GOVERNMENT OF NAGALAND
DIRECTORATE OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
NAGALAND : KOHIMA

No: DHFW/COVID-19/ 8481 - 83

Dated Kohima, the 28% July, 2020

ORDER

Subject: CONSTITUTION OF COVID-19 DEATH REVIEW COMMITTEE

In order to review the deaths among the COVID-19 positive cases, so as to ascertain the cause, circumstances leading to the deaths, and appropriate reporting of such deaths as per ICMR and ICD-10 protocols, the State COVID-19 Death Review Committee is constituted comprising of the following members:

1. Dr. Vizolie Z. Suokhrie, Principal Director: Convenor
2. Dr. Kevichusa Medikhru, Mission Director (NHM): Co- Convenor
3. Dr. Kikamen Longkumer, Forensic expert: Member
4. Dr. Seyiechutuo Solo, Pathologist: Member
5. Dr. CW Nyuthe, Physician: Member
6. Dr. Kezholevo, Chest Physician: Member
7. Dr. Margaret Yhome, Microbiologist: Member
8. Dr. Taku Jamir, CMO (SAG), NU, Meriema: Member
9. Dr. Nyanthung Kikon, SNO, IDSP: Member Secretary

Similarly the CMO / MS of all districts are directed to constitute District COVID-19 Death Review Committee comprising of officers from District Health Authority and subject experts from District Hospital/Health Centre. The district committee will review all COVID-19 positive deaths and submit the report and attach relevant documents to the emails: pddhfw@gmail.com and nlssu.idsp@nic.in. Also all concerned are directed to refrain from reporting such deaths as due to COVID-19 before review by the State committee.

Enclosed: ICMR/NCDIR Guidance for appropriate recording of COVID-19 related deaths in India

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Copy To:
1. The Commissioner and Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department, Nagaland for information
2. The CMO / MS of all districts for information and necessary action
3. The officials concerned
4. Guard File/ Copy.

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