GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

No. Health.110/2020/4

Dated Shillong, the 2nd April, 2020.

From:

Shri M. S. Rao, IAS

Chief Secretary, Meghalaya,

Shillong.

To

The Chief Secretary,

Assam, Dispur/Manipur, Imphal/Mizoram, Aizawl/Nagaland, Kohima/

Tripura, Agartala/Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar/ Sikkim, Gangtok.

Sub:-

Protocol for transfer of non-Covid-19 critically ill patients to NEIGRIHMS.

Sir,

In view of the COVID-19 pandemic and the surface of many positive cases in the North Eastern States, the Director, NEIGRIHMS, Shillong has issued a protocol for admission of patients at NEIGRIHMS, Shillong vide his letter No. NEIGR-DIR/01/2016-2020/43, dated 2nd April, 2020. A copy of the same is enclosed.

In this connection, it is requested that the said protocol may kindly be circulated to all State Health Authorities, Hospitals and Health Institutions authorised to refer cases to NEIGRIHMS.

[Enclosure as stated]

Yours faithfully,

(M. S. Rao) Chief Secretary, Meghalaya

Memo No. Health.110/2020/4-A,

Dated Shillong, the 2nd April, 2020.

Copy to :-

- 1. The Private Secretary to Chief Minister, Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of Chief Minister.
- 2. The Private Secretary to Deputy Chief Minister, Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of Deputy Chief Minister.

3. The Private Secretary to Health Minister, Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of Minister.

- 4. Private Secretary to Chief Secretary for kind information of the Chief Secretary.
- The Commissioner & Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Health & F.W. Department.
- 6. Director, NEIGRIHMS, Mawdiangdiang, Shillong
- 7. Director General of Police, Meghalaya, Shillong.

By Order etc.

Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Health & Family Welfare Department.

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F. No.

No. NEIGR-DIR/01/2016-2020/43

Dated: 2nd April 2020

To,

The Chief Secretary
Government of Meghalaya,
Shillong

Subject: Protocol for transfer of non COVID-19 Critically ill patient to NEIGRIHMS.

Sir,

With reference to the meeting held under your Chairmanship today at 1:00 PM on the above subject, I am hereby submitting the following Protocol for transfer of non COVID-19 Critically ill patient from other States to NEIGRIHMS.

- 1. Only Critically ill non COVID-19 patient certified by the concerned State Health Authority, can seek treatment at NEIGRIHMS.
- 2. In view of COVID-19 pandemic, the number of accompanying attendants of the non COVID-19 critically ill patient, be limited to only one.
- 3. At the border, the data of ambulance, driver, etc of the critically ill patients and accompanying person be maintained and certified by the State Health Authority.
- 4. Only patient as mentioned above will be accepted in NEIGRIHMS Hospital till the Covid-19 Pandemic is over.
- Anybody/attendants of patients coming from other State will need to be quarantined for 14 days as per State Government directives.

The above is submitted for consideration and wide circulation to all concerned. However, the State Government of Meghalaya may also like to advice on any other protocols.

Thanking you

Prof. (Dr.) D.M. Thappa

Director, NEIGRIHMS