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To

All Private FM Radio Channels

Subject: General Advisory on free vaccine booster dose shots to all citizens above the age of 18 years at all the Government centers — reg.

As you all are aware, in order to check the spread of Covid, a 5-Fold strategy of Test, Track, Treat, Vaccination & adherence to Covid Appropriate Behavior is being followed. The Union Health Ministry had announced a 75-day free vaccination special campaign from 15th July to 30th September, 2022 under the “Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav”, to provide free vaccine booster dose shots to the eligible population (*all citizens above the age of 18 years*) at all the Government centers. To prevent future resurgence of Covid, vaccination is one of the prime interventions against COVID.

2 Media has been at the forefront of informing people at large about the need to adhere to COVID appropriate behavior and other communication relating to vaccination, etc. for combating COVID. It is advised that all the private FM Radio channels may broadcast messages and other content to inform people about the facility for free booster shots at Govt. centers and also the crucial need to get booster shots of vaccination, adherence to COVID appropriate behavior, exercise due precautions, etc.



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