## GOVERNMENT MEDICAL COLLEGE & HOSPITAL, SECTOR-32, CHANDIGARH Hospital (Building), Sector-32, Chandigarh-160047, Phone 0172-2665253-57, Fax No. 0172-608488 HOSPITAL ADMINISTRATION BRANCH-II

## CIRCULAR

In compliance to memo No.NVHCP/UT/2022/02-05 dated 06.01.2022 of the Director Health Services-cum-Mission Director (NHM), Administrative Block, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, GMSH-16, Chandigarh that as per the mandate of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India, free diagnostics and management services need to be provided under the National Viral Hepatitis Control Programme (NVHCP) in Chandigarh for viral hepatitis (A, B, C and E), in all health care institutions of Chandigarh.

Accordingly, a category under "NVHCP Free" has been created in GMCH to provide Free Services under the National Viral Hepatitis Control Programme (NVHCP) Chandigarh and Registration is also free on the recommendation of Consultant on the Registration Form.

Hence, It has been decided :-

- All viral hepatitis diagnostic tests like HbsAg, Anti-HCV, HAV and HEV serology testing (RDT, ELISA, CLIA etc) and viral load testing (CBNAAT / TRUNAT / RT PCR etc.) in all the departments within the institution like Microbiology Lab, ICTC Lab, ART Centre, Blood Bank, Emergency Wards (Surgery, Orthopaedics etc.) Labour Room etc. will be provided Free of Cost to all patients in GMCH under category "NVHCP Free".
- All required investigations like CBC, LFT, RFT, INR etc for any Positive case of Viral Hepatitis also will be provided Free of cost under category "NVHCP Free".
- All the clinical services (like free drugs, required investigations and OPD / IPD Services) being provided to any case of Viral Hepatitis, will be provided Free of cost under category "NVHCP Free".

Dated, Chandigarh the 14-02-2022

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Prof. Sudhir Kumar Garg Medical Superintendent

Endst. No. GMCH-HA-II-EA3-(215)-2022/

1 8 FEF 2022 Dated:-

A copy is forwarded to the following for information and further necessary action:-

The Director Health Services-cum-Mission Director (NHM), Administrative Block, 2<sup>nd</sup> 1. Floor, GMSH-16, Chandigarh.

The All the HODs, GMCH-32, Chandigarh. 2.

The Chairman, Emergency Services, GMCH, Chandigarh. 3.

The HOD MRD,GMCH-32, Chandigarh- with the request to instruct the fee counter to 4.

The HOD (IT), GMCH-32, Chandigarh - with the request to upload the same in the 5. GMCH website.

The DMS-I & II, GMCH-32, Chandigarh. 6.

The EMO, GMCH, Chandigarh 7.

The DC (F&A), GMCH, Chandigarh. 8.

The Store Officer, Central Store, GMCH, Chandigarh. 9. The Dispensary Superintendent, GMCH-32, Chandigarh. 10.

The Nursing Superintendent, GMCH, Chandigarh. 11.

The Law Officer, GMCH-32, Chandigarh. 12.

The RTI Cell, GMCH-32, Chandigarh 13.

PS to DP for kind information of DP please. 14.

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> Office Superintendent (HA-II) Medical Superintendent

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