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**KARNATAKA STATE AIDS PREVENTION SOCIETY**  
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Date : 15-05-2019

To

The President,  
Karnataka State Medical Council,  
#16/6, Miller Tank Bed Area, Vasanthnagar  
Bangalore -560052.

Dear Sir,

Sub : Supreme Court direction on information from Private Practitioners about ART patients.

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With reference to subject cited above, in Writ Petition © No. 535 of 1998 of Sahara House vs Union of India & Ors, the Hon'ble supreme Court of India has passed a directive dated 01-10-2010 for reporting of HIV cases from private Doctors which is reproduced below :

*"As far as private Doctors treating HIV patients are concerned, we hereby direct Medical Council of India to implement our above directions within two weeks from the reporting format being put on the Website. The MCI, in turn will issue appropriate directions to the private doctors to furnish the requisite information in the ART Reporting Format to NACO".*

The Board of Governors, in supersession of Medical Council of India has issued letters to All State Medical Councils vide NO. MCI-211(2)/Gen/2018-Ethics/144828 dated 06-11-2018 to direct the Medical Practitioners registered with the Councils to ensure that there is mandatory reporting of HIV patients from Private Doctors. Further any violation of the above direction shall be considered as breach of direction of Hon'ble Supreme Court.


The reports can be sent to NACO as a hard copy or in the quarterly reporting format by email at privateartksaps@gmail.com. The reporting format has been attached with this letter.

In view of the above you are requested to circulate this information to all Medical Colleges for immediate compliance.



Copy to

1. The Secretary, Medical Education Department, Bengaluru
2. The Principal Secretary, Health & Family Welfare Services, Bengaluru
3. The Commissioner, Health & Family Welfare Services, Bengaluru.

  
Project Director,  
Karnataka State AIDS Prevention Society,  
Bangalore.

Quarterly ART Reporting Format for Private Sector

Name of District & State:	
Reporting Month & Year:	

Name of Reporting centre / Doctor:	
Complete Address:	
Email :	
Contact No ( land line & Mobile):	

	Male	Female	Children	TG	Total
No. of PLHA registered with you in HIV care					0
No. of PLHA ever started on ART by you/ your centre					0
No. of PLHA currently on ART with you/ your centre					0
No. of PLHA initiated on "First Line ART (NNRTI) based regimen					0
No. of PLHA switched to Second line ART (PI based ) due to toxicity to NNRTI					0
No. of PLHA switched to second line (PI based) due to treatment failure					0
No. of PLHA started on an initial second line ART (PI Based)					0
No. of patients referred to Government ART centre					0

Guidance on Rational ART Regimen	
First Line ART regimen	2 NRTI ( or 1 NtRTI + 1 NRTI) + 1 NNRTI
Alternative first line ART	2 NRTI ( or 1 NtRTI + 1 NRTI) + 1 PI (due to NNRTI toxicity)
Second line ART	2 NRTI ( or 1 NtRTI + 1 NRTI) + 1 PI ( due to treatment failure)

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