## DIRECTORATE OF HEALTH SERVICES, ODISHA Health and Family Welfare Department, Government of Odisha \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

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## **Order**

It has been observed that nearly 80% of the Covid-19 infected persons are remaining asymptomatic throughout the course of their illness. As per the guideline, these asymptomatic patients shall be managed with regular monitoring in Covid Care Centres (CCC). However many of the such asymptomatic patients are being referred to different Dedicated Covid Health Centre (DCHC), Dedicated Covid Hospitals (DCH), which leads to the congestion of hospitals with such patients. In view of increasing trend in detection of Covid-19 infected persons, it is now imperative to use the available beds more rationally to ensure availability of Hospital beds for needy symptomatic patients. Hence all the Collector cum DMs, Commissioners of Urban Local bodies and CDM&PHOs of the state are requested to take steps to refer moderate and severe cases to Dedicated Covid Hospitals (DCH) and to facilitate admission and regular follow up of asymptomatic Covid-19 infected persons in Covid Care Centres (CCC) as long as their health conditions remain stable. On the events of deterioration or occurrence of symptoms, the patient shall be shifted to the nearest Dedicated Covid Health Centre (DCHC), Dedicated Covid Hospitals (DCH).

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