

Annexure 3: District Health Emergency Response Committee



GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB PRIMARY & SECONDARY HEALTHCARE DEPARTMENT

Dated Lahore, the 19th March, 2020

NOTIFICATION:

No.SO(G)/P&SHD/1-36/2016: The Competent Authority has been pleased to constitute District Health Emergency Response Committee (DHERC) in all districts of the Punjab, with immediate effect and till further orders, for combating and prevention of pandemic Corona Virus (COVID-19):

Sr#	Designation of Officer	Status
1)	Additional Deputy Commissioner (Gen) concerned, being representative of District Government	Chairman
2)	District Health Officer (Preventive Services), District Health Authority concerned	Member
3)	Chief Officer of Metropolitan/ Municipal Corporation etc.	Member
4)	District Health Officer (HR&MIS), District Health Authority concerned	Member
5)	Program Director, District Health Development Center concerned	Member

2. The Committee shall work at district level as per following ToRs:
- The Committee will ensure availability and utilization of HR in the Quarantine Centers
 - The Committee will ensure the tractability of positive patients and their contacts
 - The Committee will ensure the tracing of suspected patients
 - The Committee will ensure the collection of samples of suspected patients and will dispatch them to the concerned Laboratories
 - The Committee will also ensure the follow-up of the results of reports from the laboratories
 - The Committee will ensure the shifting of positive patients to HDU/ICU
 - The Committee will ensure to restrict the frequent movement of outsiders at the residences of the Contacts
 - The Committee will coordinate with the District Administration and Law Enforcement Agencies
 - The Committee will ensure to facilitate the District Rapid Response Team
 - The Committee will review the progress and will prepare reports on daily basis
 - The Committee will ensure the surveillance for possible affected cases
 - The Committee will ensure cleanliness and sanitation in the Quarantine Centers
 - The Committee will liaison with other departments in district for deputing Class-IV / Janitorial staff in Quarantine Centers
 - Any other task related to operationalization of Quarantine Centers

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2. All Deputy Commissioners in the Punjab
3. All Chief Executive Officers, District Health Authorities in the Punjab
4. PSO to Secretary, P&SHD
5. PAs to all Additional Secretaries, P&SHD
6. PAs to all Deputy Secretaries, P&SHD
7. Members concerned
8. Office file


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