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1. Govt Medical College Patiala-Secretary Medical Education & Research-

- (i) **Requirement of more Aphaeresis machines-** The Rajindra Hospital has only one Aphaeresis machine and our experience in Jalandhar tells us that atleast 3 machines each are required in the Government Medical Colleges both at Amritsar and Patiala (**Principal GMC Patiala**).
- (ii) **Blood Bank Patiala-** The Head, Blood Transfusion Department suggested that the blood bank should be upgraded as Model Blood Bank on the lines of Blood Bank in Amritsar. APD, PSACS is requested to put up the papers so that we can request Government of India for requisite action (**APD, PSACS**)
- (iii) **Space for ART Centre-** ART Centre requires one more room and Principal, GMC Patiala is requested to kindly make the requisite accommodation available for smooth functioning of ART Centre (**Principal, GMC Patiala**)

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1. **Civil Surgeon Office-**
 - (i) **Food Inspector-** The role of DHO and Food Inspectors need to be clearly defined (**CS Patiala**)
 - (ii) **Kits for checking adulteration-** Kits are available in the market for checking adulteration. We should also procure these kits and make them available to various Consumable Associations, Office of Civil Surgeons, Food Inspectors etc (**DHS**)
2. **Mobile vans-** Some of the State Governments have deployed mobile vans for checking adulteration on the spot. Kindly find out more details (**DHS**)
3. **Gluco Meter and Strips in Sub-Centres-** Our Sub-Centres have no instruments for measuring sugar levels. Kindly put up proposal for the purchase of Gluco Meters and strips for all Sub-Centres (**MD NRHM**).
4. **Parking-** Parking in Mata Kaushalya Hospital was haphazard. The contractor did not display the parking lines on the road. The contract is going to expire in another week's time and work has not been allotted to new contractor. I suggest that the parking area in the hospital may be demarked with white lines so that vehicles can be parked leaving ample space for free movement for all hospitals (**MS, MKH Patiala / MD PHSC**)
5. **Hospital Administrator-** We should call a meeting of the hospital administrators and they should be given the latest standards of the hospitals so that they can work out the gaps and we can fill up those gaps in a time bound manner (**MD PHSC**)

6. **Store in front of MKH Patiala-** The store is occupying a huge building but the building was locked. Civil Surgeon is requested to have the locks open and personally inspect these stores and send the report to the undersigned (**CS Patiala**)

7. **Nursing School-** Nursing School was functional near Mata Kaushalya Hospital but it was closed and the staff was shifted to Badal in about 1997-98. The school has a very good hostel building and other requisite infrastructure. The Nursing School at Badal has been taken-over by Baba Farid University and therefore, the faculty posts can be reverted to the Health Department. Civil Surgeon Patiala and Medical Superintendent, MKH, Patiala to send a proposal for revival of this Nursing School along with following details-

- (i) The posts shifted at Badal and the latest position.
- (ii) Staff required for Nursing School (GNM diploma) of 50 seats alongwith qualifications.
- (iii) Infrastructure required, infrastructure available and gap if any.

They are requested to send these details well before 31/10/2010 because we will have to send the application to Indian Nursing College, New Delhi by 30/11/2010 well within stipulated time limit of 31/12/2010. I would also call a meeting shortly in this regard (**CS / MS MKH, Patiala**).

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- 1. MD PHSC
- 2. MD NRHM
- 3. DHS
- 4. Medical Supdt, MKH, Patiala
- 5. Civil Surgeon, Patiala