

**GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT
NATIONAL RURAL HEALTH MISSION
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GN-29, SECTOR-V, SALT LAKE
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From:
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To:
The Chief Medical Officer of Health,
All Districts

Sir/Madam,

Sub: Continuation of ASHA training in 6th & 7th Module

This is with reference to the implementation of ASHA programme and the involvement of ASHAs in other public health activities including disease control programme. It may be noted that in most of the blocks as per GOI mandate ASHAs are being trained in home based new born care (i.e. 6th & 7th modules) and it is being considered to be a skills training to reduce infant and neonatal mortality in the community.

It may also be noted that high priority has also been accorded to this training from MoHFW GOI and ASHAs in position with drug kit after training in 6th and 7th module is one of the major indicators which has been agreed upon under NRHM. But often the BMOH and other health officials are requesting for change in the scheduled date which is hampering the entire training plan for the districts.

Hence, it is being intimated to the districts that under no circumstances the **scheduled ASHA training for 6th & 7th modules can be postponed or stopped.**

The matter may please be looked into seriously and necessary steps taken to circulate and intimate the same to all the concerned blocks and do the needful.

Yours sincerely



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