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To

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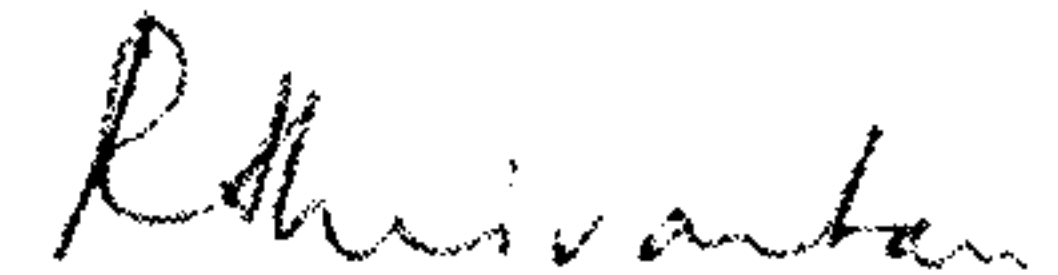
**Subject: Guidelines for Emergency care in hospitals**

Reference subject mentioned above, the following guidelines have to be adhered to in order to provide effective and efficient emergency care to the patients. The list of emergency drugs and emergency equipment mandatory for emergency care is attached along with.

1. Entrance of the emergency should have ramps for easy transport of the patients.
2. The ambulance should be able to reach right up to the gate of the emergency of the hospital.
3. All hospitals should have hotline electricity connections.
4. Emergency OT/ resuscitation room should be near the entrance of the emergency.
5. The emergency drugs and equipment should be available. Keys of the almirah in which emergency drugs have been stored should be available all the time.
6. A check list of the emergency drugs/ equipment should be prepared. The nursing in charge of the resuscitation area should tick the checklist every day in the morning to ensure availability of the drugs and functional status of the equipment.
7. Patient trolley and wheel chairs should be available near the gate of the emergency.
8. Oxygen cylinders with flow meter should be available in emergency.
9. Suction apparatus should be functional.
10. Roster with name and contact numbers of the staff on emergency duty should be pasted in the emergency.

11. Name and contact number of the Senior Medical Officer and Civil Surgeon should be available in the emergency.
12. Telephone connection should be available in the emergency.
13. A list of the referral institutions with the contact number of the emergency and SMO should be available in the emergency.
14. Referral record should be maintained in all the health institutions and feedback has to be sent for every emergency case.

You are directed to send the feedback or suggestions regarding these guidelines within 7 days by email at [adbbphsc@gmail.com](mailto:adbbphsc@gmail.com)



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