Guide to Exercise #8: Accomplishing NTP Referral Forms

Objective

This activity provides trainees the opportunity to familiarize themselves with NTP referral forms and how to fill them up correctly.

Task and Output

Trainees must correctly accomplish Form 7 (NTP Referral Form) and Form 8 (Hospital TB Referral Logbook) for the case below.

Specific Guidelines

1. Download Forms 7 and 8. You will need one digital copy of each for this exercise.
2. "Insert" your full name in the upper left corner of each form. Be sure not to alter the format of the form.
3. Read the case carefully. Based on the given data, accomplish the specified forms.
4. Once finished, save each form in either Word or Excel using a filename with this format: YOURSURNAME_FIRSTNAME_EX8_FormNo (Ex: Santos_MariaTeresa_EX8_Form7)
5. Upload the forms as "draft" for this particular exercise before 12:00 noon of Thursday on the week that Module 8 is scheduled. (These will be downloaded by the Course Facilitator for documentation before the answers are discussed in the discussion forum.) If you encounter any difficulty in uploading your "draft" answers, you may email your outputs to the Course Facilitator.
6. Compare your answers with those in the answer key. Go back to the MOP, if necessary, to find out the correct answers.
7. Correct your submitted draft and upload again using the same filename as "Final" before the set deadline. Again, you may email them directly to the Course Facilitator if you encounter any difficulty in uploading to the course site.
8. Your "final" submission will be checked for completeness and correctness. If there are still wrong answers, it will be reverted to "draft" for you to correct and submit again until you get all the answers right.

The Case of Pepito Manal

Pepito Manal, a 61-year old male, was admitted to the emergency room of Hospital XO on March 18, 2014 for hemoptysis. His chest X-ray showed multiple cavitary lesions in both lung fields. He was subsequently transferred to the service ward with the impression "hemoptysis secondary to pulmonary tuberculosis, extensive."

The nurse on duty at the ward referred Pepito to the hospital TB nurse using an internal referral form. Upon the nurse's visit to the ward, the following additional was information obtained from Pepito:

- He lives at Purok 1, Bgy. Senyales, Talas Municipality, Province H. No landline or cellphone available
- He reported no previous history of TB treatment.
- He weighed 40 kg.

The attending physician conferred with the hospital DOTS team and they decided to start anti-TB treatment even without DSSM (due to the hemoptysis). However, they did not register the patient since they agreed with the family to refer him to the RHU upon discharge.

(Accomplish Form 8. TB Referral Logbook.)

After 5 days, on March 23, patient was discharged from the hospital. He was referred to the Talas RHU for DSSM and continuation of treatment. Talas RHU is located in Bgy. Centro-Bayan, Talas.
Hospital XO details: XO Provincial Hospital, Bgy. Tagon, Province H; tel. no. 434-8873.

(Accomplish Form 7. NTP Referral Form and update Form 8.)

On March 28, the hospital TB nurse received a text message from the Talas RHU nurse stating that Pepito has resumed treatment and was registered that day at the RHU. His DSSM result was negative (same date).

(Update Form 8.)

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