

Government of West Bengal
Department of Health & Family Welfare
Hospital Administration Branch
Swasthya Bhawan, GN 29, Sector V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata - 700 091

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ORDER


Number of Covid positive cases in the State has been under control since last couple of weeks in comparison to the daily positive cases during the peak period of 2nd surge. This could be achieved due to rapid vaccination, adherence to Covid appropriate behaviour and active interventions of local bodies, general administration and community as a whole. Hence, for the time being the number of beds at government hospitals reserved for Covid patients are scaled down for the benefit of non Covid patients.

In view of the above decision, following steps are to be taken:

1. Although the upward trend of Covid cases could be arrested but there is no room for complacency. Hence, one or two Covid hospital/ward with adequate number of CCU/HDU/Covid PICU facilities and general beds should be kept ready in each district. Rest wards may be temporarily used for non Covid patients.
2. In case of the districts, the above decision to be taken in consultation with the District Magistrate. For Kolkata, this decision will be taken by MD, NHM.
3. Covid volunteers and other staff engaged at the other hospitals/wards to be released immediately.
4. One or two Safe Homes in the district to be kept ready. Rest may be closed temporarily.
5. The equipment, MGPS etc installed at other Covid wards should not be relocated/dismantled.
6. HR, if deputed to Covid wards on detailment to be sent back from where withdrawn.

This order will take immediate effect.


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