Records of discussions of the meeting to explore the feasibility for setting up of District Early Intervention Centre (DEIC) held on 12th January 2015 at 5:00 PM at Tripura Medical College, Hapnia.

Officials present in the meeting:
1. Dr. Sandeep N. Mahatme, Mission Director, NHM, Tripura
2. Prof. Dr. Arun Singh, National Adviser (RBSK)
3. The Chief Executive Officer, Tripura Medical College
4. The Principal, Tripura Medical College
5. The Medical Superintendent, Tripura Medical College
6. Prof. Swapna Chakraborty, Professor Deptt. Of Pediatrics, Tripura Medical College
7. Dr. Jayanta Poddar, I/C HOD- Paediatrics, Tripura Medical College
8. Mr. Arindam Saha, State Facilitator, RRC-NES

A meeting was held to explore the feasibility for setting up of District Early Intervention Centre (DEIC) at Tripura Medical College for specialists’ treatment of referred and institutional born children identified with any form of 4Ds enlisted under Rashtriya Bal Swasthya Karyakram (RBSK) of National Health Mission (NHM). Following points have evolved:

i) As per information shared by HOD, Paediatrics of TMC, the third floor of the hospital building has been identified as the appropriate location to formally set up DEIC since TMC has been planning to start fully fledged Department of Paediatrics there after evacuating the existing Medicine Ward by March 2015.

ii) It is envisaged that the DEIC at TMC shall be the state-of-art facility and to act as Centre of Excellence (CoE) both in terms of providing services as well as resource centre for RBSK training for North East Region. It would also serve as linkage for Rehabilitation Centre.

iii) Till evacuation of the existing Medicine Ward at the third floor of the TMC Hospital building by March 2015 is done, a DEIC shall be made functional at the ground and first floor combinedly as an interim arrangement with facilities to provide basic services such as dental procedure, medical examination including anthropometry, hearing assessment and speech therapy, physiotherapy, etc. Recruitment of required HR like Physiotherapists, Audiometrics and alike shall be carried out by TMC with the support of NHM.

iv) Necessary provision for equipments, HR recruitment, infrastructure and consumables shall be ensured by NHM within next two months.

v) NHM and TMC will put in place mutually agreed Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) having defined roles and responsibilities, deliverables and performance measurement for implementation of the same.

2. Meeting ended with thanks to all.

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