INSTRUCTIONS FOR SELECTED PUBLIC ACTIVITIES/WORK SETTINGS
FOR THE PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF COVID-19

The instruction notes are given for a range of public activities and work settings. Some sectors such as tourism, large shopping malls, event management, etc. would require reference to several instruction notes.

The Instructions are subject to overall permission given by the Ministry of Health to resume functions (totally/selected).

Each instruction note is issued by the Director General of Health Services, Ministry of Health and Indigenous Medical Services and are for the establishment/owner/ responsible authority to follow in prevention of transmission of COVID-19.

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TOWARDS A NEW NORMAL
46. Tourism and hotel sector

The tourism sector constitutes several public activities with a range of services. The following separate instructional notes would apply:

1. Restaurants
2. Conduct of conferences/seminars
3. Use of taxi services
4. Use of Trisaws
5. Public and private vehicle parking
6. Garbage Handlers, Street Cleaner and Cleaning Staff
7. Security officers
8. Swimming pools and beaches
9. Places of Alcohol and Tobacco Sale
10. Parks (Children/Public)
11. Indoor spots
12. Gymnasium
13. Offices (Public and Private)
14. Shops
   - Opening up of hotels is subject to government permission
   - Accommodation to all foreign guests is subject to the prevailing conditions and guidelines given for control of COVID-19 by the Ministry of Health and complying with quarantine procedures
   - All foreign guests should have health and travel insurance to cover any cost of treatment/hospitalization

Specific message/Instruction/s

For the employees

- All employees should be given a strict orientation on the precautions to be taken at different locations of establishment
- Strict identity and contact details should be maintained of all employees and guests (inhouse and day guests)
- The establishment should ensure the health and safety of all employees daily
- The establishment should ensure to verify the health status of all clients before entrance and daily thereafter
- You are required to fill the provided Assurance form, indicating compliance with the instructions given. The original of the Assurance form should be submitted to the area Medical Officer of Health. A copy of the same should be sent to the local government authority (municipal council/urban council/pradeshiya sabha) and another copy should be kept with you. The owner/employer/manager of the organization/premises is responsible to ensure that the above guidelines are strictly adhered to.

Method/s of instruction;

- Educate using mass media, social media
- Guidelines to made available through Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Ministry of Tourism

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