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<b>From</b>	Department of Healthcare Professions / Ministry of Public Health
<b>To</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Nursing &amp; Midwifery workforce - All Healthcare Practitioners from (Governmental &amp; Private Sector)</li><li>• All Healthcare Facilities/ focal points in the state of Qatar (Governmental &amp; Private Sector)</li></ul>
<b>Subject</b>	permission of voluntarily practice to feed the health sector with healthcare providers in response to the current the situation of novel corona virus COVID19 in the State of Qatar
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“The Department of Healthcare Professions presents to you its compliments”

In scheme of the exceptional process of the department to deal and manage the COVID 19 updates in the country and from the principle of collated and collaborative effort of everyone. And since the healthcare professionals (specially the nursing workforce) are the most effective, players and front liner whose role is crucial in such health crisis, it has been decided the following:

- Allowing the volunteered healthcare professionals from all categories (who are not licensed in Qatar) to practice through granting them temporary permission for 6 months (renewable) as needed by the healthcare facilities and the healthcare facilities should **only** provide our department with the list of the practitioners .
- Licensed practitioners who wish to work as volunteers with the facility in need (full time or part time) can fully utilize their skills and expertise to assist during this hard time the country is facing
- Extending the recently expired temporary license for additional 6 months if the permanent license process is delayed

This circular is effective from its date,

Thanks for all, wishing safety for all

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**Thank you for your cooperation,**

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