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PURPOSE:

To provide guidelines on how to obtain accreditation from Philhealth for DOTS Clinic.

OBJECTIVE:

This is required in all DOTS Clinic as an authority to claim the benefits of a PhilHealth member in lieu of the services/medications given to him/her.

RESPONSIBLE PERSON:

President, SVP-Finance and Corporate Planning, VP-Medical Affairs, Medical Director, Licensing Section, Administrative Officer for DOTS Clinic, Radiologist, Pulmonologist, Allergologist, Physician for Clinical Services, Medical Technologist, RN, Radiologic Technologist

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PROCEDURE

- 1. The Licensing Clerk fills up three (3) copies of application form.
- 2. The Licensing Section Head brings the application forms to the Executive Office and have them signed by the President.
- 3. When the forms have been completely signed by all authorized signatories, the Licensing Clerk shall have them notarized.
- 4. The Licensing Clerk photocopies the following documents for attachment:
 - 4.1 Certificate issued by the DOH and the PhilCAT
 - 4.2 Certificate of previous PHIC Accreditation
 - 4.3 Accredited Health Care Professional card of Clinical Physician
 - 4.4 Updated PRC cards of all Accredited Physicians; like Radiologist, Pulmonologist and Allergologist
 - 4.5 PRC cards of Nurses and Medical Technologists
- The Licensing Section Head requests from the Marketing Section or Engineering Department a copy of the pictures of the DOTS Clinic such as the building, office entrance, and working area.
- 6. The Licensing Section Head requests from the TB DOTS Clinic Supervisor to submit a list of supplies, equipment and drugs that they are using in the clinic.
- 7. The TB DOTS Supervisor provides a copy of DOTS Clinic Manual that contains the following:
 - 7.1 Policies and procedures in the DOTS Center
 - 7.2 Referral procedure on assigning DOTS' partners
 - 7.3 Detecting treatment defaulters and setting back into treatment
 - 7.4 Selection of treatment partner
 - 7.5 Safety precautions in a TB Laboratory
 - 7.6 Implemented procedures to identify and address the kinds of contamination of staff and patients from sources of infectious diseases
 - 7.7 Quality Assurance activity
 - 7.8 Referring patients to accredited and accessible x-ray facilities

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- 7.9 Supply, quality and safety of TB Drugs
- 7.10 Diagnostic committee's policies that are implemented and monitored
- 7.11 Leadership, management, and overall responsibility for the operations, resources and performance of the TB DOTS Center
- 7.12 Policies and procedures for referring patient to the TB Diagnostic Committee
- 7.13 Policies and procedures for managing patient information and efficient operation of the DOTS Center
- 7.14 PPMD Microscopist
- 7.15 Proper waste disposal
- 8. The Licensing Clerk calls the PHIC Office to confirm the accreditation fee.
- The Licensing Head fills in the cash revolving form to request payment for the accreditation fee.
- 10. The Licensing Head brings the cash revolving form to the Executive Office and have it approved or signed by the Senior Vice President for Finance.
- 11. The Secretary of SVP-Finance informs the Licensing Section to pick up the approved form.
- 12. The Licensing Section Head presents the form to the Cashier Section for encashment.
- 13. The Licensing Section Head submits the completed accreditation form together with the accreditation fee to the PHIC Office at the CAP Building located at Galo-Lacson Street.
- 14. The PHIC Accreditation In-charge checks the application form and the attachment, then he/she receives the fee and issues an official receipt for it.
- 15. The PHIC Accreditation In-charge stamps "RECEIVED" the file copy and returns it to the Licensing Section Head. Then he/she sends the other copy to the PHIC Head Office and retains the remaining copy for file.
- 16. The Licensing Section Clerk furnishes the SVP-Finance and Corporate Planning with a copy of the said document and the official receipt from the PHIC.
- 17. The Licensing Section and the DOTS Clinic waits for the coming of the PHIC Inspection Team to evaluate the submitted application for accreditation.

