

**GOVERNMENT OF NAGALAND  
DIRECTORATE OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE  
NAGALAND::KOHIMA**

No: DHFW/IDSP-10/nCoV-1(PF)/2019-2020/7237-44 Dated Kohima the 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2021

✓ To,

**The Chief Medical Officer**

Dimapur, Kohima, Peren, Phek, Kiphire, Zunheboto, Wokha, Mokokchung, Tuensang, Longleng, Mon.

**Subject: Free COVID-19 testing for Women and children facing violence and in distress under Women helpline-181 and Sakhi-One stop Center, Social Welfare Department, Nagaland**

Dear Madam/Sir,

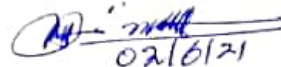
In reference to letter No. SW/12/MISC-5/ and as requested from the Social Welfare Department, the following measures are to be taken in COVID-19 testing facilities immediately on the subject cited above.

1. There will be no charge for COVID-19 testing for all *women and children facing violence and in distress identified by Women Helpline-181 (WHL) and Sakhi-One Stop Center (OSC)* in all COVID-19 testing facilities under the State Government as and when necessary.
2. The respective Nodal Department will produce necessary proof and documentation for the testing.

This is necessary as there is no provision of funds under the same and the client will not have the resources. Also, such settings are conducive for super spreader events if necessary, precautions are not taken.

This is for information and necessary action.

Yours Faithfully,



**(DR. NEIKHRIELIE KHI MIAO)**

**Principal Director**

**Directorate of Health and Family Welfare**

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1. The Deputy Secretary to Chief Secretary, Government of Nagaland for kind information
2. The Principal Secretary to the Government of Nagaland, Health & Family Welfare Department for kind information.
3. The Commissioner & Secretary, Social Welfare Department, Government of Nagaland.
4. The Mission Director (NHM)/ Director (Health)/ Director (Family Welfare)/ Director (ME&RS)/ Director (Dental)/ Project Director (NSACS)/ Project Director (NHP), Directorate of Health & Family Welfare, Nagaland Kohima for information and necessary action.
5. The Nodal Officer i/c of every district, Directorate of Health & Family Welfare, Nagaland Kohima for information and necessary action.
6. The Deputy Commissioner & Chairman of District Task Force of all districts for kind information. Office copy/Guard file.
7. The Respective Medical Superintents.
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