27th July 2020

STATEMENT ON THE DEATH OF A COVID-19 PATIENT AT MONGO HOSPITAL

Mengo Hospital received an 80-year-old female client, who was referred from Platinum Hospital Kampala to the Mengo Hospital Intensive Care Unit (ICU) on Friday 24th July 2020.

During the admission process, the medical team suspected the client who had presented with COVID-19 symptoms, and effectively took the standard operating procedures of handling COVID-19 suspected patients, including timely alert of the Ministry of Health COVID-19 response team to take off samples for testing.

Our Intensive Care Unit operates as an Isolation unit, and therefore the deceased did not access the rest of the Mengo Hospital service delivery points/ premises.

Mengo Hospital informs the public that all mandatory precautions have and are being taken by the Hospital and its staff in the safeguard against the spread of the COVID-19 pandemic.

We re-assure the public that Mengo Hospital is safe and fully open 24 hours each day, for all your health care needs and effective service delivery.

For more details, contact our Public Relations Officer Mr. Denis Bwanika on 0789195690.

Remember to wear your face masks, keep a social distance, sanitize, and wash your hands with soap and water regularly.
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