To
The Dean
All Medical Colleges (Government and Non-Government)

Subject: About Anti-Retroviral Treatment (ART) services from medical college hospitals.

Ref: 1) The Gazette of India issued by Board of Governors in super-session of Medical Council of India dated 25th June, 2019
2) Office Memorandum no T-11020/59/2019/NACO/CST issued by the Joint Secretary NACO, Govt. of India dated 30th August 2019.

Dear All,

As per the Gazette of India issued by Board of Governors in super-session of Medical Council of India dated 25th June, 2019 wherein amendment has been done on ‘Minimum Standard Requirement for MBBS Admissions Annually Regulation, 1999’. As per the amendment, every Medical College should have an Anti-Retroviral Therapy centre at the time of 4th renewal for admission of 5th Batch of MBBS students. In reference to this recently National AIDS Control Organization (NACO) has issued an Office Memorandum dated 30th August 2019.

The roles and responsibilities of different stake holders such as Medical Colleges and National AIDS Control Programme (NACP) shall be as follows:

Medical College (Government or Non-Government):
- Provide Infrastructure and Human resources for ART Centre.
- Shall follow the National Operational and Technical Guidelines for ART Services and M&E Tools provided by NACO.
- Shall provide all health services related to the provision of ART and treatment of opportunistic infections, free of cost to patients who require treatment.
- Shall report to NACO and GSACS in prescribed formats at prescribed intervals.
- Shall follow the guidance provided by the NACO and GSACS for the quality ART service delivery.

National AIDS Control Programme (Through NACO and GSACS):
- Provide ARV drugs and M & E tools, software linkages.
- Provide CD4 testing and Viral load testing for people living with HIV through linkages with existing laboratories under NACP.
- Provide trainings of staff of ART Centres.
- Provide regular updates on guidelines.
- Shall provide technical support for establishment as well as functioning of ART centre.
- Shall monitor the functioning of ART services according to the NACO guidelines.
The process for establishing ART centres shall be as follows:

1. Proposal for establishing ART centre shall be sent by the Institute to Gujarat State AIDS Control Society.
2. Representatives from GSACS will visit the institute and provide technical support for establishing ART centre and suggest improvement as required.
3. Provisional approval by NACO based on report.
4. Appointment of staff and arrangement of infrastructure as per operational guidelines for ART services.
5. Final approval of NACO.
6. Training of staff by NACO/SACS.
7. Provision of drugs, recording tools and guidelines by NACO.

For the Governmental Medical Colleges where ART Centres are already functional with NACO support, concerned medical colleges shall take over the HR and recurring cost component of ART Centres in a phased manner.

With best wishes.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

Commissioner (Health, Medical Services & Medical Education) and Project Director, Gujarat State AIDS Control Society Ahmedabad

Enclosure:
1. Office Memorandum from NACO Govt. of India.

Copy forwarded to:-
1) Additional Director Medical Education
2) CEO, GMERS
3) All RDDs
4) All Medical Superintendent of all Medical Colleges (Government, GMERS, Private)
5) All District TB and HIV Officers (all districts)
OFFICE MEMORANDUM

This is with reference to The Gazette of India issued by Board of Governors in super-sesson of Medical Council of India dated 25th June, 2019 wherein amendment has been done on ‘Minimum Standard Requirement for MBBS Admissions Annually Regulation, 1999’. As per the amendment, every Medical College should have an Anti Retroviral Therapy center at the time of 4th renewal for admission of 5th Batch of MBBS students.

To have an ART Centre in the college roles of National AIDS Control Programme (NACP) and Medical College shall be as following:

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For Government Medical Colleges where ART Center is already functional with NACO support, Medical Colleges shall take over the HR and recurring cost component of ART Centers in phased manner.

(Alok Saxena)
Joint Secretary (NACO) 30.4.11

To
• Dean, All Medical Colleges (Government and Non-Government)

Copy to:-
• Principle Secretary (Medical Education), All States
• Principle Secretary (Health & Family Welfare), All States
• Project Director, All State AIDS Control Society
• Board of Governors in Super Session of MCI
• PPS to Secy. (Health and Family Welfare) Govt. of India
• PPS to SS & DG(NACO)
• PPS to DGHS, Dte. GHS, Govt. of India
• PS to JS (Medical Education), Govt. of India
• All DDG/ADG/DD/ NC (NACO)
• Regional Directors for H&FW, Govt. of India
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भारतीय आयुर्विज्ञान परिषद के अधिक्रम में शासी बोर्डINDER
संरीति अधिसूचना


