## Resolutions of 2<sup>nd</sup> Fortnightly Coordination Meeting of TI, STI, ICTC and CST Components of NACP-IV dated 17.03.2015:

Venue: Conference Room, WBSAP&CS, Swasthya Bhawan, Kolkata-91

Date: 17.03.2015

Time: 4 p.m.

## Attended by:

- Shri Biplab Das, Dy. Secretary in Dept.of H&FW, Govt.of West Bengal and Dy. Project Director, WBSAP&CS
- Dr. D. N. Goswami, Joint Director (TI) & Chief Coordinator, STI, TI and CST Divisions, WBSAP&CS
- Dr. N. K. Halder, Joint Director (BSD), WBSAP&CS
- Dr. Pankaj Kr. Mandal, Joint Director (CST), WBSAP&CS
- Dr. Anindya Sen, Regional Coordinator (CST), NACO
- Ms. Papia Dastidar, Asst.Director (Nursing), WBSSAP&CS
- Mr. Jagadish Jana, Asst.Director (GIPA), WBSAP&CS
- Ms. Tina Mitra, Assistant Director (TI) and Nodal Asst.Director for TI,STI & CST, WBSAP&CS
- Ms. Ishita Das, Store-In-Charge, WBSAP&CS
- Ms. Kiran Misra, Team Leader, TSU
- Ms. Moumita Majumdar, DPM, DAPCU, Kolkata
- Shri Kishore Kr.Shaw, President, BNP Plus
- Shri Tarit Chakraborty, Secretary, BNP Plus

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The second fortnightly coordination meeting of TI, STI, CST and ICTC was held on 17.03.2015 at 4 p.m. at the WBSAP&CS' Conference Room, Swasthya Bhawan, Kolkata-91. The same was convened by Dr.D.N.Goswami, Joint Director (TI) and the Chief Coordinator of TI, STI & CST Divisions, WBSAP&CS. The Dy.Secretary in Dept.of H&FW, Govt.of West Bengal and Dy.Project Director, WBSAP&CS chaired the said meeting.

Dated: 24-03-2015

The meeting begun with sharing the resolutions of the 1<sup>st</sup> fortnightly meeting by the Chief Coordinator that was held on 27.02.15 and acceptance of the same by the house. After detailed discussion on different agenda items, the following resolutions were adopted.

• It has been noted that ARTC-CSC monthly coordination meetings are not being held at all the centres on regular basis and if held, the minutes of the same are not being shared

with the state. As it is important to conduct regularly such meetings for better coordination as well as address issues of referral-linkage gap etc., therefore, ARTC coordination meetings are to be regularly ensured and minutes of the same to be shared with concerned division as well as the Chief Coordinator (TI, STI, CST). HIV-TB coordination issues also to be included in the agenda of the said meeting. A circular from the end of Dy. Project Director, WBSAP&CS will be issued in this line.

- There has been scarcity of STI/RTI drugs at block level health facilities as being reported. The same may be considered in future. Also, training on STI/RTI syndromic management would be provided to the existing Medical Officers of BPHCs to deal with the STI/RTI cases.
- A gap is noted between the cumulative number of Pre-ART registered at ARTCs in the state and the enlisted seropositive members of BNP Plus. Therefore, BNP Plus will have to ensure ART intervention coverage of all its enlisted HIV seropositive members who are till date left out of Pre-ART registration.
- BNP Plus will have to ensure accompanied referral by its ORWs of those newly detected
  HIV seropositive from ICTC to ARTC for Pre-ART registration in order to prevent any
  linkage loss. Considering the manpower issue, initially this will be started with the
  Kolkata centres. In the next fortnightly coordination meeting BNP Plus will bring data of
  NRS MC&H and MC&H, Kolkata after initiating the accompanied referral as suggested.
- BNP Plus will have to follow up regarding any crisis of any OI drugs at any of the service delivery centres and share the same (with specific mentioning of drug and centre name) with the concerned division with a copy to the Chief Coordinator.
- It has been observed that there is delay in getting dates for different tests for HIV positive patients which may hamper the initiation of ART in time. Joint Director (CST) has been given the responsibility to take up the issue with the concerned hospital.
- It has been brought to the notice by BNP Plus that as there is no uniformity of the identification system of PLHIVs in the state by transport department, they are facing troubles in availing transport concession facilities. Hence, issuance of a uniform identity card by WBSAP&CS may be considered to make the PLHIVs avail special concession on travelling by public transports run by the state govt.
- In case of truckers, migrant labourers, formal transfer out will be done in case of their moving out of the district/state.
- Art Coordination Meeting at each month needs to be conducted in each ART centre regularly where DLNs, DAPCU, DSRCs, ICTCs and nearest TI representatives will be

called to improve the issues of LFU, linkage loss at every tier of service delivery, i.e., from DRSC to ICTC, from TI to ICTC, from ICTC to ARTC, from TI to ARTC etc. The minutes of such meeting and actions taken thereof needs to be sent at each month to the Chief Coordinator, TI, STI, CST, WBSAP&CS within one week of completion of meeting.

• M & E Division, WBSAP&CS will need to provide district linkage gaps to the Chief Coordinator for planning the nest course of action.

The next fortnightly coordination meeting has been scheduled on 02.04.15.

The meeting was concluded with vote of thanks to and from the Chair.

Dy. Secretary in Dept. of H&FW & Dy. Project Director, WBSAP&CS

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