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D.O. No. 7/48/2020-NHM-I  
Dated the: 01<sup>st</sup> November, 2021

Dear Colleague,

At the outset, I wish to share the appreciation for the huge participation from the States/UTs virtually, in the launch of the **PM Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission** Scheme by Hon'ble Prime Minister from Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh on 21<sup>st</sup> October 2021. As you are aware, the on-going COVID 19 has made it apparent that India's health systems need to be better equipped to address public health needs across primary, secondary, and tertiary care levels and further, this COVID 19 pandemic has shown that significant investments are needed to strengthen public health systems.

Further, reference is invited to the D.O letter no. 7/48/2020-NHM-I dated 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2021, from Secretary (HFW), MoHFW, Gol to all the States/UTs vide which the State Specific overall fund allocation and year wise physical deliverables expected under the CSS component of the scheme is enclosed. (Copy of letter attached).

As you are aware, the Operational Guidelines of **PM Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission** scheme have also been shared with the States/UTs by hosting the on 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 in Varanasi, Uttar Pradesh. (same is available at <https://main.mohfw.gov.in/node/5648> and <https://nhsrcindia.org/pradhan-mantri-aatmanirbhar-swasthya-bharat-pm-asby>), detailing about the timelines for planning and proposing the activities, appraisal, approval and release of funds to effectively implement the scheme. The format for planning and sending the proposals to Ministry is also provided in the Operational Guidelines (Appendix 2.1 Pages 19-20 of the Guidelines). The MoU, that is to be entered by the State, is also enclosed at **Annexure-A**. A copy of the MoU is also included in the Guideline at Annexure –I Page 54 to 62.

To further assist the States/UTs in planning process, the resource envelope for each year under the scheme detailing Year Wise physical deliverables and financial outlay for 2021-22 and 2022-23 duly factoring in the XV-FC grants is also enclosed at **Annexure-B**, to enable the States/UTs for preparing the plans for the two years under the scheme.

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Therefore, States/UTs are requested to prepare their plans (ABHIM-PIP) for FY 2021-22, and FY 2022-23 according to the details given in the Operational Guidelines, physical deliverables and resource envelope. The ABHIM-PIP so prepared may be sent along with the required supportive documents by 20<sup>th</sup> November, 2021.

I would like to request your support for effective implementation of the **PM Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission**.

Please free to contact NHSRC or MoHFW team for any clarifications required.

warm regards

Yours sincerely,

  
(Vikas Sheel)

To

- **Additional Chief Secretaries/Principle Secretaries/Secretary (Health) of all States/UTs**

Copy to:-

- Mission Director-National Health Mission of all the States/UTs
- PPS to Secretary (HFW), MoHFW, Gol
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- Director-NHM (I,II,III & IV), MoHFW, Gol