



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Health
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

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ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER
No. 32H,s. 1994

Subject: Amendment of Administrative Order No. 68-A s. 1989 re: Revised Rules and Regulations Governing the Registration, Licensure and Operation of Hospitals in the Philippines.

Pursuant to Section 16 of R.A. No. 4226 and consistent with E.O. 119 Section 11.1.2 of DOH Administrative Order No. 68-A, s. 1989 is hereby amended in order to improve the licensing efficiency of BIR.

Section 1: Any hospital of primary category shall have physicians which render services in Medicine, Pediatrics, Obstetrics and Minor Surgery Routine Laboratory service should be available within the hospital to serve the in and out patients being attended to by the in-house physician

For purposes of service extent of routine laboratory service, this includes the following laboratory examinations.

1. Complete blood examination count {CBC}
 - Hemoglobin mass concentration
 - White blood cell count and Leucocyte number concentration and leucocyte: type number fraction.,;
 - Differential count
2. Routine urinalysis
3. Routine fecalysis

The physician who will perform the aforementioned procedures shall undergo one (1) month training on laboratory procedures as indicated and he cannot either charge or release the results if the laboratory is not licensed. Moreover, examinations are limited to hospital patients only.

Section 2 : Effectivity: This order shall take effect immediately.

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