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NATIONAL HEALTH MISSION
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Circular

- Subject:** Regarding COVID-19 vaccination in industrial establishments/Hospitals of industrial establishments
- Reference:**
1. Liberalised pricing and accelerated national Covid-19 vaccination strategy from MoHFW-GOI dated 21.04.2021
 2. Guidance for approval of COVID-19 vaccines in India for restricted use in emergency situation which are already approved for restricted use by US-FDA, EMA, UK-MHRA, PMDA Japan or which are listed in WHO emergency use listing (EUL) from CDSCO, DGHS-GOI dated 15.04.2021

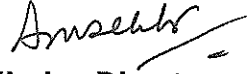
As per the guidelines on Liberalized Pricing and Accelerated National COVID-19 vaccination strategy by MoHFW-GOI w.e.f from 1st May, the ready to use imported COVID vaccine would be allowed to be utilized entirely in the other than Govt. of India channel. Government of Karnataka encourages private sector hospitals and industrial establishments to actively procure COVID-19 vaccines and conduct vaccination as per GOI guidelines. This would greatly complement government's efforts in reaching out to as much population in the state as soon as possible.

In this regard, the following guidelines are issued for private sector hospitals and industrial establishments procuring vaccines directly from manufacturers.

To initiate COVID-19 vaccination in industrial establishments:

1. The industrial establishments having their own hospitals can procure vaccines directly from manufacturers and conduct vaccination by obtaining due approval from concerned RCHO after providing procured vaccine details.
2. The industrial establishments who do not have their own hospitals have to tie up with empanelled hospitals for procurement as well as for conducting vaccination. These hospitals intending to conduct vaccination should also provide the procured vaccine details to the district RCHO and seek approval.

3. Industrial establishments with their own hospital/ private hospitals should conduct vaccination only through Co-WIN portal registration and follow all operational guidelines of Covid-19 vaccination.
4. These institutions should ensure appropriate cold chain as prescribed by vaccine manufacturer during transport and also for storage at institution/hospital.


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