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No. EDN-H(Ele)(4)-10/2019-(Health)-
Directorate of Elementary Education
Himachal Pradesh.

Dated: Shimla-171001 the, April, 2019

To

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All the Dy. Directors (EE),
Himachal Pradesh.

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24/04/19

Subject:-

Regarding support to observe National De-worming Day and
Vitamin A on 1st May 2019 in Himachal Pradesh.

Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed herewith copies of letter No. HFW-
H/NDD/2017-4494 dated 25-03-2019 received from Mission Director, National Health
Mission, HP on the subject cited above.

In this context, you are requested to go through the contents of the
letter and take appropriate action under intimation to this Directorate and to the quarter
concerned.

Encls: As above

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Jt. Director (S)
Directorate of Ele. Edu.
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1
Date 18-04-2019

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The Mission Director, National Health Mission, Phase-3, Sector-6, Kangnadh, New Shimla, Himachal Pradesh for information please.

Jt. Director (School)
Directorate of Ele. Edu.
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1

Endst.No. EDN-KGR-(E-7))-Misc/2017-18

Dated: 25/04/2019

Copy forwarded in original to all the Block Elementary Education Officers with the direction to go through the contents of the letter and take appropriate action under intimation to this office .

Handwritten signature in green ink.
Deputy Director Elementary Education
Kangra at Dharamshala

NO. HFW-H/NDD/2017 4494
National Health Mission,
Phase-3, Sector-6, Kangnadhhar
New Shimla, Himachal Pradesh

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To,

The Director
Elementary Education

The Director
Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh



Dated, the Shimla - 9

Subject: Regarding support to observe National De-worming day and Vitamin A on 1st May 2019 in Himachal Pradesh

Sir,

National Deworming day is biannual event to be celebrated every year. Focus is to improve nutrition and anaemia status among the children from age group of 1 yr till 19 yrs. It will be **one day activity** all over the state among all Govt., Govt. Aided and Private schools, play schools and Anganwari centres. Since both Albendazole and Vitamin A are to be given Biannually as per GoI & WHO guidelines, hence it has been decided to club both activities on single day for children from 1-5 years of age. For children above 5 years of age, only tablet Albendazole will be given.

Children between 1-5 yrs will be covered through Anganwari centres in rural areas and Anganwari centers /PHC/ Play schools in cities and urban areas. Students studying from Nursery till class 12th will be covered in schools. It is to be jointly organised by **Health, WCD and Education department**.

Children between 1-5 years will be given 2ml Vitamin A syrup first, subsequently after gap of 5 minutes tablet Albendazole to be given for chewing followed by water. Above 5 years age, only tablet Albendazole will be given for chewing followed by water.

The NDD will be conducted on **1st May 2019** in all schools, with mop up on **8th May, 2019** for left out children who missed consuming Albendazole on 1st May round.

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WBB

R. Chandan
21/4/19

Support from Education department required is as under:

- Nominate one Nodal school teacher from each school; both Government and Private schools. The nodal teacher will be oriented by Health department regarding activities for NDD. Nodal school teacher will further inform other teachers of school on De-worming day activities
- Ensure display of IEC material on De-worming and Vitamin A in class rooms and school notice boards
- Inform parents in advance regarding De-worming day and ensure 100% attendance and participation of students till class 12th by continuously motivating students on consumption of Tab Albendazole and its benefit for health
- Arrange Parent Teacher Meeting (PTM) in school.
- Rallies by students on importance of De-worming and Vitamin A for awareness of community.
- Health information to students with emphasis on hand washing, hygiene, sanitation during morning assembly
- Insure adequate supply of Medicine (from Health department) and safe drinking water as per requirement based upon total students in school upto 12th class.
- Have adequate reporting formats and students attendance register on day of De-worming
- If due to school absenteeism or sickness someone misses medicine Albendazole, **mop up for all missed children** and out of school children will be done on Mop up day due on 6th November.
- Monitor the activity in government and private schools

Dose: All teachers should know that children above 2 yrs of age receive full tablet Albendazole. Always tell child to chew the tablet (गोली निगलने से पहले चबाएँ) **Under no circumstances, children are allowed to take tablet home for consumption.** Only under direct supervision of school teacher the tablet should be chewed first and then give water to drink. This tablet can be taken on empty stomach

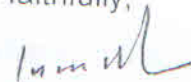
Side Effects: Albendazole tablet is very safe. If some child complains of vomiting, or pain in abdomen tell the child to lie down in shade/inside room. Keep child under observation for half an hour give him only water to drink. In case of emergency 108 services is available. The contact no. of Medical Officer at nearest PHC and ANM in nearest sub centre should always be available with Nodal School teacher

Reports: Children who were present on De-worming day and given tablet Albendazole as well as absentee students will be recorded. Submit report to ANM when she comes to collect the record. On Mop up day record of missed students given Albendazole should be submitted to ANM separately. One copy of reporting format to be kept in school for record keeping.

Kindly issue letters to your district and block level officers for attending District/ Block level Workshop in their respective districts, and cooperate to make NDD successful in State. It is also requested to inform and issue instructions to all the Private schools and Central schools/ Navodya schools/ Play Schools and Kindergarden to cooperate with Health department officials and motivate school children to consume Medicine on NDD

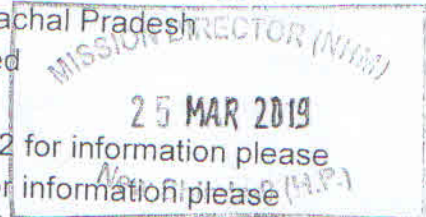
I look forward to your support in making NDD successful.

Yours faithfully,



Mission Director
National Health Mission
Himachal Pradesh


Dated



Endst No. HFW-H/NDD/2017

Copy forwarded to:

1. Addl. Chief Secretary (Health) to the GoHP, Shimla-2 for information please
2. The Director Health and Family Welfare, Shimla-9 for information please
3. All the Chief Medical Officers in Himachal Pradesh for information and necessary action please



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