## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT

## Order No.22/COVID-19/2020

Dated 10.04.2020

## **COVID INSTANT ORDER - 22**

Sub:- HM&FW Dept., - COVID-19 - Dead body management protocol for suspected COVID patients - Reg

All the District Collectors shall ensure that dead body of suspected COVID patient shall not be handed over to the family members/ relatives

until receipt of the test result of the deceased to avoid unnecessary spread of infection to others. If the test result is turns out to be positive, then the dead

body management protocol which was circulated through COVID INSTANT

**ORDER -10** shall be followed scrupulously.

Further, all the superintendents of the teaching hospitals shall appoint a nodal officer for obtaining the test result of the deceased on hot line mode.

Special Chief Secretary to Government

To

All the Collectors & District Magistrates

The CEO, Dr YSR AHCT, Guntur

The Vice-Chancellor, Dr NTR UHS, Vijayawada

The Director of Medical Education, AP with instructions to communicate to

all the Superintendents of Teaching Hospitals.

The Director of Public Health & Family Welfare, AP

The Commissioner, APVVP

The President, IMA, AP