



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Abstract

Health & Family Welfare Department – Automation of Clinical Pathology and Central Lab service and improvement of lab facilities in all Government Medical Colleges - Orders issued.

HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (S) DEPARTMENT

GO (MS) No.478/2010 /H&FWD Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 23.07.2010

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ORDER

The Clinical labs attached to Government Medical Collegiate hospitals in the state are functioning with old technology and conventional method of testing and hence the CLIP labs working from 8.00 AM to 3.00PM could cater to only a few patients including OP & IP. After 3PM most of the investigations are being referred to private labs since the conventional methods are unable to cope up with the huge rush of patients for clinical testing. The private labs are levying huge rates for each test. Referring samples for testing outside the hospitals have created much difficulties to the patients as well as to the doctors. Therefore Government have decided to improve the functioning of the labs attached to Government Medical Collegiate hospitals by installing modern equipments wherever necessary in this regard.

In the above circumstances the Hospital Development Societies attached to the Government Medical Collegiate hospitals are authorized to procure the necessary equipments as a part of modernizing labs attached to Government Medical College hospitals utilizing HDS funds and by following usual rules and procedures. Principals of Medical Colleges and Superintendents of collegiate hospitals will take necessary steps for running the labs with the approval of HDS committees.

(By Order of the Governor)

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The Principal, All Government Medical College in the State
The Chairman, Hospital Development Committees of all Govt. Medical Colleges
The Superintendent of All Govt. Medical College Hospitals
The Accountant General (A&E)/(Audit), Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram
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