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National Health Mission-HP

SDA Complex, Kasumpti, Shimla-9

Himachal Pradesh

Dated: Shimla-171009, the

To

All the Chief Medical Officers  
Himachal Pradesh

Subject: Regarding Dengue cases reported on IDSP-IHIP  
Portal and measures to be taken

Sir/ Madam

It has been observed that Dengue Cases have started to escalate in the districts as per the reports on IHIP IDSP specially w.e.f month of August 2023 onwards

In this regard, it is therefore reiterated to ensure the following measures to be implemented by the districts for preventing any impending outbreak in the near future.

1. Hospitals must be discreet for any exigency including Dengue Ward Establishment with dedicated beds and necessary drugs/supply for case management.
2. Proper ensuring of well functioning of identified diagnostic facilities for Dengue with availability of diagnostic kits
3. Rapid Response Teams must be kept well equipped for timely deployment to the affected areas for early containment of disease.
4. Intensified Vector Control Measures with focused entomological monitoring in order to keep larval indices level low.
5. Blood banks should be vigilant for keeping sufficient quantity of blood components.
6. Ensure logistics availability like diagnostics, insecticides and equipment in order to escape any stock out at periphery.
7. Corrective Measures with focused monitoring regularly done to assess the situation wherever necessary.
8. Strengthening of Inter sectoral activities for vector control followed by community sensitization in a coordinated way.

9. Capacity building of Medical Officers, Health Supervisor, health workers and ASHAs to be ensured in all districts regarding vector Borne diseases.
10. Sensitization of the communities about preventive and control activities in and around home by intensifying IEC/ BCC Activities.
11. Timely reporting from all hospitals/ laboratories performing diagnostic tests for taking up preventive measures to interrupt transmission.
12. All identified Sentinel Surveillance Hospitals/laboratories should be well equipped with adequate diagnostic kits particularly NS1 tests for early diagnosis of the cases.

Keeping in view of above, you are therefore requested to take further necessary measures as suggested and submit the Action taken report to the office of the State Programme Officer NVBDCP HP on email id sponvbdcphp@gmail.com



Mission Director  
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Copy for information to.

1. The Secretary (Health) to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.
2. The Director Health Services, Himachal Pradesh.
3. The Director Medical Education, Himachal Pradesh.
4. All the Principals Medical Colleges Himachal Pradesh.
5. All Medical Superintendents, Medical College & Hospitals, Himachal Pradesh.
6. The SPO Blood Cell, NHM Himachal Pradesh.
7. SPO IEC, NHM, HP with request to kindly disseminate IEC regarding Dengue in paper and digital media.
8. All the District Programme Officers, NVBDCP for information & necessary action.

Mission Director  
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