

10th EDC

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Minutes of 10th Empanelment and Disciplinary committee Meeting of Suvarna Arogya Suraksha Trust held on 09th September 2010, at 12.00 noon, in the Conference hall of Suvarana Arogya Suraksha Trust at No. #11, 3rd Floor, Niton Building, Palace Road, Bangalore.

Members Present:

- 1)Dr. Sudarshan H. Secretary, Karuna Trust, Bangalore- Chairman.
- 2)Dr. Hanumanthappa C.S. Chairman, Health Foundation, Bangalore.Member.
- 3)Dr. Ramesh H.C.DD(Medical), Directorate of Health and Family Welfare Services,Bangalore-
Member.
- 4)Dr.M.G Prasad, Rtd.Director, Directorate of Health and Family Welfare Services,Bangalore-
Member
- 5)Dr. Pandurang Pujari, Joint Director, SAST, Bangalore- Secretary.
- 6)Dr. Chandrashekar, Family Health Plan (TPA) Ltd., Bangalore- Member.

Special Invitees:

- 1) Dr. Saleem, Manager, Family Health Plan(TPA) Limited, Bangalore.
- 2) S.R.Naik, Advisor (VAS), Family Health Plan(TPA) Limited, Bangalore.

Dr.Pandurang Pujari , Joint Director, SAST, Bangalore- Secretary EDC welcomed all the members present for the meeting.

Thereafter, subjects as per the agenda were taken up for discussion.

1. Confirmation of the minutes of the 9th EDC meeting held on 20.07.2010:

- Documents relating to black listing of : 1.Prayavi Hospital, Bidar.
2.Mahesh Nursing Home, Davangere,were produced before the committee

After going through the documents,the committee decided not to empanel the above mentioned hospitals under Vajpayee Arogyashree Scheme as they are involved in fraud.

Advisor, FHPL stated that in respect of the following hospitals decision of the committee could not be communicated because files are incomplete and remarks of the Inspection Team has not been recorded.

1. Ashraya Hospital, Davangere.
2. Mangala Hospital, Hassan.
3. Geetha Nursing Home, Tumkur.
4. Kasturaba Hospital, Tumkur.
5. Balaji Hospital, Tumkur.
6. Vinayak Hospital, Tumkur.
7. Vathsalya Hospital, Dharwad.

It was decided to obtain remarks from the concerned Inspection Team and then send communication to the hospitals.

The Chairman desired that hence forth report regarding action taken on the proceedings should also be placed before the committee.

Dr. Pandurag pujari, Joint Director, SAST stated that proceedings Subject No.3 (5) is not properly recorded and requested that it may please be recorded as follows:

“Dr. Pandurang Pujari, Joint Director & Secretary, EDC submitted the particulars about Shree.Basavalingappa Nisty Memorial Heart Centre, Gulbarga and Heart Centre Gulbarga”.

The subject was discussed at length and there after the committee came to the conclusion that the approval should be accorded to the hospitals only when they fulfill all the criteria fixed for empanelment. The hospital should also provide details of hospital nearby which has all the facilities for conducting Cardiovascular Surgery in case of emergency.

With the above observations the proceedings of the 9th EDC meeting held on 20-07-2010 was confirmed.

2 . Empanelment of Hospitals :

After detailed discussions, it was decided to accord approval for empanelment of the following hospitals for the year 2010-11 under VAS scheme for the specialities mentioned below. The year means financial year.

Sl. No	Name of the Hospital	District	Address	Inspected by	Specialties approved
1	Indus West side Hospital (IWH)	Bangalore	Indus West side Hospital (IWH) # 3, P (2) 60 Feet Road, 1 st Block (Valgerahalli) Jnanabharathi Layout, Bangalore -560 059.	Dr. Ramesh H.C	1) Polytrauma 2) Oncology(Surgical and medical) 3) Renal 4) Burns
2	Suguna Hospital	Bangalore	Suguna Hospital, # 1A,87/ 4 th N Block, Dr.Rajkumar Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010	Dr. Pujari Dr. Saleem (ISA)	1) Neurosurgery 2) Polytrauma 3) Oncology(Surgical and Medical) 4) Renal 5)Cardiothoracic 6) Neonatal
3	KMC Hospital	Dakshina Kannada	KMC Hospital, N.G.Road, Attavar, Mangalore- 575001,Dakshina Kannada	Dr.C.SHanumanthappa Dr.Saleem (ISA)	1) Polytrauma 2) Neonatal 3) Oncology(Surgical and Medical)
4	Apollo BGS Hospital	Mysore	Apollo BGS Hospital, Adichunchangiri Road, Kuvempunagar, Mysore-570023	Dr.Sudarshan .H	1) Neurosurgery 2) Polytrauma 3) Renal 4)Burns 5) Cardiovascular
5	Live 100 Hospital	Bangalore	Live 100 Hospital, Sy.No.107/1, Singasandra Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Tahuk,Bangalore.	Dr.Pujari Dr.Saleem(ISA)	1)Neurosurgery 2)Oncology(surgical and medical) 3)Burns 4)Renal 5)Neonatal 6)Polytrauma
6	M.S.Ramaiah Hospital,	Bangalore	M.S.Ramaiah Hospital, MSRIT Post,New BEL Road,MSR Nagar, Bangalore-560054	Dr.Pujari Dr.Saleem(ISA)	1)Neurosurgery 2)Burns 3)Renal 4)Neonatal 5)Polytrauma
7	Cauvery Medical Center Limited	Bangalore	Cauvery Medical Center Limited,No.43/2,NH-7, Bellary Road,Sahakara Nagar,Bangalore-560092	Dr.M.G.Prasad Dr.Saleem(ISA)	1)Neurosurgery 2)Oncology(surgicaland medical) 3)Renal 4)Neonatal 5)Polytrauma

