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**ADVISORY ON FAMILY MEMBER/PERSONAL ATTENDANT INSIDE COVID WARDS.**

It is observed that family members/personal attendants of some Covid positive persons in hospitals/Covid Care Centres (CCC) are inside the Covid wards. This would cause a high risk of being infected and should be avoided. Each hospital/CCC should ensure that nurses and attendants are deployed on roster duty 24 x 7 to ensure regular monitoring and care of all the patients.

2. Family members/ personal attendants should not go inside Covid wards except for attending to the following specific unavoidable cases:
  - a. Minor patients.
  - b. Differently abled patients or patients unable to walk, feed or use toilets themselves.
  - c. Pregnant women.
3. Covid safety of such unavoidable attendants should be monitored and ensured by Doctors on duty in the Covid wards.
4. Strict compliance is solicited in all Covid wards of hospitals/CCCs.



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