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### **Reporting of measles and other notifiable diseases by private healthcare institutions**

There have been increase in measles cases in the recent past and it is important that measles cases are notified on suspicion/diagnosis. However, it has been noted that the notification by the private healthcare institutions are not satisfactory. Please note that it is a mandatory requirement under the Quarantine and Prevention of Disease Ordinance No.03 of 1897 to report modifiable diseases by the treating physician.

Director General of Health Services by letter No. EPI/151/1/17 dated 17.02.2017 has given instructions on reporting of Measles, Rubella and Congenital Rubella Syndrome. Please share the circular with the private health institutions. Also instruct the institutions to notify the notifiable diseases including measles without fail.

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