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Complete Shifting from Paper Based Quarterly EPI Return to the Web Based Quarterly EPI Return (WEBIIS)  

As per DGHS circular No: EPID/417/2011/MH dated 17\textsuperscript{th} November 2014, the Epidemiology Unit has successfully implemented the web based Quarterly EPI Return (QEIR). For over a year both the paper based QEIR and the web based QEIR (WEBIIS) have been running parallelly island wide. Following the high coverage of timely data entry into the WEBIIS, the Epidemiology Unit has decided to completely shift from the paper based QEIR to the web based system from the 1\textsuperscript{st} Quarter of 2016. 

Therefore it is mandatory for all MOOH to complete data entry and finalize the web based QEIR in the WEBIIS by 20\textsuperscript{th} of the month following the quarter. Hence MOOH will no longer require to post the paper QEIR. 

The Regional Epidemiologist is expected to monitor and supervise the above process at the MOH offices. 

We greatly appreciate your support in making arrangements for the smooth functioning of this activity. 

Thank you 

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