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PUBLIC NOTICE

In view of the recent tragic event that has happened in RG Kar Medical College, Kolkata and the advisory which has been issued by the SMCH authority (No. 11.782, Dated 12/08/2024). We, the members of JDA SMCH and the entire SMCH student fraternity are deeply saddened and ashamed. The advisory which fails to address the key issues pertaining to SMCH, targets the female doctors especially and is outrageous. **We demand an immediate withdrawal of the said advisory and an official apology from the administration for their regrettable choice of words.**

The JDA,SMCH, hereby adhering to the recent public notice issued by NMC no-16021/33/2024-IT-NMC, demands the following issues to be addressed at the earliest-

1. Proper Functioning Lighting in Hospital Areas:

- Ensure that all hospital areas, **especially the routes between hostels (Resident Doctors Hostel especially) and hospitals** are equipped with proper functioning lighting to ensure safe passage at all times.

2. Enhanced Security Measures:

- Implement 24/7 tight security at **both the CCL and hostels. Unauthorized individuals should not be allowed to enter the CCL gate, MCH building, NICU, PICU, MICU, SICU without prior checking at the gate by guards**

- Station security guards (**both male and female**) around the clock (especially at the aforementioned locations) within the hospital and hostel areas.

3. Dedicated Washroom Facilities:

Proper washroom with running water facilities for doctors that is **inaccessible by other staff, attendants and patients in every ward.**

Proper washroom with running water specifically for **doctors and female staff members, located in or near the Central Clinical Laboratory (CCL)**. This facility should be kept under lock and key and undergo regular cleaning.

4. Doctors' Room Security:

- Provide a secure doctors' room in every department that is **inaccessible to attendants and other staff.**



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5. CCTV Camera Installation:

- Installation of more CCTV cameras at key points like **SMCH MAIN GATE, Emergency ward, Mch building, CT and Xray room entrances, ICU gates and Hostels (both undergraduate and post graduate)** within the hospital and hostel areas to monitor activities and enhance security.

6. Security in Wards at Night:

- Post security guards at night in the wards and hostels **to restrict movement of outsiders in the campus.**

7. Immediate Response Team:

- Establish an immediate response team to address any **emergency calls or incidents of violence against doctors or medical staff.**

8. Uniform and ID Cards for Ward Staff:

- Implement a policy requiring **all ward staff in every department to wear uniforms and ID cards** for easy identification and professional appearance.

We demand that these proposals be considered with utmost urgency and that appropriate actions be taken to ensure their prompt execution in the next 48 hours.

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