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**Health and Family Welfare Department
National Health Mission, Himachal Pradesh**



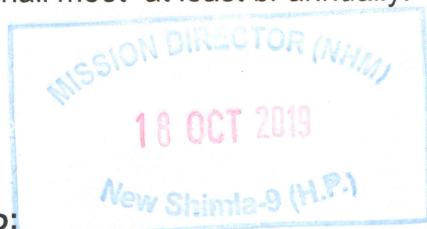
NOTIFICATION

Government of Himachal Pradesh is pleased to notify State Technical Coordination Committee on TB co-morbidities (STCC), to accelerate the process of ending TB in Himachal Pradesh by 2021 and to ensure smooth implementation and regular review of all TB co-morbidity collaborative activities.

The STCC meeting shall be organized at least bi-annually by the State TB Cell, NHM. Composition and terms of reference of State Technical Coordination Committee shall be as under:-

a. Additional Chief Secretary, Health:	Chairman
b. Director Health Services:	Vice Chairman
c. Mission Director, National Health Mission,	Vice Chairman
d. Director Medical Education and Research:	Member
e. Project Director, SACS:	Member
f. State TB Officer:	Member
Secretary	
g. Director, STDC:	Member
h. Chairman, State Task Force:	Member
i. State Nodal Officer: NPCDCS, NTCP, IDSP, MCH, Health & Wellness centres:	Members
j. State Program Officer (BSD, CST, TI Division of HP SACS):	Members
k. WHO RNTCP consultant:	Member
l. Representative of NGOs working with RNTCP:	Member
m. Representative of NGOs working with other programs:	Member

The STCC will provide administrative approval for TB-Comorbidity activities recommended by State TB comorbidity Technical Working Group (STWG). The STCC shall meet at least bi-annually.



(By Order)

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**Additional Chief Secretary (Health) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh**

Copy to:

1. The Additional Chief Secretary Health to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh for information please.
2. The Director Health Services Himachal Pradesh for information please.
3. The Director Medical Education, Himachal Pradesh for information and necessary action please.
4. The Director RD and PR, Himachal Pradesh for information and necessary action please.
5. The All Deputy Commissioner , Himachal Pradesh for information and necessary action please

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6. Project Director HP SACS, Hari Villa Khalini Shimla for Information please.
7. The Principal all Medical Collages in HP for information and necessary action please.
8. All the Chief Medical Officers in Himachal Pradesh for information and necessary action.
9. The Sr. Medical Superintendent TBS Dharampur, District Solan for information and necessary action.
10. The Chairman STF Himachal Pradesh for information and necessary action please.
- 11.State Programme Officer NPCDCS, NTCP, IDSP, MCH, Health & Wellness centres for information and necessary action.
- 12.WHO RNTCP Technical Consultant for information and necessary action.
13. All the above Members.

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Terms of Reference:

- a. To ensure implementation of TB-comorbidity and the RNTCP-MCH collaborative activities as per national frameworks.
- b. To ensure that all District Nodal Officer for all programs are in place.
- c. To address issues related to sub-optimal detection of TB among clients attending facilities of other programs and linkage to DOTS and comorbidity treatment services.
- d. Policy decisions to implement all new initiatives recommended by the NTWG.
- e. To take measures to strengthen participation of general health system staff in TB Comorbidity activities.
- f. To take measures to strengthen TB infection control practices at all health facilities, including those but not limited to those caring for TB comorbid patients, including TB-HIV, TB-Diabetes, TB-Tobacco, malnourished.

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