Government of Punjab Department of Health and Family Welfare

To

- 1. All Deputy Commissioners, Punjab
- 2. All Civil Surgeons, Punjab

No. IDSP/NHM/Pb/20/5781-5824

Date: 28/05/2020

Subject:

Regarding Screening of those leaving the State via Airports, Railway stations and Road.

With reference to the above mentioned subject, all Deputy Commissioners are requested to ensure health screening of those leaving the State via Air Travel/Trains/Road.

- a. All the persons leaving the state will be screened for the COVID symptoms (Fever, Cough, Sore Throat and Breathing Difficulty).
- **b.** Symptomatic cases will be tested for COVID as per protocol. Persons tested positive will be shifted to Level 1, 2 or 3 health facilities as per their clinical status.
- **c.** Asymptomatic persons and those tested negative from "b" will be allowed to leave the State with advice that on arrival they should follow the advice of the receiving State.

Human resource available in the Department of Health and Family Welfare will not be deployed for COVID-19 screening of persons leaving the state. Manpower from other departments may be utilized for this purpose as medical and paramedical and other support staff of Health and Family Welfare Department are needed for extensive house to house surveillance for active case finding of COVID-19. Department of Health will provide equipment/material and training required for this purpose.

Director Health Services, Punjab

No.IDSP/NHM/Pb/20/5825-5828

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A copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information:

- 1. Chief Secretary to Govt. of Punjab.
- 2. Principal Secretary to Chief Minister.
- 3. Principal Secretary Health and Family Welfare.
- 4. Secretary Health cum MD, NHM.

Director Health Services, Punjab