1. (i) इन विनियमों को "प्रतिवर्ष एम.डी. एम. में 50 छात्रियों के लिए न्यूतम शरीर विनियमावली, (संरीति) 2019" कहा जाएगा।

(ii) वे, सरकारी राजपत्र में उनके प्रकाशन की तारीख में प्रकट होंगे।

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इसमें दर्शाए गए अनुसार किए जाएंगे:-

3. खंड क.1 में, उप खंड 23 के पश्चात,खंड क.1 में निम्नलिखित जोडा जाएगा :-

"क.1.24 : प्रतिवर्ष एम.डी. एम. में 50 छात्रियों के लिए न्यूतम शरीर विनियमावली, 1999" में निम्नलिखित अभिवर्धन

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[विज्ञापन-III/4/अमा./113/19]

BOARD OF GOVERNORS IN SUPER-SESSION OF MEDICAL COUNCIL OF INDIA
AMENDMENT NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 25th June, 2019

No. MCI-34(41)/2019-Med./126168.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 33 of the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 (102 of 1956), the Board of Governors in super-session of Medical Council of India with the previous sanction of the Central Government, hereby makes the following Regulations to further amend the “Minimum Standard Requirement for 50 MBBS Admissions Annually Regulation, 1999”, namely:

1. (i) These Regulations may be called the “Minimum Standard Requirement for 50 MBBS Admissions Annually Regulation (Amendment), 2019”.

(ii) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the “Minimum Standard Requirement for 50 MBBS Admissions Annually Regulation, 1999”, the following additions shall be, as indicated therein:

3. In Clause A.1. following is added in Clause A.1. after sub clause 23:

“A.1.24 :

Every College should have Anti Retroviral Treatment (ART) Centre and facility for management of MDR-TB at the time of 4th renewal for admission of 5th Batch of MBBS students”

Dr. R. K. VATS, Secy. General

[ADVT.-III/4/Exty./113/19]


संशोधन अधिसूचना
नई विलीनी, 25 जून, 2019

सं. भा. आ. प. -34(41)/2019-नेडिक/126168—भारतीय आयुर्विज्ञान परिषद् अधिनियम, 1956 (1956 का 102) की धारा 33 द्वारा प्रदत्त शक्तियों का इस्तेमाल करते हुए, भारतीय आयुर्विज्ञान परिषद के अधिकरण में शामिल विविध “प्रतिवर्ष एम.बी.बी.एम. में 100 दाखिलों के लिए न्यूटनम शर्तें विनियमावधान, 1999” में पुनः संशोधन करते हुए केंद्रीय सरकार के पूर्व अनुसूचक से एतद्वारा निम्नलिखित विनियम वनायी है, नामांकन:

1. (i) इन विनियमों को “प्रतिवर्ष एम.बी.बी.एम. में 100 दाखिलों के लिए न्यूटनम शर्तें विनियमावधान, (संशोधन) 2019” कहा जाएगा।

(ii) ये, सरकारी राजदि में उनके प्रकाशन की तारीख में प्रथम होगा।

2. “प्रतिवर्ष एम.बी.बी.एम. में 100 दाखिलों के लिए न्यूटनम शर्तें विनियमावधान, 1999” में निम्नलिखित अधिबंधन इसमें दायीं गए अनुसूच पदों पर जाएगा:-

3. “खंड क.1 में, उप खंड 23 के पश्चात, खंड क.1 में निम्नलिखित जोड़ा जाएगा :—

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1. (i) These Regulations may be called the “Minimum Standard Requirement for 100 MBBS Admissions Annually Regulation (Amendment), 2019”.

(ii) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the “Minimum Standard Requirement for 100 MBBS Admissions Annually Regulation, 1999”, the following additions shall be, as indicated therein:

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1. (i) These Regulations may be called the “Minimum Standard Requirement for 150 MBBS Admissions Annually Regulation (Amendment), 2019”.

(ii) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. In the “Minimum Standard Requirement for 150 MBBS Admissions Annually Regulation, 1999”, the following additions shall be, as indicated therein: -

3. In Clause A.1. following is added in Clause A.1. after sub clause 23:-

“A.1.24 :
Every College should have Anti Retroviral Treatment (ART) Centre and facility for management of MDR-TB at the time of 4th renewal for admission of 5th Batch of MBBS students”.

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