

# **Submit Medical Complaints**

#### **About the Service**

This service enables patients, their relatives or their representatives to submit medical complaints related to diagnosis, treatment or other medical procedures received in EHS hospitals and healthcare or specialized centers.

#### **Service Process**

- Register in the digital-services, create user name and password (If not yet registered), and login "If using digital channels"
- Fill the complaint details, and submit the complaint request.
- The Facility at which the complainant was treated will be contacted
- The complainant will be contacted to supply any other medical reports related to the subject of the complaint
- The defendant will be summoned to a hearing
- The committee will meet to discuss and complaint related reports
- The Customer will be informed that the case has been investigated, the committee decision will be forwarded to him, and the necessary actions will be taken

## **Required Documents**

- Complainant (patient) ID or an ID proving the relationship between patient and complainant
- Available medical reports

## **Conditions & Requirements**

- 1. Complaints must be filed within a period not exceeding 3 years from the incident
- 2. Complaints can be filed by the patient, his/her parents, first degree relatives or the person assigned by the patient or his/her family
- 3. Complaints must be submitted via the medical complaints digital system.
- 4. The subject of the complaint must be clearly stated, including the name of the patient, name of the health facility and name/s of medical staff, if possible
- 5. Medical reports should be attached
- 6. Cause of complaint must be clearly stated
- 7. An ID proving the complainant's relationship with the patient is required "If the complaint is submitted by the patient relatives"

### **Service completion duration**

• 12 weeks

#### **Service Fees**

Free

#### Service channels

**EHS Website** 

#### Service locations

- The EHS Website
- Health facility (where the incident took place)
- EHS Call Center (8008877)
- Medical Liability Section EHS
- Investigative authority (prosecution or police)
- Competent courts
- National Customer Relationship Management (NCRM) System

## **Support**

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## **Target audience**

- Patients of all ages who have received medical services at government healthcare facilities
- Patient Relatives & Representatives

## **Department name**

Governance & Risk Management Department

#### **Sector name**

**Director General Sector** 

### **Main Service**

Complaints and Medical Liability

# **Service Code**

400-19-006-000

## **Service Type**

Transactional

# **Sub Service Type**

Variation

# **Service Classfication**

Good Health And Well-Being