

EDN-H(8)-2020-21/Misc. Directorate of Higher Education Himachal Pradesh

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**29** August,2020

To

The Principal (s) Govt. College (s)/ 95% GIA college (s) Himachal Pradesh

Regarding Entrance Examination for admission to all undergraduate medical Subject: courses in all medical colleges in the country.

This is in reference to D.O. letter No. 14(1)/NTA/NEET/CS/2020 dated 16.08.2020 (copy enclosed) received through the Secretary (Education) to the Govt. of H.P. vide letter no. EDN-A-Ka(4)-4/2019 dated 25.08.2020 wherein communicated that the NEET (UG)-2020 is going to be conducted on 13th September, 2020 (Sunday) in single shift on the same day across the country, as a uniform entrance examination for admission to all under graduate medical courses in all medical colleges in the country (including AIIMS and JIPMER), in the terms of the provisions of Section 14 of the National Medical Commission (NMC) Act, 2019.

Keeping in view of the above, you are directed to co-operate the concerned authorities and take further necessary action accordingly if your college is made examination centre for

above prestigious/high stake examination.

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Copy for information to :-

1. The Secretary (Education) to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh Shimla-2 w.r.t. above letter no. & dated for information please.

2. Dr. Vineet Joshi, Director, General National Testing Agency, Block-C-20, 1A/8, Sector 62, HTK Outreach Centre, Gautam Buddh Nagar, Noida-Uttar Pradesh w.r.t. above letter no. & dated for information please. .

3. The Technical Officer (Computer/IT Cell), Directorate of Higher Education, Himachal Pradesh with the request to upload the same on departmental website.

4. Guard file.

Joint Director of Higher Education

Himachal Pradesh

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Dr. Vineet Joshi, iAS



## राष्ट्रीय परीक्षा एजेंसी National Testing Agency

D.O. N14 (1)/NTA/ NEET/CS/2020 Date: 16,08,2020

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Respected Sir,

Kindly refer to my previous D.O. letter of even number dated 19/07/2020 regarding the conduct of NEET (UG) 2020.

As conveyed earlier, the NEET (UG)-2020 is going to be conducted on 13th September 2020 (Sunday), in single shift on the same day across the country, as a uniform entrance examination for admission to all undergraduate medical courses in all medical colleges in the country (including AIIMS and JIPMER), in terms of the provisions of Section 14 of the National Medical Commission (NMC) Act, 2019.

It may be mentioned that keeping in view the academic interest of large number of students, the Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) has agreed to the proposal of MHRD for conducting this Entrance Examination as well as other examinations in the month of September 2020. Based on this, the MRHD (now Ministry of Education), Government of India issued OM no. 16-16/2020-U1A dated 06-07-2020 on the above subject, a copy of which was also endorsed to you by the Ministry. Accordingly, it was decided to go ahead with the conduct of this examination on 13th September 2020.

The list of Examination Centres alongwith the list of City Coordinators of the Exam Cities in your Btate/UT for this exam is attached, for reference.

Advisories are being issued to the Examination Centres for adopting necessary precautions/safety measures in view of Covid-19. A copy of these Advisories is also attached for reference.

For the smooth conduct of this prestigious/high stake examination, you are requested to issue suitable Instructions to the concerned Department(s)/Authorities/District Administrations to extend necessary cooperation to the Exam Functionaries on the ground, including the following:

a) The Examination Centres in the Exam Cities in your State/UT should be allowed to open and operate for all activities before the exam, during the exam and after the exam on 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> September, 2020.

Free movement may be facilitated in the Exam Cities in your State/UT on 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> September 2020 for the candidates and their escorts, Exam Personnels (City Coordinator(s)/Observers/Centre Superintendents/Deputy Centre Superintendents/Invigilators/Support Staff) as well as the Staff/Representatives of our Service providers for CCTV/Jammers/Frisking, etc. (Innovatiview, Electronic Corporation of India Limited – ECIL & Bharat Electronics Limited-BEL, etc.), for this

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