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To,
Mission Director
National Health Mission
All States/UTs

**Subject: Regarding the inclusion of Unani and Siddha graduates in the pool of
NQAS External Assessors**

Dear Sir/Madam,

The External Assessor Trainings (EAT) are conducted at the national level to create a pool of external assessors to undertake national-level assessments under the National Quality Assurance Standards (NQAS). As per the "Operational Guidelines for Improving Quality in Public Healthcare Facilities 2021" candidates having MBBS/BDS/BAMS/BHMS/B.Sc. Nursing Degree/and Full-time MHA or equivalent degree with 10 years of post-degree qualification are considered for the External Assessor Training.

Recently, requests have been received from many States to include Unani and Siddha graduates in the list of eligibility criteria. Central Quality Supervisory Committee (CQSC) has accorded approval for the same.

For information please.

Yours Sincerely,

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