

**Government of West Bengal**  
Department of Health & Family Welfare  
MERT Branch  
Swasthya Bhavan, GN-29, Salt Lake City, Kol-91

No. HF/O/MERT/1379/W-146/13

Dated, Kolkata, the 13<sup>th</sup> Nov., 2013

From: The Special Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal.

To : (1) The Director of Medical Education, West Bengal.  
(2) The Director of Health Sciences, West Bengal.

**ORDER**

In pursuance of the recommendation of the High Level Task Force on reduction of IMR and MMR, the undersigned is directed to request the concerned authorities of all Medical Colleges to follow the following measures for improvement of labour room practices.

1. Unit head (Prof./Asso. Prof.) will do evening round after 9 PM on the day of admission.
  2. Asst. Professor should be there on the floor duty on the day of admission.
  3. Audit of maternal death/morbidity and severe Birth Asphyxia should be conducted every week.
  4. Pool of Post Graduate students in the labour room should be formed for round the clock labour room and Ante-Natal Ward monitoring and supervision.
  5. Observation, findings & detailed note of RMO-cum-clinical Tutor should be there on BHT regarding patient examination at an interval of 4 hours.
  6. Party meet to be undertaken by 'On Duty' labour room RMO/PGT after 6 PM every day.
3. All concerned are being informed.

  
Special Secretary

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to the:-

1. Chairman, High Level Task Force, Swasthya Bhavan, Salt Lake, Kolkata.
2. Joint Secretary (MERT) of this Department.
- 3-14. Principal: IPGMER-SSKM Hospital, Kolkata/Medical College, Kolkata/NRS Medical College, Kolkata/RG Kar Medical College, Kolkata/ Calcutta National Medical College, Kolkata/Burdwan Medical College, Burdwan/North Bengal Medical College, Sushrutanagar, Darjeeling/Midnapore Medical College, Paschim Medinipur/Bankura Sammilani Medical College, Bankura/College of Medicine & Sagore Dutta Hosp., Kamarhati/Murshidabad Medical College, Berhampore, Murshidabad/Malda Medical College, Malda.
15. IT Cell for its posting to the website of this department.

  
Special Secretary