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All Chief Medical Directors / Medical Directors
Federal Tertiary Health Institutions

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MEDICAL RESIDENCY TRAINING ACT, 2017.

I wish to bring to your attention, the contents of the Medical Residency Training Act, 2017 as published in the Federal Republic of Nigeria Official Gazette No. 92, vol.105 of 16th July, 2018; and published as a Supplement Act No 28 at page A267-273.

- 2. I am directed to forward a copy and inform that you are:
 - i. To carefully study the contents of the Act, and implement them in your various institutions immediately.
 - ii. To liaise with all necessary MDAs and Regulatory Agencies that have roles to play in its implementation.
 - iii. To ensure that you capture all the sub-heads in your annual budgets for the implementation of Part iii, sections 10 (a & b) and 11 (a & b).
 - iv. To strictly adhere to the provisions of Part ii, sections 6,7,8 and 9 in relating with the Residents.
 - v. To adhere strictly to the quotas allocated to you by the relevant Agencies, particularly, the National Postgraduate Medical College, West African Postgraduate Colleges and the Medical and Dental Council of Nigeria.
- 3. You will be personally and pecuniary held responsible and accountable for its implementation.
- 4. Please accept the assurances of the Permanent Secretary's warm regards.

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For: Permanent Secretary