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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE  
**KARNATAKA STATE AIDS PREVENTION SOCIETY**

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No. KSAPS/LS/M(EL)T/ICTCs/05/2023-24

Date: 13.09.2023

To

The In-charge Officer,  
NABL M(EL)T Programme,  
National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL).  
NABL House, Plot No.45, Sector 44,  
Gurugram-122003.  
Haryana.

Sir/Madam,

**Sub:** Karnataka SCAS-Lab Services-10 Stand Alone ICTCs of Chikmagaluru-  
NABL M(EL)T-Proposal (Legal Identity)-Submission- Reg.

**Ref:** NACO Itr. No. S-12015/23/2007 NACO-LS dt.20<sup>th</sup> May 2021.

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Karnataka State AIDS Prevention Society (KSAPS) was formed in 1997 and functioning as a society under the National AIDS Control Organization (NACO) which is a division of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare of the Central Government of India. The programs of KSAPS are governed by the guidelines of National AIDS Control Program (NACP).

In Karnataka there are 445 (435 + 12 PPP) Stand Alone Integrated and Counseling Centers (SA-ICTCs) that offer counseling and testing services in Medical Colleges, Head Quarters Hospitals, Govt Primary Health Centers etc.

As per NACO guidelines, to maintain and enhance quality of SA-ICTCs through the implementation of Quality Management System (QMS) followed by NABL Entry level Certification. In this regard, the following SA- ICTCs initiated the process of applying NABL M(EL)T certification.

Sl. No.	Name of the District	Name of the SA-ICTCs.
1	Chikmagaluru	CHC-Birur
2		CHC-Panchanahalli
3		GH-Kadur
4		GH-Koppa
5		GH-Mudigere
6		GH- NR Pura
7		GH-Sringeri
8		GH-Tharikere
9		Chikmagaluru-ICTC-P
10		Chikmagaluru-District Hospital

So, hereby consider the above mentioned 10- SA-ICTCs for NABL M(EL)T as per NABL guidelines.



Project Director,  
Karnataka State AIDS Prevention Society,  
Bengaluru.

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1. SA-ICTCS, Chikmagaluru District.
2. DAPCU, Chikmagaluru District.
3. SRL, KMC, Manipal, Udupi District.
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**TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN**

This is to certify that, the ICTC GH N.R.Pura is a part of the General Hospital N.R.Pura, Chikkmagaluru District. This ICTC works under the supervision of the ICTC Medical Officer In Charge at this Health Care Facility.

The Testing & Counselling activities at this ICTC, which is a government entity, is supported by Karnataka State AIDS Prevention Society (KSAPS) & National AIDS Control Organization (NACO).

Administrative Medical Officer  
General Hospital, N.R.Pura  
Chikkmagaluru District.