TIMA NEWS MESSAGE – JUNE 2022

Greetings from NHB IMA TNSB!

Our NHB Chairman Dr. S.Karthick Prabhu has gone to Chennai on 10.06.2022 to meet the Labour Welfare Minister & Labour Secretary and had explained the problems in minimum wages, given representations that has already been submitted to the earlier minimum wages revision committee and also requested him to reform the committee and settle the issue at the earliest. He was very receptive and agreed to look into this issue at the earliest.

We had our 125th NHB Zonal Meet-2022 for East Zone was held on 22nd May 2022 from 10:00 am to 4:00pm at Reena Mitra Hal, Tanjavur, hosted by Tanjavur IMA. We have to thank you very much Tanjavur IMA leaders for excellent hospitality, very good arrangements and very delicious food. It was physical meeting where able to clarify the doubts of our Members Hospitals.

We had our 72^{nd} Management Committee & GB Meeting was held on 22^{nd} May 2022 from 4:00pm to 6:00pm at Reena Mitra Hal, Tanjavur.

During the discussion the following were decisions made.

Minimum Wages: It is decided to meet Hon Labour Minister at the earliest and proceed further to form the Review Committee. It is decided to express that it would be better if the same members are continuing. To meet the Minister/Secretary and to inform them not to take any action on that law as some of our members are being put high amount of fine. It is decided to consider legal remedy if every efforts failed. It is to inform our member hospitals to give the pay to their staff in accordance with 2009 Basic + Current DA + Other allowances.

Fire Safety: It is decided to meet Health Secretary to bring the guidelines circulated by him in a letter dated 25.04.2022 as a GO.

Insurance: To conduct a High level Insurance Conclave and to invite all insurance companies. To meet Hon Health Minister and CM Insurance scheme in charge person to increase rates and to prohibit the grading of hospitals unto 7.

BMWM: It is decided to ask the facilitators to maintain the rate already informed by the Coordination Committee. To sensitize our hospital staff for proper segregation of BMW. To take steps to eliminate pure consultation rooms from Consent & Authorization.

Solid Waste Management: To arrive at a suitable solution for the CWM in our hospitals very soon, in lobbing with Municipal & Panchayat administration authorities.

Appointment of Dist. Coordinators: 34 District Coordinators were selected and they were introduced 4 Districts are yet to be filled (Kanchipuram, Nagapattinam, Mayiladuthurai & Tiruvarur). Soon to define the Roles & Responsibilities of the Dist. Coordinators and send it to them. List of member Hospitals to be informed to them. To plan a State level Dist. Coordinators training.

Merging of the two Accounts – FDs & MMDs: No merging of accounts at present.

Starting NHB Members groups: It is decided to do the validation of membership and starting of members groups in social media.

NHB Express: Continue NHB express & Increase our presence in TIMA into two pages.

Unethical practice by members hospitals: Send communication to member hospitals to avoid unethical practice, if we get any complaints from public or other members.

Any Other Matters: Rs. 1 lakh for Hospital Board of India to be paid soon. It was decided not to spend or transfer the fund in NHB to any other cause of IMA TNSB or as it was very much opposed by the Founder & Convener of NHB Dr.V.Varadarajan

Long Live IMA! Long Live NHB!

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