanjukta Sahoo
Project Director

To

The Director (FW)
Health & Family Welfare Dept,
Govt of Odisha

Sub: Vaccination of all eligible People Living with HIV (PLHIV) in the state- Rega

Ref- E-Mail dated 14.5.2021 from Deputy Director (CST), NACO

Sir

In reference to the above e- mail, I am to say that, there are around 20,000 numbers of People Living with HIV (PLHIV) in the state in active on ART care & they are enhancing the risk of mortality in Covid-19. Most of them are economically weak & social backward with low immunological status.

Hence, necessary steps may be taken to ensure all eligible PLHIV to complete the schedule of Covid-19 vaccination on priority basis for protecting themselves against Covid-19 and also to limit the spread of the disease to their contacts including family members, friends & Co workers.

Yours faithfully

Sanjukta Sahoo
16/6/2021
Project Director

Memo No. ...196/OSACS

Dated 08.06.2021

Copy forwarded to Mr Rajesh Agarwal, Deputy Secretary to Govt, Health & Family Welfare Dept, for kind information

Sanjukta Sahoo
Project Director



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Fwd: Ensuring all eligible PLHIV are vaccinated against COVID-19

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Orissa Sacs <orissasacs@gmail.com>

Wed, Jun 9, 2021 at 11:24 AM

To: OSACS ISSUE & DISPATCH <osacsissue15@gmail.com>

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From: Chinmoyee Das <drchinmoyee.naco@gmail.com>

Date: Fri, May 14, 2021 at 10:23 AM

Subject: Ensuring all eligible PLHIV are vaccinated against COVID-19

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To
The Project Directors
State AIDS Control Societies


Dear Madam/Sir
Hope you all are doing well in these tough times.

As you are aware, the Ministry of Health & Family Welfare has issued guidelines for COVID vaccination, based on the availability of vaccines in the country, the Government of India has implemented the COVID vaccination drive in a phased manner, and since 1st May 2021 all citizens above the age of 18 years are eligible for COVID-19 vaccine. It is also mentioned that, earlier in March 2021, the Ministry had issued the co-morbidity certificate for prioritising individuals for COVID vaccination which included 'Primary immunodeficiency Disease/HIV infection' (document attached for reference). For more details, may please refer to the website "https://www.mohfw.gov.in/covid_vaccination/vaccination/important-information.html".

In this context, it is advisable to ensure that all eligible PLHIV (irrespective of CD4 count and Viral Load) should undergo the complete schedule of the COVID-19 vaccination, for protecting themselves against COVID-19 and also to limit the spread of the disease to their contacts including family members, friends and co-workers. You are requested to kindly ensure that all eligible PLHIV are vaccinated at the nearest vaccination centre, as per the latest vaccination guidelines.

Best regards
Dr. Chinmoyee Das
Dy. Director, NACO

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Best regards
Dr Chinmoyee Das

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**Annexure 1(B): Certificate to identify individuals with co-morbidities that enhance the risk of mortality in COVID-19 disease for priority vaccination
(To be filled by a Registered Medical Practitioner)**

Name of beneficiary: _____
 Age: _____ Gender: _____
 Address: _____
 Mobile phone number: _____
 Identification document: _____

I, Dr. _____, working as _____ have reviewed the above named individual and certify that he/she has the below mentioned conditions based on the records presented to me. A copy of the records on which this certificate is based is attached.

Presence of ANY ONE of the following criteria will prioritize the individual for vaccination

Sl. No.	Criteria	Yes/No
1.	Heart Failure with hospital admission in past one year	
2.	Post Cardiac Transplant/Left Ventricular Assist Device (LVAD)	
3.	Significant Left ventricular systolic dysfunction (LVEF <40%)	
4.	Moderate or Severe Valvular Heart Disease	
5.	Congenital heart disease with severe PAH or Idiopathic PAH	
6.	Coronary Artery Disease with past CABG/PTCA/MI AND Hypertension/Diabetes on treatment	
7.	Angina AND Hypertension/Diabetes on treatment	
8.	CT/MRI documented stroke AND Hypertension/Diabetes on treatment	
9.	Pulmonary artery hypertension AND Hypertension/Diabetes on treatment	
10.	Diabetes (> 10 years OR with complications) AND Hypertension on treatment	
11.	Kidney/ Liver/ Hematopoietic stem cell transplant: Recipient/On wait-list	
12.	End Stage Kidney Disease on haemodialysis/ CAPD	
13.	Current prolonged use of oral corticosteroids/ immunosuppressant medications	
14.	Decompensated cirrhosis	
15.	Severe respiratory disease with hospitalizations in last two years/FEV1 <50%	
16.	Lymphoma/ Leukaemia/ Myeloma	
17.	Diagnosis of any solid cancer on or after 1st July 2020 Currently on any cancer therapy	
18.	Sickle Cell Disease/ Bone marrow failure/ Aplastic Anemia/ Thalassemia Major	
19.	Primary Immunodeficiency Diseases/ HIV infection	
20.	Persons with disabilities due to Intellectual disabilities/ Muscular Dystrophy/ Acid attack with involvement of respiratory system/ Persons with disabilities having high support needs/ Multiple disabilities including deaf-blindness	

I am aware that providing false information is an offence.

Name of RMP: _____
 Medical Council registration number of RMP: _____
 Date of issuing the certificate: _____
 Place of issue: _____ (Signature of RMP)