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**IMPLEMENTATION OF STANDARDIZED GUIDELINES FOR PRIMARY
HEALTHCARE BUDGET AND WORK PLANNING IN AKWA IBOM STATE**

Following extensive consultation and in line with our commitment to strengthening Primary Healthcare Systems in the State, I am pleased to formally announce the approval of the Akwa Ibom State Guidelines for Primary Healthcare Budget and Work Planning for immediate implementation.

All Health subsector MDAs are hereby mandated to adopt these guidelines to ensure a systematic, equitable, and result-driven allocation of resources for primary healthcare. The guidelines, developed collaboratively by the Akwa Ibom State Ministry of Health and the Ministry of Budget and Economic Planning are designed to streamline budgeting processes and consolidate primary healthcare workplans across all relevant MDGs.

As part of this directive;

- All MDGs must prepare their 2026 Annual Workplan and Budget for primary healthcare programs strictly in accordance with the attached guidelines.
- All proposed activities must be costed, prioritized, and justified in alignment with the guidelines to ensure efficiency and impact.

For further clarification or guidance, please contact the Director Health Planning, Research and Statistics of the Ministry of Health, Dr. Iboru Udoh, **08037048775, iboro.udoh@yahoo.com**.



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