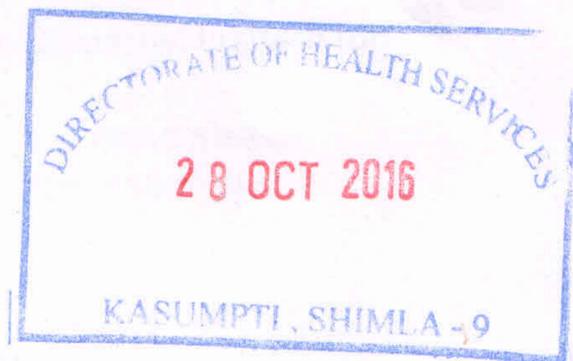




No. HFW-H/RCH/24 Hrs.Instt.Del/2010
National Rural Health Mission
Directorate of Health & Family Welfare
Himachal Pradesh

To,

1. All the Chief Medical Officers,
Himachal Pradesh.
2. The Principal,
IGMC/KNH, Shimla,
Dr.RPGMC Tanda/Ayurvedic College Paprola, Kangra
3. Medical Superintendent
IGMC/KNH, Shimla,
Dr.RPGMC Tanda/Ayurvedic College Paprola, Kangra
DH/RH/ZH Bilaspur, Chamba, Hamirpur, Kangra,
Kullu, Mandi, Shimla, Sirmaur, Solan, Una, Rampur, Rohru



Dated Shimla-9, the

Subject: Protocol to be followed after delivery of infant.

Sir/Madam,

This is in reference to the recent incidence of infants getting swapped at Kamla Nehru State Hospital for Mother & Child, Shimla. To avoid such incidences, it has been decided that all institutions where deliveries are conducted strictly follow the following protocol:

1. The infant needs to be delivered on the abdomen of the delivered woman.
2. A Birth Attendant may be allowed in the labour room with the patient during labour and delivery.
3. The patient's thumb print and the baby's foot print must be taken for every delivery on the case sheet/bed head ticket.
4. The delivered infant should be tagged with all the details of the mother on the tag.
5. Proper documentation must be maintained for all deliveries.

Please ensure that this protocol is followed strictly.

Mission Director
National Health Mission
Himachal Pradesh
Email: md-hp-nrhm@nic.in

Endst. No. HFW-H/RCH/24 Hrs.Instt.Del/2010

Dated

Shimla-9, the

Copy to:

1. The Private Secretary to the Hon'ble Health, Revenue and Law Minister, Himachal Pradesh for information please.
2. The Principal Secretary (Health) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh for information please.
3. The Director Health Services, Himachal Pradesh for information please.
4. The State Programme Officer, Child Health, NHM for information please.



Mission Director
National Health Mission
Himachal Pradesh

