Government of Pakistan

Ministry of National Health Services, Regulations & Coordination

LG & RD Complex, Sector G-5/2, Islamabad

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NOTIFICATION

The Secretary, Ministry of National Health Services, F.No.1-1-VIR/PHLD(IPC)2018 Regulations and Coordination (M/o NHSRC), Islamabad is pleased to constitute National Infection Prevention & Control (IPC) Steering Committee to oversee the standardization and implementation of IPC policies and standards, provide technical guidance and monitoring oversight for IPC activities at all health care settings under the following composition and Terms of References (ToRs)-

Composition:-

1	Director General Health, NHSR&C	Chairperson/ Convener
	NIII	Member
2	Executive Director, NIH	Member
3	Animal Husbandry Commissioner, MoNFSR	Member
4	Director Programs, NHSR&C	Member
5	National Focal Person AMR, NIH	Member
6	National Focal Person AMR, NVL	Member/ Secretary
7	National Focal Person for IPC, NIH	Member
8	Infectious Disease Specialist/Physician, Medical Directorate, Pakistan	Wiemoer
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9	Infectious Disease Specialist/Physician, PIMS, Islamabad	
10	Infectious Disease Specialist/Physician, Holy Family Hospital,	Member
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11	Infectious Disease Specialist/Physician, Shifa International Hospital,	Mennoer
	Islamahad	Member
12	Infectious Disease Specialist/Physician Aga Khan University, Karachi	Member
		Member
13	Representative ICT Healthcare Regulatory Authority	Member
14	Representative Healthcare Commissions Punjab, Sindh & Khyber	Member
	Pakhtunkhwa	Member
15	Representative WHO	Member
16	Representative CDC	Member
17	Representative MMIDSP	TVICITIOCI
18	Any other Co-opt member	

Terms of References (ToRs):-

- 1. To facilitate and coordinate the development of a National IPC setup
- 2. To coordinate efforts to standardize IPC guidelines, operating procedure and activities in all healthcare settings at all levels.
- 3. To act as an advisory and oversight body for all IPC related activities in the country.
- 4. To coordinate all IPC related activities in all sectors to ensure a systematic, comprehensive approach aligned with the objectives and strategic priorities of the National IPC Plan

- 5. To review and monitor implementation in line with National IPC Plan including M&E frameworks.
- 6. To provide a platform for information sharing with relevant national and provincial stakeholders, including human and animal sectors
- 7. To meet regularly to ensure all partners are adequately briefed on activities under IPC

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