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26 March 2024

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Dear Sir,

RE: SPLIT BILLING BY HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS

1. Reference is made to the above matter and your email dated 18 March 2024 in which you requested to be referred to the Code of Conduct Rules which provides on split billing.
2. The Health Professions Councils of Namibia regulates the conducts and practices of healthcare professionals in Namibia. In so doing, the Councils apply the Ethical Guidelines for Health Professionals and the Professional Conduct Rules on Acts and Omissions, for the respective councils.
3. The Ethical Guidelines set out the ethical values, standards, and duties of health professionals. The Professional Conduct Rules on the other hand, provides on the acts and omissions which constitutes improper conduct or misconduct in respect of which the Councils may take disciplinary steps.
4. The Ethical Guidelines and the Professional Conduct Rules do not reflect split billing as a misconduct in respect of which the Councils may take disciplinary steps.
5. We trust that you find the above in order.

Yours faithfully,

All correspondence must be addressed to the Registrar.



C.V Weyulu (Dr)
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