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Employers of Conditionally Registered Diagnostic Radiographers on L3 Supervision

DEPLOYMENT OF DIAGNOSTIC RADIOGRAPHERS ON L3 SUPERVISION DURING DORSCON ORANGE

In view of the escalation of the COVID-19 cases, the Allied Health Professions Council (AHPC) noted the need for more diagnostic radiographers to cover the increased diagnostic imaging volume. With this in mind, the AHPC has decided that all conditionally registered diagnostic radiographers who are on L3 supervision intensity and have demonstrated the requisite competencies at or after the 11th month of supervision may be deployed to work independently with remote L3 supervision if the employer deems that he/she is sufficiently competent. The remote supervision can be done at required intervals or via ad hoc checks and/or when consulted by the supervisee.

2 The assigned supervisor(s) for the conditionally registered diagnostic radiographers are to take note that while the conditionally registered diagnostic radiographers may be so deployed, he/she would still need to meet the minimum personal supervision intensity (i.e. 4 hours/2 months) as required under the Council’s Supervised Practice Guidelines.

3 The AHPC would like to emphasise that such deployment is only allowed from DORSCON Orange onwards. Supervisors of conditionally registered diagnostic radiographers would need to submit to the AHPC Secretariat a request for approval of the arrangement for their named supervisees who meet the criteria.

4 Please contact the AHPC Secretariat at ahpc@spb.gov.sg for any enquiries or clarifications.

Thank you.

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