



SESSION 6

COVID 19 – PREVENTIVE ACTIVITIES

GUIDE FOR LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENTS



COMMUNITY QUARANTINE CENTRE- MANAGEMENT

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Community Quarantine Centre



- Method of identification and initial actions to start the centre were already explained in the previous session
- The management or conducting the Community quarantine centre shall be discussed in this session



Quarantine

- World Health Organization has declared Covid 19 (SARS – Cov-2) spread as an International health emergency.

- Methods to contain spread of the Virus

- Active observation

- Early detection

- Isolation (Living in separate room)

- Observation In Quarantine

- Case management

- Contact tracing

- Prevention of community spreading



What is Quarantine ?

Quarantine centre is a centre or residence intended to accommodate person who has not been infected with covid 19, but have arrived from elsewhere ie a place infected or was in contact with a person already infected, for the purpose of observation to prevent infection to other person



Covid 19

Isolation

Treatment procedures & system to treat an infected person in solitary condition to prevent infection to other person

Quarantine

A system to isolate & observe those person who had contact with an infected person or suspected to have contact



Community Quarantine Centre

Community Quarantine centers arrangement are different for isolated care, testing and treatment

Community
quarantine
Centre

A centre for accommodating person with possibility of infection under Quarantine with isolation, observation and care
eg- hostel

Covid
diagnostic/
Testing, centre

A lab with testing facility to diagnose whether infected or not
Eg- diagnostic centre

Covid care /
Treatment
Centre

Designated centers / hospital for treating Covid - 19 patients
Eg - Hospitals



Personnel required in a Centre

- Health workers
- Sanitation workers
- Administrative staff
- Volunteers
- Police



Duties expected of functionaries/Personnel



Health workers

- Monitoring health status , temperature recording
- Clinical examination if show symptoms & referral

Sanitary workers

- Cleaning premises building, toilets, bathrooms and rooms
- Disinfestations & providing Beddings clothing and water

Administrative Staff

- Ensure smooth functioning of centre
- Reporting



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Volunteers

- Supply of food in time
- Arrangement of essential items

Police

- Security
- Maintain discipline & control of movement



Infrastructural requirements & Facilities



- Bedroom for isolated living (If possible, bath attached)
- Building ventilated and with sufficient light
- Clean with WASH facility
- System for healthy care
- Sufficient , appropriate food
- In room facility for entertainment and communication
- Waste disposal and management
- Water and Electricity



Essential Items required

- Triple layer mask
- Apron and gloves
- Disposable glasses
- Sanitizer /soap
- Bleaching powder/ Sodium hypo chlorite solution
- Disinfectant items
- Waste collection basket



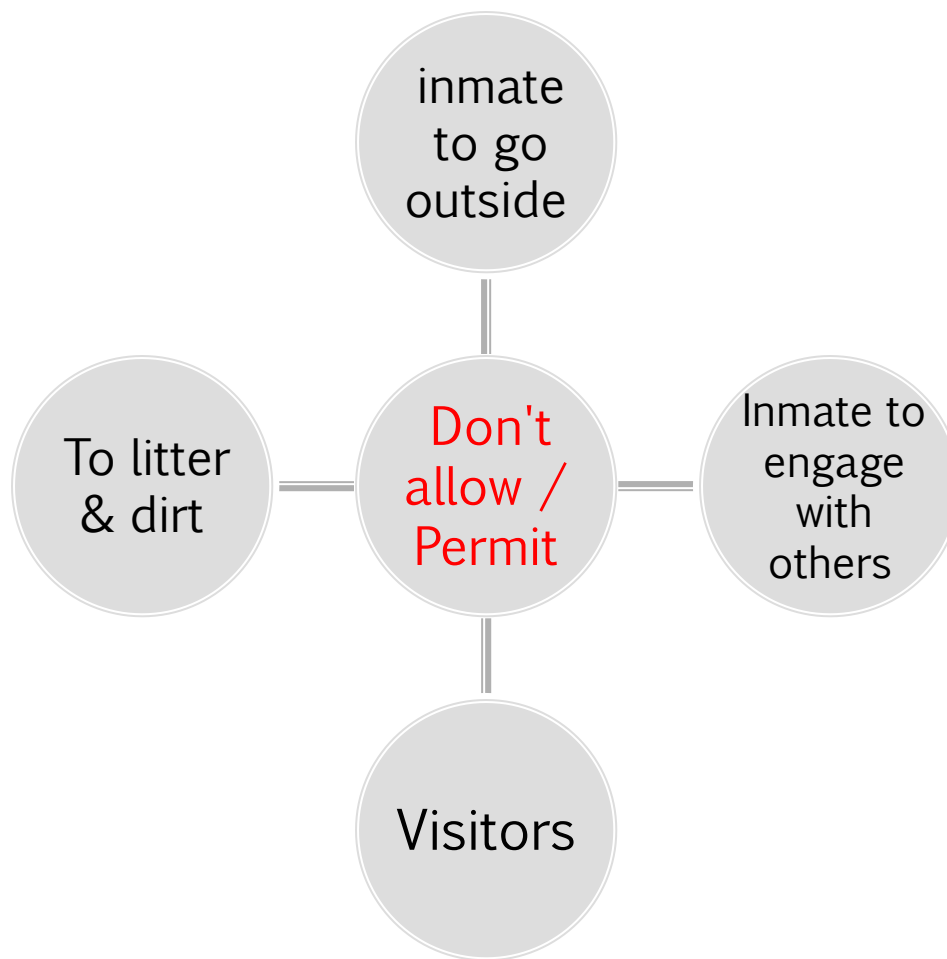
Precaution to be observed by functionaries



When in contact with the inmates

- Observe social distance of one meter (except health workers)
- Wear triple layer mask
- Wear gloves

Health workers should observe all the Precautions as instructed from the health department without fail





Instructions for observation by inmates



- To keep Physical distance
- Observe the instructions of staff
- Don't share any articles and equipments with others
- Inform any health problem in time
- Do the following if possible
 - Wash the plates and glass used
 - Dry your clothing's
 - Wash, towel and bed sheets
 - clean your wash basin, toilets and bathroom
 - Exercise regularly



‘Physical Distancing but social integrity ’

Let it be our approach

Try to provide news paper, books, T V, Internet facility and access for communication with relatives and friends to the inmates



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