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To

All the Civil Surgeons
In the State of Punjab,

Medical Superintendent
MKH Patiala & C.H. Jalandhar.

All the Dy. Medical Commissioners
In the State of Punjab.

SUBJECT: CONTINGENCY FUNDS FOR TELEMEDICINE CENTRES.

As you are already aware that presently there are 22 Telemedicine Centres operating in the PHSC hospitals i.e. 19 in District Hospitals (except C.H. Faridkot) and 3 in SDH i.e. Pathankot, Ajnala and Dasuya. In addition to this, there are 3 Telemedicine Centres in Medical Colleges i.e. Rajindera Hospital Patiala, Guru Nanak Dev Hospital Amritsar and Medical College Faridkot.

2. During the implementation of the scheme, it was felt that there is a requirement by each Telemedicine Centre for meeting the expenditure relating to computer stationery, display boards consumable, printer cartridges and minor repair for the computer hardware and peripherals. An amount of ₹ 1000/- pm was sanctioned by the Managing Director PHSC in May, 2010.

3. In the past, as per the requirement, the funds were released to concerned DMC for this purpose. It has been felt that some time delay occurs in release of minor funds so it has been decided in principle that the funds can be released by the concerned DMC to the concerned Telemedicine Centre of the PHSC as well as of the Medical Colleges for meeting out these contingency expenditure. DMC of the concerned district should call funds by raising monthly demand of funds from the PHSC. The concerned DMC will ensure the release of funds for the next month after obtaining the requisite expenditure details of the previous month from Telemedicine Centre. It may be noted that expenditure should not exceed ₹ 1000/- pm in any case. If the expenditure per month is less then the actual expenditure should be reimbursed.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

GENERAL MANAGER (F&A)

Cc to :

- i) The Principal Medical Colleges, Rajindera Hospital Patiala, Guru Nanak Dev Hospital Amritsar and Medical College Faridkot for information.
- ii) Senior Medical Officers of the Hospitals where Telemedicine Centres are operational for information.
- iii) Nodal Officer of the Telemedicine Centres for information.
- iv) The Dy. Manager (F&A) PHSC for information.