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To
The Secretary (H&FW)
Ministry of Health & Family Welfare
Government of India
Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi

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Sub: Request for initiating Rapid Antigen Detection Test for high risk group of individuals in health facilities of Central Government

Madam,

During the review meeting chaired by Home Secretary, Government of India on 08.07.2020 at 7.00 PM, it was agreed that the Rapid Antigen Detection Test as per the modified strategy for containment of COVID-19 in Delhi may also be made mandatory in Hospitals under the administrative control of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Government of India.

You are requested to issue directions to all Hospitals under administrative control of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Government of India to carry out compulsory test of following high risk group of individuals who visit the facility:

1. All individuals / patients with ILI symptoms
2. All patients admitted with SARI
3. All asymptomatic patients admitted or seeking admission of following high-risk group:
 - a) Patients undergoing Chemotherapy
 - b) Immunosuppressed Patient including HIV+
 - c) Patients with Malignant disease
 - d) Transplant Patients
 - e) Elderly Patients (>65 years of age) with co-morbidities
4. All asymptomatic patients undergoing aerosol generating interventions.

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K. Prasad
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Vikram Dev Dutt
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(Vikram Dev Dutt)
Pr. Secretary (Health & FW)

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3. Pr. Secretary to Hon'ble Lt. Governor, Delhi
4. Pr. Secretary (Revenue), Govt. of NCT of Delhi
5. Secretary (Health & FW), Govt. of NCT of Delhi
6. Addl. Secretary to Hon'ble CM, Govt. of NCT of Delhi
7. Secretary to Hon'ble Dy. Chief Minister
8. Secretary to Hon'ble Minister of Health, Govt. of NCT of Delhi
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