

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
HEALTH MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

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Sub: HM&FW – Containment, Control and Prevention of Novel Corona Virus (COVID 19) – DO's & DON'Ts – SOPs for surveillance- directions issued – regarding

Ref: Video Conference held on 4.3.2020 with Chief Secretary to Govt., Government of AP

You are well aware that WHO has declared the recent Novel Corona Virus (COVID 19) epidemic which has affected 75 countries as Public Health Emergency of International Concern. WHO also classified risk assessment as very high at the regional and global level.

In the present scenario, there is a need for activation of District Cell under your control for Containment, Control and Prevention of Novel Corona Virus (COVID 19) Outbreak. In view of this unprecedented event, preventive and promotive strategies should be designed and put in place for containment and prevention of spread of disease in the community.

In addition to the instruction issued by the Chief Secretary in Video Conference dated 4th March 2020, please find attached the DOs & Don'ts and Standard Operational Procedures for surveillance and to contain & prevent spread of COVID 19. You are requested to communicate the same to the line departments and to general public and to ensure that wide publicity is issued on this subject.

Your personal attention to this subject will not only prevent the Novel Corona Virus spread but also will remove the confusions and apprehensions created in the general public.


Spl. Chief Secretary to Govt.,

Encl: DO's & DON'T's, SOPs and District Level Committees

To
All the Collector & District Magistrates