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Government of Tripura
Health & Family Welfare Department

Dated, Agartala the 10th March, 2020

MEMO

Subject:-Advisory on Novel Coronavirus disease 2019 - regarding.

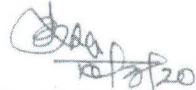
With a view to avoid and contain the spread of COVID-19 Novel Corona-virus disease and pursuant to the advisory of MoHFW vide its memo No.Z.21020/14/2020-PH dated 5th March, 2020, it has been decided that mass gatherings in any form may be avoided or possibly be postponed till the above noted disease spread is contained. All concerned are requested to take necessary action on restrictions on mass gathering etc. so as to avoid any severe acute respiratory illness (SAR) case and influenza like illness (ILIs) including COVID-19. In case such mass gathering cannot be avoided in that case it is to be ensured by the organizer to take precaution as per risk communication material sent to all concerned. This restriction may continue until further order

2. To contain the chain of infection particularly from Bangladeshi immigrants, the Land Custom Authority and BSF authority should issue necessary directive to all of their staffs deployed in the LCS to follow the personal hygiene protocol. For the time being immigrants with suspected case history and suffering from any respiratory symptom should be assessed properly before their entry into our State. Moreover, all Border Huts may be closed for the time being in consultation with Bangladesh authorities.

3. All DM& Collectors should take necessary initiative for sanitization drive at periodical interval in all Bus/Truck terminus, shopping mall, cinema hall etc. and awareness generation drive may be taken up in those places through audio visual mode etc. Setting up of Help desk at Dharmanagar Railway station/ISBT/ISTT may be ensured for awareness generation and self reporting by travelers. Besides, periodical review of the situation may be made through District Surveillance Unit meeting.

4. The District Health Officials (CMOs) should ensure proper functioning of identified quarantine places and also steps should be taken to identify more such places for any emergency. Since the matter is of public health concern, so due caution to be taken for sanction/recommendation of any leave of health service provider.

5. For any queries regarding the above matters State Surveillance unit(0381-2315879) may be contacted.

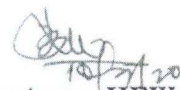

(Dr.D.Basu)
Secretary, HFW

To

1. All DM & Collectors
2. All SPs
3. All CMOs

Copy to:

1. PS to the Chief Secretary
2. IG, BSF, Shalbagan, Tripura, Agartala.
3. Supdt. Of Immigration, all LCS.


Secretary, HFW