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Sub: Extension of Coverage of "Swasthya Sathi" Scheme

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Under this Scheme already covers Self Help Group Members of Urban Development & Municipal Affairs Department.

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And based on the district report of the Swasthya Sathi the status is as below :

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- 6. The scheme will be effective from 1st April 2016.

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Principal Secretary to the
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From: Jt. Secretary, UD & MA Department &

Addl. Mission Director, DAY-NULM

To, Chairperson/Commissioner/Administrator,

(All ULBs) Municipal Corporation / Municipality / NAA

Sub: Enrolment of SHG members under 'Swasthya Sathi' scheme

Ref. G.O. No.1104-F(P) dated 25.02.2016

Sir/ madam,

In inviting reference to the order & subject sited above, all members of the Self Help Groups (SHGs) are entitled to be enrolled under the 'Swasthya Sathi' scheme. It is understood that ULBs have already enrolled most of the members under the scheme. As per the MIS data presently there are 59370 SHGs & 7,71,810 members. All members are entitled to be enrolled under 'Swasthya Sathi' scheme.

You are requested to submit a report as per the following template.

SI No	ULB	Group	Total mem- bers	Members covered under Swasthya Sathi	Member yet to be enrolled	Remark (If any)

You are requested to submit the above report within 13th of September 2019.

Yours faithfully,

It. Secretary, UD & MA Department

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