



### ABSTRACT

Committee – Constitution of Steering Committee at State Level for monitoring the progress of health and providing support in achieving time bound focused results under the Aspirational District program – Orders – Issued.

#### Health and Family Welfare (EAP II-1) Department

G.O (Ms) No.527

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Read:

1. From the Additional Secretary & Mission Director (NHM), Aspirational District Unit, New Delhi dated 04.4.2019.
2. From the Additional Secretary, Government of India, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, New Delhi D.O.No.11012/5/2018-FP-II, Dated: 2.04.2019.

#### ORDER:

In the reference read above, the Additional Secretary and Mission Director (NHM), Government of India, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare has stated that, the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India is committed to achieve the desired Health outcomes by prioritizing the implementation of key programs and interventions in 117 Aspirational Districts keeping in view of the Honorable Prime Minister's vision of 'Transforming India by 2022'. To enable a holistic growth in Health of all the Aspirational Districts, a Steering Committee at State level is proposed to oversee and drive the strategic framework for priority programs and policies. Hence, the Additional Secretary and Mission Director (NHM) has requested to constitute a Steering Committee at State level for monitoring the progress of Health and providing support in achieving time bound focused results under the Aspirational District program.

2. After careful consideration, the Government have decided to constitute a State Steering Committee on the above lines of the Additional secretary and Mission Director (National Health Mission) as follows and orders accordingly.

Sl. No	Structure and Composition	Position in authority
(i)	Chairperson- Principal Secretary (Health)	Secretary to Government, Health and Family welfare
(ii)	Co-Chair- Mission Director (NHM)	Mission Director, National Health Mission
(iii)	Convener- State Nodal Officer, Aspirational Districts	(1) Member Secretary, State Planning Commission (2) Commissioner, Department of the Economics and Statistics
(iv)	Members	
	State Officer In-charge, RCH	Additional Director (Maternal and Child Health)
	State Officer In-charge, Maternal Health	Joint Director (NHM)

State Officer In-charge, Family Planning	Director of Family Welfare
State Officer In-charge, Immunization	Joint Director (Immunisation)
State Officer In-charge, Adolescent Health	Joint Director (HEB)
State Officer In-charge, Child Health	Deputy Director (Research)
State Officer In-charge, RNTCP	State Tuberculosis Officer / Additional Director (TB)
State Officer In-charge, NCD	Deputy Director (NCD)
State Officer In-charge, Health and Wellness Centres	Additional Director (Universal Health Coverage)
State Officer In-charge, Quality Assurance	Joint Director (Inspection)
Representative from MoWCD	Director of Integrated Child Development Services Director of Social Welfare Director of Social Defence
State Head, Development partners	Director of Medical Education Director of Medical and Rural Health Services Commissioner of Indian System of Medicine and Homeopathy Deputy Commissioner for Health
State Program Manager (SPM)	State Programme Manager, NHM
State Finance Officer, NHM	Financial Advisor and Chief Accounts Officer

3. The following shall be the terms and reference for the State Steering Committee.

(a) Strategic Guidance:

- To develop actionable recommendations based on the progress of performance indicators and ensure implementation of the same
- To guide the districts and take corrective activities based on supportive supervision findings of the mentors
- To oversee the preparation of District Health Action plans and subsequently prepare State Health Action Plan for Aspirational Districts.

(b) Program Review and Strengthening:

- To review key performance indicators from NITI Aayog's dashboard for each district
- To formulate State Mentors' team as suggested in Operational Guidelines to monitor performance on core thematic areas

(c) Inter-sectoral coordination: To ensure harmonization with other governmental departments like WCD and non-governmental implementing partners as well as key stake holders.

(d) To review district wise innovations and best practices for possibility of scale up in other Aspirational Districts of the State

(e) Other activities suggested by NSC-AD or as deemed relevant for program progress in Aspirational Districts.

4. The State Steering Committee shall meet as per the convenience of the Chair on a Quarterly basis as soon as possible, if warranted.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

**BEELA RAJESH**  
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To

The Member Secretary, State Planning Commission, Chennai -5,  
The Commissioner, Department of the Economics and Statistics, Chennai – 6.  
The Mission Director, National Health Mission, Chennai -6.  
The State Tuberculosis Officer , Chennai - 8  
The Director of Integrated Child Development Service, Chennai – 113.  
The Director of Social Welfare, Chennai - 5  
The Director of Social Defence, Chennai - 10  
The Director of Medical Education, Chennai – 10.  
The Director of Medical and Rural Health Services, Chennai – 6  
The Commissioner of Indian System of Medicine and Homeopathy, Chennai – 106.  
The Director of Family Welfare, Chennai – 6  
The State Programme Manager/ Financial Advisor and Chief Accounts Officer / Additional Director,  
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