

**SOCIAL HEALTH AUTHORITY (SHA)
NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE OF KENYA (NCI)
JOINT NOTICE TO HEALTHCARE FACILITIES**

CERTIFICATION OF CANCER CENTRES TO FACILITATE SHA CONTRACTING

The Social Health Authority (SHA) and the National Cancer Institute of Kenya (NCI) notify all healthcare facilities intending to contract with SHA to offer cancer services to SHA beneficiaries to obtain valid NCI certification and update their records to facilitate verification and completion of contracting.

Facilities are required to verify and update:

- 1. NCI certification:** Current certification and the approved scope of cancer services.
- 2. Specific oncology services:** Services proposed for SHA contracting within the NCI-certified scope, including chemotherapy, radiotherapy, brachytherapy, surgical oncology and other applicable oncology interventions.
- 3. Capacity and personnel:** Relevant infrastructure, operational equipment and appropriately qualified and licensed personnel supporting the declared services.
- 4. Supporting approvals:** Applicable facility, professional and service-specific licenses and authorizations.

Facilities intending to offer cancer services to SHA beneficiaries that do not hold valid NCI certification must immediately contact NCI for assistance with assessment and certification. Facilities whose proposed services differ from their certified scope must seek verification and the necessary approvals.

REQUIRED ACTION

Institution	Required action	
NCI	Facilities to submit complete applications and resolve certification gaps; NCI to complete assessment and certification of eligible cancer centres and verify their approved service scope.	
SHA	Facilities to update their contracting applications, select oncology services consistent with their NCI-certified scope and upload supporting documents to complete contracting requirements.	

SHA updates should be completed through [the SHA e-contracting platform](#).

SHA will only contract facilities to offer cancer services to its beneficiaries upon verification of valid NCI certification, the approved service scope, capacity, personnel and applicable regulatory approvals.

For assistance, contact NCI through its official channels or the respective SHA County Office.

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