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July 7th, 2017

Dear Sir/Madam,

**RE: ELECTRONIC HEALTH LABORATORY INFORMATION SYSTEMS (ASLM_LIS)
PILOT AT THE 12 PILOT SITES BASED ON THE HLIMS MASTER PLAN 2016**

Electronic Health Management Information Systems (e-HMIS) can be described as a facility based data collection and aggregation system that is used for Public Health-related decision making. Electronic Health Laboratory Information systems(e- HLIMS), whose bigger picture is e-HMIS, can also be referred to as a system that is designed to fulfil the need of automating the National Laboratory Health Information Management.

In the continuous process to improve on e-HMIS, the Uganda National Health Laboratory Services/Central Public Health Laboratories (UNHLS/CPHL) through the Laboratory Information Management Systems Technical Working Group has developed both Paper and Electronic tools to strengthen Laboratory Information Management. The paper based HLIMS was piloted successfully and we now have the electronic-HLIMS that was developed with feedback from the pilot of the paper based. This e-HLIMS (ASLM-LIS) is a mirror of the paper based HLIMS and was developed to ease the adoption process at all sites.

The implementation of the e-HLIMS(ASLM-LIS) pilot will involve one Systems Developer who will work with the assigned HLIMS Focal Person on site. The Developer will camp at the pilot site for five (5) days. He will be accompanied by the HLIMS mentor who will camp at the site for ten (10) working days to ensure the utilization of ASLM-LIS and collect all suggestions and complaints to be improved on by the systems developers. A team consisting of three (3) supervisors will be on hand to ensure standardization of mentorship and training delivery.

Therefore, this letter serves as a notification of the e-HLIMS pilot activity and to introduce to you the ASLM-LIS Developer and Mentor from UNHLS/CPHL-Ministry of Health.

We kindly ask your team to accord the UNHLS-HLIMS team with the necessary assistance to insure the success of this pilot session.

Yours sincerely,

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