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F.No. Allo/Amphotericin B/132-21/13

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Date: 20.05.2021

**Subject :- Allocation of Injection Amphotericin B for the State of Maharashtra.**

- Ref :- 1.D.O. letter No. 31026/39/2021-pricing dated 11<sup>th</sup> May 2021.  
2. Letter from Medical Education and Drug Department bearing no. sankirn-2021/pr.kr.42/aushdhe-2 dated 20.05.2021

Whereas the demand for Amphotericin B Injection for the treatment of mucormycosis is rising in the state of Maharashtra

And whereas the number of patients of this disease has been intimated to Food and Drug Administration, M.S. by the Health Department and MCGM respectively;

And whereas the Government of India vide letter No. 31026/39/2021-pricing dated 11<sup>th</sup> May 2021 has allocated 16500 vials of the said drug to the State of Maharashtra;

And whereas it is necessary to distribute this drug in an equitable manner across the districts based on the number of patients as intimated by the Health Department and MCGM;

And whereas it is necessary to ensure a centralized distribution to avoid black marketing and hoarding;

Therefore it is directed that

- i. The quantities as indicated in the Government of India allocations to the state of Maharashtra shall be distributed in a manner as indicated in Annexure A.
- ii. The manufacturers shall supply the quantities to MCGM and to the Commissioner of Health/ Haffkine as per their Purchase orders.
- iii. It shall be the responsibility of Health Department to distribute the procured quantities as per the district wise allocations indicated in rows 1 to 34 of Annexure A.
- iv. Within the districts, the health department may develop appropriate mechanism to meet the demands of private hospital from the stocks of the said drug made available to them in coordination with the District Collectors.

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- v. All manufacturers / Suppliers of Amphotericin Injection shall be bound by these orders and shall keep informed Food and Drug Administration of all quantities being supplied in the State.
- vi. Within the MCGM jurisdiction, Additional Commissioner (Health) BMC may develop appropriate mechanism to meet the demands of private hospitals from the quantities procured by Municipal Corporation of Greater Mumbai.

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1. Commissioner, Health Services and Mission Director, National Health Mission for necessary action
2. Commissioner, MCGM, Mumbai for necessary action
3. Additional Commissioner (Health), MCGM, Mumbai for necessary action
3. All District Collectors for necessary action and monitoring the same.
4. All the Joint Commissioner (Drugs) for necessary action and monitoring the same.
5. All Assistant Commissioners (Drugs) /Drugs Inspectors, Food and Drugs Administration, Maharashtra State for necessary action and monitoring the same.

Copy Submitted for information:-

1. Additional Chief Secretary, Public Health Department, Maharashtra.
2. The Secretary, Medical Education and Drugs Dept., Mantralaya, Mumbai
3. PS to Hon'ble Minister, Food and Drugs Administration, Maharashtra.
4. PS to Hon'ble State Minister, Food and Drugs Administration, Maharashtra.

