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PCR TESTING FOR COVID-19

Please note that in addition to the Medical Research Institute, PCR testing for COVID-19 infection has been established at virology laboratories at National Hospital Kandy and Teaching Hospitals Karapitiya and Anuradhapura. Accordingly, it is decided to assign each of the following hospitals to one of these facilities, decentralizing PCR testing for COVID-19.

Hereafter, all samples for this testing should be sent to the designated laboratory only. Sending duplicate samples from single patient to any other laboratory except to the designated laboratory mentioned below should be avoided.

Institution	Designated Laboratory
1 National Institute of Infectious Diseases	Medical Research Institute
2 National Hospital of Sri Lanka	Medical Research Institute
3 Lady Ridgeway Hospital for Children	Medical Research Institute
4 Castle Street Hospital for Women	Medical Research Institute
5 Base Hospital Mulleriyawa	Medical Research Institute
6 North Colombo Teaching Hospital	Medical Research Institute
7 District General Hospital Negombo	Medical Research Institute
8 District General Hospital Gampaha	Medical Research Institute
9 National Hospital Kandy	National Hospital Kandy
10 Teaching Hospital Karapitiya	Teaching Hospital Karapitiya
11 District General Hospital Hambantota	Teaching Hospital Karapitiya
12 Teaching Hospital Jaffna	Teaching Hospital Anuradhapura

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13 Teaching Hospital Batticaloa	National Hospital Kandy
14 Teaching Hospital Anuradhapura	Teaching Hospital Anuradhapura
15 Provincial General Hospital Kurunegala	National Hospital Kandy
16 Provincial General Hospital Badulla	National Hospital Kandy
17 Teaching Hospital Ratnapura	Medical Research Institute

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