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### POLICIES REGARDING PREVENTIVE IMMUNIZATION OF STUDENTS, TEACHERS WHO ARE LIKELY TO BE EXPOSED TO COMMUNICABLE DISEASES .

#### FUNCTIONS AND OBJECTIVE

1. To monitor monthly intra departmental infection control
2. To encourage hepatitis B vaccination for students and staff (Teaching & non teaching)
3. To create awareness regarding needle stick injury and post exposure prophylaxis
4. To monitor supply and use of personal protective equipment on regular basis
5. To prepare Patient Safety manual

#### CODE OF CONDUCT

1. The infection control committee holds meeting quarterly
2. The infection control committee monitors activities for sterilization protocol fumigation process needle stick injury and use of PPE
3. Students are encouraged to use PPE while working in the clinics & made aware of standard infection control protocol and vaccinated for hepatitis B before they start their clinical posting ( IIIrd BDS) with their consent.
4. All the hospital staff is advised to follow rules and regulations mentioned in the patient safety manual

  
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### VACCINATION AND IMMUNIZATION

Three dose hepatitis B vaccine schedule.

The hepatitis B vaccine is administered as a three dose series on 0 ,1 and 6 months schedule

SHOT	PERIOD
1 <sup>st</sup> Shot	The day of vaccination
2 <sup>nd</sup> Shot	Atleast 1 month (28 days) after the 1 <sup>st</sup> shot
3 <sup>rd</sup> Shot	6 months after the 1 <sup>st</sup> shot

Dose 2 should be separated by dose 1 by at least 1 month ( 4 weeks or 28 days)

Dose 3 should be separated by dose 2 by at least 2 months (8 weeks) and from dose 1 by at least 4 months (16 weeks)

If the person is unaware of the past vaccine drive, the person schedule is started from the first dose.

A person without protective surface antibodies after completing full series of hepatitis b vaccine and for whom an acute or are chronic hepatitis B infection has been ruled out is considered as 'non responder' . It could be attributed to the past infection with Hepatitis B.

### COVID VACCINATION

SHOT	PERIOD
1 <sup>st</sup> Shot	The day of vaccination
2 <sup>nd</sup> Shot	1 month (28 days) after the 1 <sup>st</sup> shot
3 <sup>rd</sup> Shot	9 months after the 2 <sup>nd</sup> shot

  
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