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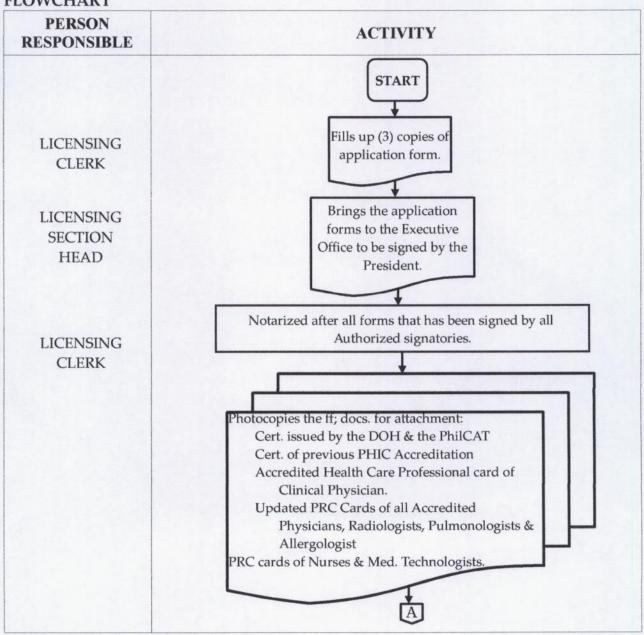
- 18. If the team's recommendation is positive, the clinic waits for the issued certificate to arrive.
- 19. The Licensing Clerk photocopies the Certificate of Accreditation and posts the original copy in a conspicuous area, then files the photocopy.

