F.No.- NHSRC/PHA/18-19/PublicHealthCadre/07 Government of India Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (National Health Mission)

Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi Dated the 17th July 2020

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Constitution of an Expert Committee on Public Health Management Cadre- ToR - reg.

It is directed to convey the constitution of an expert committee on Public Health Management Cadre (PHMC) with the following composition, with the approval of competent authority, with NHSRC providing the secretarial services. The Terms of the Reference of the Committee is also given below. The composition of the Committee is as under:

- 1. Sh. Vikas Sheel, JS (Policy) Chairperson
- 2. Dr. Rajani Ved, ED-NHSRC Co-chair

Members of the Committee:

- 1. Principal Secretary (Health) West Bengal, Jharkhand
- 2. Mission Director (NHM)- Bihar, Odisha, Chhattisgarh and Madhya Pradesh
- 3. Director of Health Services Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu
- 4. Nominees from development partners WHO
- 5. Dr. Madan Gopal, NITI Aayog
- 6. Dr. Subhash Salunke (Public Health Expert)
- 7. Advisor (HRH), NHSRC
- 8. Member Secretary Dr. Himanshu Bhushan, Advisor (PHA), NHSRC
- 9. Any other member can be co-opted with the permission of Chair

Terms of the Reference (ToR) of the Committee are as under:

- 1. To recommending core principles of PHMC
- 2. To suggest model PHMC structure (with a related population norm) specifying
- State directorates
- District and block structure
- Programme management units at state, district and block level
- **3.** Career progression for Medical officers, specialists, nurses, CHOs, and allied health professionals
- 4. To study financial implications for a few states on implementation of PHMC
- 5. To study best practices in States where Public Health system is functional.
- 6. To map public health institutions and available public health seats in the country.

It is to further convey that the committee may form working groups for

undertaking a specific task/work (eg, study financial implications of implementing PHMC for different States) and is requested to submit the core principles and framework of PHMC within a month, though studying financial implications and best practices may be requiring additional three months. It is further informed that the committee may continue to guide the States in the implementation of Public Health Management Cadre.

(Dr. N. Yuvaraj) Director (NHM-I)

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All the Members of the Committee

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