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## GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (HEALTH - IV BRANCH)

## Order

ICMR has permitted private laboratories for testing of COVID-19. All these laboratories shall not charge more than Rs. 4500/- per sample for the persons who approach these facilities directly for testing.

For a sample referred to such private laboratory by the Civil Surgeon, the rate would Rs. 2500/- per sample. However, before sending samples to private laboratories, civil Surgeon shall ensure that capacity of Government labs is fully utilized.

(Anurag Agarwal), IAS

Principal Secretary Health & Family Welfare

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A copy of the above is forwarded to following for information & needful action:

- 1. Principal Secretary, Medical Education & Research.
- 2. MD, NHM.
- 3. MD, PHSC.
- 4. Special Secretary, Health & Family Welfare.
- 5. All Deputy Commissioners of Punjab.
- 6. Director Health Services Punjab
- 7. All Civil Surgeons of Punjab.

Under Secretary Health & FW 22 4/2