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To:

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health insurance Companies
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Third Party Administrators "TPA"
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Subject: Diagnostic test for Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Greetings,

We would like to extend you our greetings wishing you every success.

As part of the continuous efforts of monitoring health care system response for Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19), and to ensure proper utilization of the available health care resources, we would like to prioritize the use of PCR diagnostic tests for COVID-19 for the patients who meet the case definition and the contacts of the case.

Based on the above, all health care facilities are required to fulfill the following directives:

PCR Test for COVID-19 to be done for beneficiaries as a part of the existing insurance schemes defined for suspected patients presenting with acute respiratory infection (whether mild or severe) based on the medical assessment and history of exposure in the last 14 days in addition to the following cases:

- Close contact with a confirmed or probable case of COVID-19 infection or
- COVID-19

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Coming recently from travel in the last 14 days

or

Key positions personnel important for continuity of the emergency response efforts and Healthcare and emergency services personnel based on ADPHC directions.

For other cases presenting to health care facilities with no symptoms or medical indication for testing, the cost of the test is covered by those individuals directly.

We hope that all will adhere to the above, for the best interest of work.

Thanking you for your kind cooperation,

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Circular No (07) 2020

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To:

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Directors of Health Insurance Companies
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Directors of Third Party Administrators
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Subject: Coverage of Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) screening and treatment

Greetings,

We would like to extend you our greetings wishing you all the best and success.

We hereby inform you that this Circular updates Circular No 04 dated 06/02/2020 issued by the Department of Health regarding the coverage of novel coronavirus screening.

Accordingly, all healthcare providers must consider suspected cases of COVID-19 as emergency cases until further notice. This includes the diagnosis, treatment and hospital admission for suspected cases that fulfill the case definition for the following categories:

1. UAE nationals
2. Non-UAE nationals insured or uninsured, residing or not residing, working or not working in the Emirate of Abu Dhabi
3. Non-UAE nationals visiting the Emirate of Abu Dhabi from outside the country
4. Individuals in contact with suspected cases that meet the case definition

The theme of the Circular is

الموضوع: تغطية فحص وعلاج مرض فيروس كورونا (COVID-19) 2019

تحية طيبة وبعد...

بدافع، نše أن نقدم لكم خاصًا التحية والتفاني ممتنين لكم دوام التوفيق والسداد.

لا تعود أن نفديكم علمًا بالتحديث النادر على تعليمات دائرة الصحة رقم 04/2020 بخصوص فحص الميكر فيروس كورونا الجديد.

وعليه، فإن على جميع مقدمي الخدمات الصحية اعتبار الحالات المشتبهة بالخضرة بمرض فيروس كورونا حالات طارئة حتى إشعار أخر، ونشر ذلك التشخيص العالمي والعلاج والتعليم للحالات التي يكفي عليها التعرف وذلك

للنوايا التالية:

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3. المقيمين أو غير المقيمين، العاملون أو غير العاملون في إمارة أبوظبي.
4. الوافدين الزوار القادمون إلى إمارة أبوظبي من خارج الدولة

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