

Minutes of the meeting the College of Venereologists with Director General of Health Services

Date :- 30.03.2016 at 09.30 a.m.
 Venue :- Office of the DGHS
 Participants :- List attached.
 Matters discussed :-

	Issue	Decision Taken	Responsibility
01	Name change of the College and service delivery points	<p>The Consultants stated that name change of the College agreed by the members.</p> <p>Consultants stated about the idea of name change of service delivery points to "sexual health centres" to reduce the stigma and improve access. However, consultants said that they would discuss the matter with the members of the college further and come to a conclusion on the matter.</p> <p>DGHS requested to convene a common discussion with Consultants Obstetricians & Gynecologist and Consultants Psychiatrist. If the name change of service delivery points to be implemented</p>	College
02	Consultant priority list	The College stated that they submitted priority list to MoH.	
03	Laboratory services issues	<p>The Consultant Venereologists stated that this issue is sorted out in PGH Ratnapura and the lack of resources to conduct STD clinics is the main issue at that moment. The Consultants were advised to submit a list of places where there are not enough facilities and invited to present at the HDC meeting.</p> <p>DGHS requested Consultants to identify list of issues and present at the HDC meeting.</p>	
04	Cadre of the MOO	The Consultants stated that they have submitted a list of vacancies of MOO on priority basis to MoH. DGHS requested Consultants to check whether priorities of the College have been included to the transfer list.	D/MS
05	Duty leave	DGHS stated that he will support to grant duty leave and transportation for those who wish to participate college sessions.	DGHS

06	Consultants cadre	It was stated that 03 out of 06 posts have been filled and another one will be appointed in the next list. Dr Thilani Ratnayake is on no pay leave and the post will be advertised after one year from the date of start of the leave. One SR/acting consultant will be appointed to NSACP to cover up duties.	DDG(MS) I
07	MOIC-STD clinics	Decision was taken that the Consultant is the in-charge of STD clinics. In the event of unavailability of the Consultant, MOIC will be the in-charge of the STD Clinics. DGHS agreed to send letter to inform to all Health Institutions.	DGHS



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