

GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR
NOTIFICATION

Dated Shillong, the 4th December, 2024.

No. Health.250/2021/51:- In accordance with Section 31(1) of the of the **National Commission of Indian Medicine Act, 2020**, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to constitute the **Meghalaya Council for Indian System of Medicine** for regulating the practice and registration of practitioners of Indian System of Medicine in Ayurveda, Yoga & Naturopathy, Unani, Siddha and Homoeopathy in the State with the following members until further orders:

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| 1. Director of Health Services (MI) | - President |
| 2. Dr. (Mrs.) T. Khongwir, Ayurvedic Physician,
Ayush Drug Testing Laboratory | - Registrar-cum-Member
Secretary |
| 3. Dr.(Mrs) S. Kharmawphlang, Ayurvedic Physician,
Nongpoh Civil Hospital | - Member |
| 4. Dr. D. Das, Ayurvedic Physician, Civil Hospital, Tura | - Member |
| 5. Dr. (Mrs.) S. W. Pala, Ayurvedic Physician, Civil Hospital,
Shillong | - Member |
| 6. One member from Siddha System to be nominated by the
Government | - Member |
| 7. One member from Unani System to be nominated by the
Government | - Member |
| 8. One member from Sowa Rigpa System to be nominated
by the Government | - Member |

1. **OFFICE OF THE COUNCIL:-** The Office of the Council shall be situated in the Office of the Director of Health Services (MI), Health Complex, Laitumkhrah, Shillong 793001.
2. **POWERS /DUTIES/FUNCTIONS OF THE COUNCIL :** Until further orders or until the powers, duties/functions of the Council are clearly defined , the Council shall function in accordance with the provisions contained in the **National Council of Indian Medicine Act, 2020** and the powers and functions shall include but not be limited to the following:
 - (i) **Registration:** The State Council shall maintain and regularly update the State Register in the specified electronic format and supply a physical copy of the same to the Board of Ethics and Registration for Indian System of Medicine.
 - (ii) **Ethical Standards:** The State Council shall enforce a code of ethics to maintain professional conduct among practitioners of Indian System of Medicine. The Council shall grant a license to any person who possesses a recognized qualification in the Indian System of Medicine under this Act and successfully qualifies the National Exit Test conducted under section 15. Such individuals shall be authorized to practice Indian System of Medicine, and their names and qualifications shall be enrolled in the State Register. Additionally, the Council shall ensure that no unqualified person practices the modern scientific system of medicine. The Council shall take necessary and expedient actions against unqualified individuals practicing modern medicine, as deemed appropriate. The Council may take disciplinary actions in respect of any professional or ethical misconduct by a registered practitioner of Indian System of Medicine, and in doing so, it shall act in accordance with the rules, regulations and the guidelines framed, under the Act.
 - (iii) The State Council shall collaborate with the central regulatory bodies and address State specific needs.

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3. **Meeting of the Council** : The Council shall meet at such time and place and every meeting of the Council shall be summoned in such manner as may be provided by regulations.
4. **Duties of Registrar** : (1) Subject to the provisions of this Act or subject to any general or special orders of the Council, it shall be the duty of the Registrar to keep the register and discharge such other functions as are required to be discharged by him under this Act or by the rules made thereunder.

(2) The Registrar shall, so far as practicable, keep the register correct and up to date and may from time to time, enter therein any material alteration in the addresses or qualifications of the practitioners. He shall also remove from the register the name of the registered practitioner who die or who under the provisions of this Act, cease to be entitled to remain on the register.
5. **Income of the Council**:- The income of the Council shall consist of – a) registration fees, fees for renewal, etc. received from the practitioners; (b) grants received from the Government; and (c) any other sums raised by the Council.


This order issues with the approval of the Cabinet dated.8th November,2024.

Sd/-
(Dr. Joram Beda, IAS)
Commissioner & Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya,
Health & Family Welfare Department

MemoNo. Health.250/2021/51-A
Copy to:-

Dated Shillong, the 4th December, 2024.

1. P.S. to the Chief Minister, Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of the Chief Minister.
2. P.S. to the Deputy Chief Minister, Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of the Deputy Chief Minister.
3. P.S. to the Minister I/c Health & Family Welfare Department, Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of the Minister.
4. P.S. to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Shillong for kind information of the Chief Secretary.
5. The Principal Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Health & Family Welfare Department, Shillong.
6. The Commissioner & Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Health & Family Welfare Department cum Mission Director,National AYUSH Mission (NAM) Meghalaya, Shillong.
7. The Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya, Health & Family Welfare Department, Shillong.
8. All Deputy Commissioners.
9. The Director of Health Services (MI)/ (MCH&FW) /(Research), Meghalaya, Shillong
10. The Director Information and Public Relations, Meghalaya, Shillong.
11. The Director, Printing & Stationery, Meghalaya, Shillong for publication of the Notification in the Meghalaya Gazette.
12. The State Informatics Officer/Senior System Analyst, NIC, Meghalaya with a request to upload the Notification in the State Government/Department Website.
13. Dr.(Mrs) Bisolin Dhar,State Nodal Officer,National AYUSH Mission, Meghalaya, Shillong.
14. Dr(Mrs)Nakani Wanroi Toi, Consultant (BAMS),National AYUSH Mission,Meghalaya,Shillong.

By orders, etc.

(Shri.T.G.Momin,IAS)
Joint Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Health & Family Welfare Department