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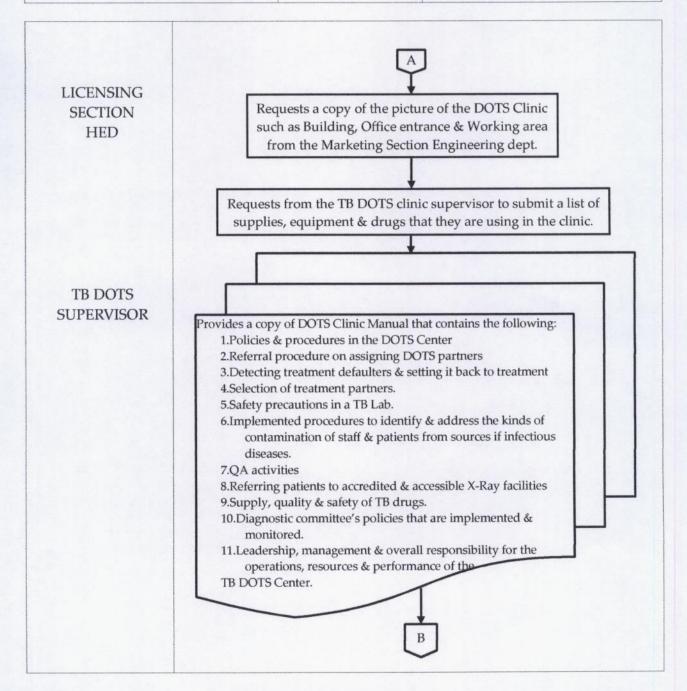
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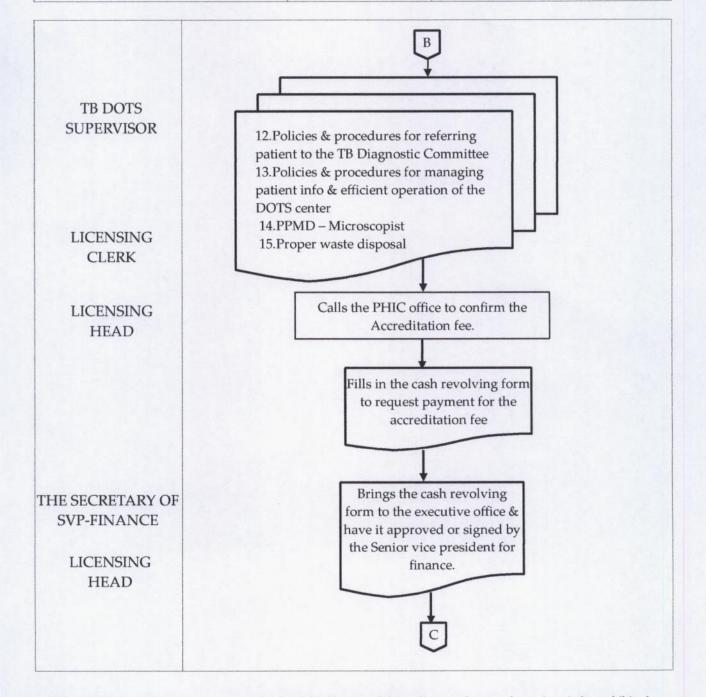
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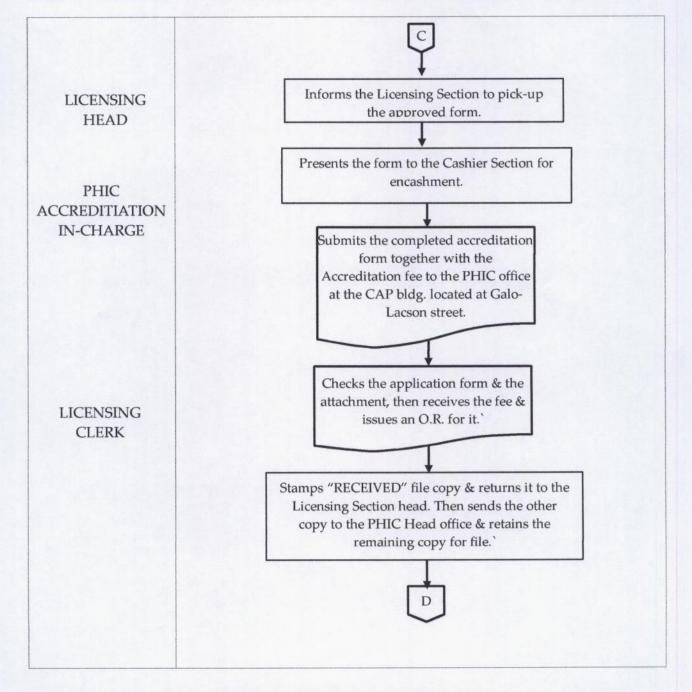
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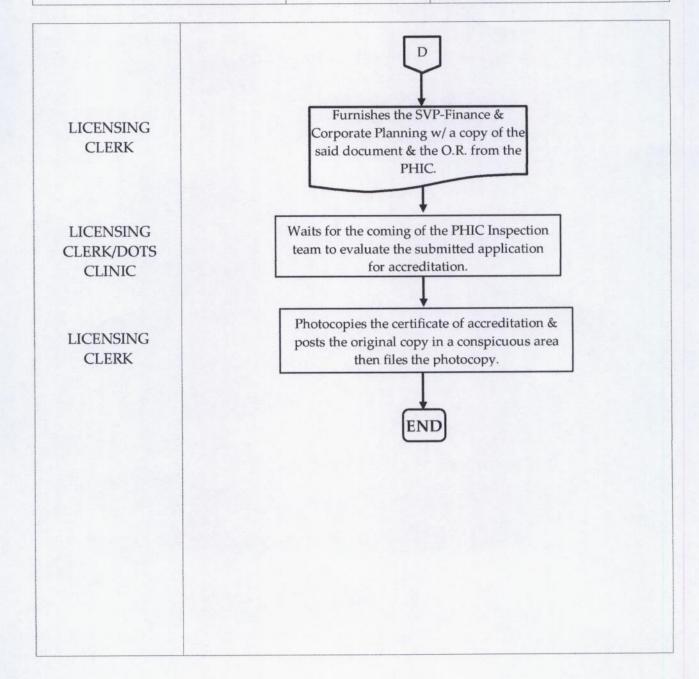


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