

Subject: **Tour Note of Ludhiana visit dated 07/11/2009.**

I visited Hathur, Raikot, Sudhar and Ludhiana on 07/11/2009. I noticed the following things. The concerned officers are requested to do the needful within a time bound manner.

1. Block PHC, Hathur
 - (a) The building is quite old and we need to construct a new building. MD-PHSC may kindly have an estimate prepared. It may be examined if this PHC needs to be upgraded to CHC since there is no CHC in the entire Hathur Block. **(MD-PHSC/DHS)**
 - (b) ANMS – 2 posts of ANMs are lying vacant. One ANM at sub-centre Kanuke and second ANM at Rasulpur. These and other vacant posts need to be filled up at the earliest. **(Civil Surgeons)**
 - (c) Review of ANMs – There is no systematic review of ANMs work. Their work should be reviewed and they be arranged in order of performance so that ANMs who are doing good work can be identified and responsibilities of the ANMs who are not working may be fixed. **(Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana/All SMOs)**
 - (d) ANMs/LHV – Other staff have not been issued any diary as has been done in the case of ASHA workers. We should get diaries printed for these and other employees so that we can easily see the work done by them. **(MD-NRHM)**
 - (e) Registers – We have not got printed all the requisite registers as a result of which large number of simple note books are being used by various workers. We should identify the registers which need to be printed. I asked Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana to have such a list prepared at the earliest along with performa. This exercise may be done in the

office of MD-NRHM/DHS. For example, registers like – OPD/Prescription register, registers for maintaining various accounts in the sub centres/PHCs and at block PHCs, register for review of work of ASHA, ANMs etc at block level, registers of medicines etc.

(MD-NRHM/DHS)

- (f) Post of ANMs – Out of 29 posts, sanction for 23 posts have been received while sanction for remaining 6 posts is yet to be received.

(DFW/Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana)

- (g) Grant to sub-centres – The Annual Maintenance Grant of Rs. 10000/- has not been given to all the sub-centres situated in Government buildings. For example, the sub centres of Sohian, Kothe Sherjung, Cachrari, Dhereka, Gagra, Hathur, Malak have not been given Rs. 10000/- each even though these sub-centres are said to be located in Government buildings. Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana may kindly report.

(Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana)

- (h) We should also release Rs. 10000/- to all sub-centres situated in Panchayat buildings provided the building is reasonably good and there is no proposal to construct a new building in that village. In that case we should own that sub centre and release the grant.

(MD-NRHM)

- (i) Verification of Sub-Centres – Sujapur is still being shown as sub-centre whereas Sujapur is a subsidiary health centre and not a sub centre. It appears that the list of sub centre is still not complete. Civil Surgeon may kindly have the sub-centres verified and in case of any mistake in future responsibility of the SMO would be fixed.

(Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana/NRHM)

2. Sub-Divisional Hospital, Raikot
- (a) SMO – Dr. U.S. Sujh, SMO, Raikot has been given the additional charge of District Health Officer, Ludhiana for about 2 months. We have to post a new District Health Officer. **[ASH(G)]**
- (b) Surgeon – There is no regular surgeon at Raikot and Dr. Satnam Singh has been deputed from Jagraon. **[ASH(G)]**
- (c) Condition of Bathrooms – Condition of bathrooms was extremely bad. Civil Surgeon may kindly fix responsibility about this serious lapse. Washbasins and their pipes were broken/missing.
(Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana)
- (d) Office of Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana – The condition of building of Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana and Civil Surgeon residence is extremely bad and these need to be constructed new without any delay. Civil Surgeon may kindly send a sight plan of the area so that we can obtain the approval of Hon’ble Health Minister for new construction through PIDB etc. **(Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana)**
- (e) Note – Civil Surgeon was asked to tone up the working of SMO, Block PHCs. **(Civil Surgeon, Ludhiana)**

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