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Colleges and Schools of Health Sciences and Technology (Offering Medical Laboratory Technicians Programme), All Stakeholders

## Notification of Release of Newly Approved Curriculum for National Diploma (ND) in Medical Laboratory Science for Implementation

This is to inform all stakeholders especially Training Institutions (Colleges and Schools of Health Sciences and Technology) that MLSCN has received and adopted the Curriculum that was developed in collaboration with the National Board for Technical Education (NBTE) for National Diploma (ND) in Medical Laboratory Technology for implementation.

MLSCN is by this circular informing all Colleges and Schools of Health Sciences and Technology currently offering the Medical Laboratory Technicians (MLT) programme to immediately switch to the new curriculum with effect from 2025. Admission and indexing of students into the MLSCN National Certificate Programme for MLT has been discontinued.

Consequently, MLSCN is advising all the Colleges and Schools of Health Sciences and Technology with subsisting resource verification approval or accreditation for the MLT programme to immediately commence the process of securing approval via resource verification or accreditation from NBTE to enable the award of the National Diploma (ND) in Medical Laboratory Technology.

Colleges and Schools of Health Sciences and Technology seeking to commence the MLT programme are to seek the approval of NBTE and MLSCN before commencement.

Arrangements are being made to provide training and capacity building on the effective implementation of the curriculum and delivering of the course contents.

While thanking you for your understanding and cooperation, please, accept the assurances of my warm regards.

Attached is the approved curriculum.

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