



**GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE DEPARTMENT**

NOTIFICATION

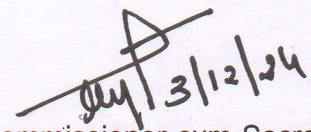
No. PT1-HFW-MEI-MISC-0100-2024- 32833 /H, Dated 03.12.2024

It has come to the attention of the Government regarding the issues of violent incidents in Medical Institutions and recent protests of Resident Doctors across the Country following the incident of alleged rape and murder of a trainee doctor in R.G Kar Medical College and Hospital, Kolkata. The Hon'ble Supreme Court has taken suo-motu cognizance of the incident and *inter alia*, has directed vide order dated 22.08.2024 in Writ (Crl) No. 2/2024 that the State Governments shall take remedial and appropriate action given the exigencies of the situation within a period of two weeks thereafter. In the above context, the Department of Health and Family Welfare, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India vide their DO No. 01/SCI/SMWR/DGHS/2024 dated 23.8.2024 addressed to the State Government has flagged some measures for enhancing the security and providing safer working environment for Healthcare workers.

In the above backdrop, the Government, after careful consideration, has been pleased to constitute a State Level Task Force with the following composition to implement and monitor the policy framework for providing a safe workplace environment for Doctors, Medical Students & other Healthcare workers in all Healthcare & Health Education Institutions.:

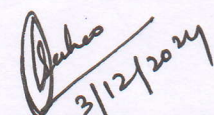
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| 1. Chief Secretary, Odisha | : Chairman |
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| 3. Director General of Police, Odisha | : Member |
| 4. Director General of Fire Services, Odisha | : Member |
| 5. Principal Secretary to Govt., Energy Department | : Member |
| 6. Principal Secretary to Govt., Finance Department | : Member |
| 7. Principal Secretary to Govt., Works Department | : Member |
| 8. Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Govt., H&FW Department | : Member |
| 9. Director, Medical Education & Training, Odisha | : Member |
| 10. Director, Health Services, Odisha | : Member Convenor |

By order of the Governor


3/12/24
Commissioner-cum-Secretary

Memo. No. 32834 / H, Dated 03.12.2024

Copy forwarded to the P.S. to the Hon'ble Chief Minister, Odisha / P.S. to the Hon'ble Minister, Health & Family Welfare, Odisha for kind information of the Hon'ble Chief Minister, and the Hon'ble Minister, respectively.


3/12/2024
Additional Secretary to Government

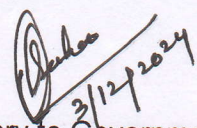
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Copy forwarded to all members of the Task Force for kind information and necessary action.


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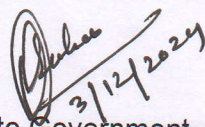
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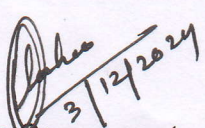
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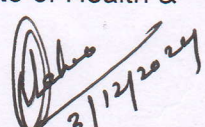
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Copy forwarded to the Under Secretary to Government, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare (Department of Health), Government of India, Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi for information and necessary action.


Additional Secretary to Government

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Copy forwarded to the Head, State Portal Group, IT Centre, Secretariat / Digital Health Section, Health & FW Department to upload the notification in the official website of Health & FW Department.


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