

PUBLIC NOTICE

<u>ISSUANCE OF PRESCRIPTIONS BY UNAUTHORISED PERSONS</u>

The Sri Lanka Medical Council (SLMC) has received reports from the public regarding the unlawful issuance of prescriptions for medicines, blood tests, and other medical procedures by unauthorized individuals.

In light of this, pharmacists and other healthcare service providers are strongly advised to verify that prescriptions they receive are issued by <u>registered</u> medical or dental practitioners before dispensing any medication or treatment.

The public is also urged to exercise caution and seek prescriptions from <u>registered</u> medical or dental practitioners when obtaining medication or undergoing medical tests.

BY THE ORDER OF THE SRI LANKA MEDICAL COUNCIL,

Dr. H.D.B. Herath Registrar, Sri Lanka Medical Council 09.11.2025