In respect of the following hospitals decision was taken to Deffer :

Sl. No	Name of the Hospital	District s	Address	Inspected by	Status
1	Arunodaya Hospital	Bellary	Arunodaya Hospital, Sri.Nagar Colony,Siruguppa Road, Havambhavi,Bellary	Dr.Devanand	In complete application some columns are left blank information regarding number of cases handled speciality wise not mentioned hence, deferred.
2	BKS Hospital	Bellary	BKS Hospital,No.8,First Cross,Gandhinagar, Bellary-583103	Dr.Devanand	Deferred
3	S.K.Panduranga Hospital	Bellary	S.K.PandurangaHospital , S.N.Pet,3 rd Cross,Bellary	Dr.Devanand	Deferred
4	Shripathi Nursing Home	Hospet.	Shripathi Nursing Home, Station Road,Hospet,Bellary	Dr.Devanand	Deferred

The chairman stated that whenever the Inspection Team pays visit to hospitals should invariably verify the number of cases done by them speciality wise and detail information should be collected. And confirm as to whether the information sent by the hospital for empanelment was correct.

In case there is evidence to show that the hospital has done adequate number of cases under the speciality for which it has applied that speciality can be approved.

He also stated that:

1. Applications complete in all respects should alone be placed before the committee.
2. If application is incomplete information should be collected.
3. Desk appraisal report should be prepared in respect of all the hospitals.

3 : Deffered cases for allotment :

After detailed discussions it was decided to refer the applications of the following hospitals for inspection to the members as mentioned below:

Sl. No	Name of the Hospital	District	Address	Inspected By
1	Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Medical College Hospital	Bangalore	Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Medical College Hospital, Kadugondanahalli, Bangalore - 560 045	Dr. C. Hanumanthappa
2	Yenepoya Medical College Hospital	Dakshina Kannada	Yenepoya Medical College Hospital, Nithyananada Nagar, Deralakatte, Mangalore-575018.	Dr. M.G Prasad

4: Allotment of hospitals for inspection to EDC members:

Sl. No	Name of the Hospital	District	Address	To be inspected by
1	Pragathi Sepciality Hospital	Dakshina Kannada	Pragathi Sepciality Hospital, Bolwar, Main Road, Puttur, Dakshina Kannada - 574 201	Dr. M.G.Prasad
2	Chetana Hospital	Dakshina Kannada	Chetana Hospital Opp. Bhavanishankar Temple Near MT Road, Puttur, D.K 574 201	Dr. M.G.Prasad
3	Adarsha Hospital	Dakshina Kannada	Adarsha Hospital, APMC Road, Puttur, Dakshina Kannada-574201	Dr. M.G.Prasad
4	Bangalore Baptist hospital	Bangalore	Bangalore Baptist hospital, Bellary Road, Hebbal, Bangalore- 560 024.	Dr. C. Hanumanthappa

5. Any other subjects with the permission of the Chair.

1. Applications received for inclusion of additional specialities.

- a. i) Ravi Kirloskar Hospital, Bangalore.
- ii) Balanku Hospital, Raichur.
- iii) KLE Hospital, Hubli.
- iv) Kadliningamma Memorial Hospital, Davangere.

It was decided to call for information about the surgeries done during the last 3 years under the additional specialities for which the hospital has applied.

b. It was brought to the notice of the committee that, of the 94 hospitals empaneled under VAS scheme 21 hospitals have not signed MOU with the Trust. They have also not paid the registration fees. They have not sent a single Preauthorisation proposal in spite of repeated reminders.

The committee after detailed discussion decided to call for their explanations as to why their hospital should not be disempaneled.

2. Complaints against some Network Hospitals:

Dr. Saleem stated that, though Nijalingappa Hospital, Baglkot is one of the net work hospitals empaneled by the Trust instead of sending preauth to the Trust, treated the patients and collected Rs.15,000 from him which is objectionable. There after, the same patient was further treated by KLE Hospital, Belgaum which has also collected Rs.7,000 from the patient for the medical treatment provided to him. The patient has sent his complaint along with the connected documents. The committee after detailed discussion decided to write to the hospitals to send preauth proposal and claim proposal for the services rendered to the patient. And after receipt of the claim amount from the Trust advise the hospital to return the money to the patient.

Dr. Saleem also stated that, one patient was picked up by Sagar Hospital in the health checkup camp for treatment after surgery in Sholapur. The hospital with out providing chemo therapy after MRI scan referred the patient to Bangalore Institute of Oncology for further treatment. The Sagar hospital should have provided treatment to the patient in their hospital only.

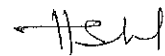
The committee considered it as not a serious case and decided to call for the response of the hospital and close the matter. The Joint Director was requested to obtain the response of the hospitals by writing to them.

Chairman stated that, now Government has decided to extend the benefit of the scheme to the BPL families of Belgaum Division. It was decided to call for applications from hospitals in Belgaum Division which qualify for empanelment.

It was decided to write to KMC Hospital, Hubli requesting them to empanel under VAS Scheme as the hospitals qualifies for the empanelment. In case the hospital is hesitant to empanel itself because it requires to spend for mega camp, the Trust may meet their expenditure and exempt the Government hospitals from incurring such expenditures.

The Joint Director stated that 500 claims are under process with the ISA which is on higher side. The committee took it seriously and it was decided to send a letter under the signature of ED to the company requesting them to make arrangements to clear the pendency early. It was also decided to request the FHPL to provide assistance to Dr. Saleem who is overburdened with heavy work.

The meeting concluded with thanks by the chair.



Dr. Sudarshan. H.
Chairman.