



PUNJAB HEALTHCARE COMMISSION

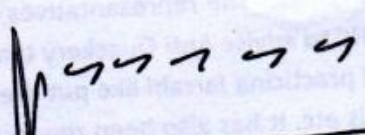
approved by the Federal Government."

7. Under section 2 of Allopathic System (Prevention of Misuse) Ordinance, 1962, "Registered Medical Practitioner" means a person registered under the Medical and Dental Council Ordinance, 1962. Further, section 5 of The Allopathic System (Prevention of Misuse) Ordinance, 1962 provides as under:

"No person other than a registered medical practitioner shall perform any surgical operation other than circumcision, incision of boils and administration of injections."

8. From the foregoing, it appears that a Tabib registered with the NTC is authorized to put dressing on the wounds, treat the boils, abscess, joints and bones with Unani ointments, oils and medicines. The PHC is however, taking up the matter with the National Council for Tibb to clearly elaborate the admissible scope of work Atibba can undertake in the field of Jarrahi so that such confusions are pre-empted for future also.

9. The PHC Surveyors Inspection teams /Anti-Quackery teams may therefore be advised that while inspecting the Matabs, they may not object to dressing of the wounds, treatment of sprains, treatment of bones (*except compound/comminuted fracture*) by the Atibba registered with the National Council for Tibb in line with the Section 33 and section 40(c) of the UAH Act 1965 provided that it does not involve further manipulation/ cutting etc., and provided further that only herbal/ Tibbi medicines and procedures are used in such treatments. Further, de-sealing of the Matabs sealed on account of the practices not to be objected as stated above, may also be undertaken as per PHC policy, subject to no other gross violation of law.


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