Health Requirements for Private Clinics
1- **Purpose:**
- To insure commitment of all Privet clinics with the public health requirements.
- To insure the implementation of unified health requirements in all Privet clinics in the Emirate of Dubai.

2- **Scope:**
- The health requirement is applicable in all Privet clinics in the Emirate of Dubai.

3- **Responsibility:**
1-3- Director of Public Health and Safety Department
2-3- Head of Health Control section.
3-3- Public Health officer.
5-3- Assistant Public Health inspector.

4- **Details of implementation:**

4-1- **Licenses:**
- 4-1-1. A valid professional trade license issued from Department of Economic development should be available for the clinic’s activity and the clinic should comply with license activity.
- 4-1-2. Work permit for the medical staff.

4-2 **Documents:**
- 4-2-1. Inspection card.
- 4-2-2. Staff list with all related data for the staff should be kept in the clinic and all work permit for the staff.
- 4-2-3. Medical waste contract should be available from approved company by Dubai Municipality.

4-2 **Premise:**
- 4-3-1. Rooms and halls should be in a good condition.
- 4-3-2. Good ventilation and lighting should be provided.
4-3-3. Waiting area should be available (separated between ladies and gents) with comfortable chairs.
4-3-4. Suitable and clean furniture should be provided.
4-3-5. Doctors room should be supplied with hand wash basin provided with hot water and liquid soap.
4-3-6. Bathroom should be provided with toilet and at least one hand wash basin with liquid soap, cleanliness should be maintained with good drainage system.

4-4 Staff:
4-4-1. All the staff in the clinic should wear clean uniforms during the working hours.
4-4-2. All the staff should maintain personal hygiene.

4-5 Water source should be provided for drinking purpose.

4-6 Pedal waste bin should be provided

4-7 Medical waste disposal:
4-7-1. Medical waste should be disposed in special container as per Dubai Municipality requirements.
4-7-2. Special containers for sharp waste should be provided.
4-7-3. Medical waste containers should be kept in suitable places.

4-8 The clinic should be kept free from insects and rodents.

4-9 No smoking sign should be provided in the clinic.

4-10 Sterilization:
4-10-1. Sterilizer machine should be provided
4-10-2. Disinfectants should be available
4-10-3. Sterilization tools should be available

4-11 Not allowed to sell medicines and medicines’ samples to the patient.

4-12 Non availability of expired medicines and medicines' samples.

4-13 Paper bed sheets should be available.