



GOVT OF ASSAM  
OFFICE OF THE JOINT DIRECTOR OF HEALTH SERVICES CUM MEMBER SECRETARY  
DISTRICT HEALTH SOCIETY, BONGAIGAON

No. NHM/DHS-Bong/QAP/ 3373

Dated-25/ 09/ 2023

**Minutes of the District Quality Assurance Committee (DQAC) meeting held on 22/09/2023 in the Chamber of Joint Director of Health Services, Bongaigaon**

The District Quality Assurance Committee meeting was held on 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2023 under the Chairmanship of Joint Director of Health Services, Bongaigaon to review and discuss the Quality Assurance activities across the district.

The following members were present in the meeting:

1. Dr. Paresh Kalita, Joint Director of Health Services, Bongaigaon
2. Mr. Himangshu Kr. Das, Regional Executive Engineer, PCB, Bongaigaon
3. Mr. Karuna Brahma, DPM, NHM, Bongaigaon
4. Dr. K.A. Ahmed, Superintendent, Bongaigaon Civil Hospital
5. Dr. M. M. Kakati, Deputy Superintendent, Abhayapuri CHC
6. Dr. Abani Kt. Sarma, Deputy Superintendent, Srijangram CHC
7. Dr. Bhaskar Medhi, SDM&HO, Srijangram BPHC
8. Dr. Anupam Sarania, Sr M&HO, Bidyapur CHC
9. Dr. G. Das, Sr. M&HO, Senior Gynaecologist, Bongaigaon Civil Hospital
10. Dr. Gitika Pathak, SDMO, Senior Anesthesiologist, Bongaigaon Civil Hospital
11. Dr. P. K. Debnath, SDMO, Senior MD (Medicine), Bongaigaon Civil Hospital
12. Dr. M Hussain, M&HO-1, Jhawbari SD
13. Dr. Sultan Mahmud, M.O Ayur, Bhandara char.
14. Dr. Kayan Kr Ray, M&HO-1, Fagunagaon MPHC
15. Dr. Yamen Qureshi, M&HO- 1, Bongaigaon BPHC
16. Dr. A A Hussain, M&HO-1, Mulagaon MPHC
17. Dr. J Adhikary, M&HO-1, Khagarpur MPHC
18. Dr. Mukul Sarma, M.O Ayur, Chiponsila MPHC
19. Dr. Shahruk Ahmed, M&HO-1, Manikpur MH
20. Dr. Mofidur Rahman, M.O Ayur, Sidalsoti MPHC
21. Dr. Bijoy CH Sarkar, M.O Ayur
22. Dr. Alpana Ray, M.O, Abhayapuri SD
23. Dr. Asir Uddin, M&HO-1, Dumerguri MPHC
24. Dr. Binita Deka, MO-MBBS, Urban PHC, Bongaigaon
25. Dr. M. P. Gogoi, District Nodal Officer, Quality Assurance Program, Bongaigaon
26. Dr. Mukta Mala Brahma, District Consultant, Quality Assurance, NHM, Bongaigaon
27. Mrs. Ambika Sarkar, Asstt. Matron, Bongaigaon Civil Hospital, Bongaigaon
28. Dr. Mizanur Bhuyan, M.O MBBS, Chaprakata MPHC
29. Sumanta Sharma, DAM, NHM Bongaigaon.
30. Kushal Sarma, BAM, NHM Boitamari BPHC.

At the outset, the Joint Director of Health Services, Bongaigaon welcomed the committee for the meeting. The District Consultant, Quality Assurance, Bongaigaon highlighted the major issues pertaining to Quality Assurance program in the district and read out the resolution points of the State Advisory Committee



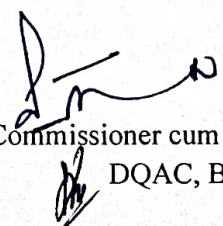
Meeting held on 31/08/2023 under the Chairmanship of Principal Secretary, Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of Assam.

The main agenda point of discussions are as follows:

- Review of the resolution points of the State Advisory Committee Meeting held on 31/08/2023 under the Chairmanship of Principal Secretary, Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of Assam.
- Bio- medical Waste Management rules implementation compliance in the district.
- Preparation for SSU and NQAS in the health facilities of the district.

After threadbare discussion and inputs from members present, the following decisions were taken:

1. In response to the resolution number 4 of the State Advisory Committee Meeting held on 31/08/2023, the house has decided to propose the list of names of health facilities (DH, CHC & Model Hospitals) of Bongaigaon district to NHM, Assam for release of fund for the membership and monthly fees to Ksepya Environment Management Pvt. Ltd. for disposal of BMW through their CBWTF.
2. In response to resolution number 9 of the State Advisory Committee Meeting held on 31/08/2023, the house has decided to prepare a report on the compliance of BMWM rules, 2016 and submit the report to SAC.
3. The house has instructed all the other health facilities like PHC, MPHC, SD and SC to construct deep burial pit, sharp pit and Karnataka model ETP wherever not installed yet and submit the report to the DQAU. Also all the health facilities will comply with the BMWM rules 2016 and submit the annual report (Form IV) that is to be submitted to PCB immediately.
4. All the health facilities will apply for CTO and BMW authorization in the PCB portal by paying the prescribed fees as soon as possible. For any assistance, the health facility can meet the PCB Bongaigaon officials for guidance in their office at Bongaigaon.

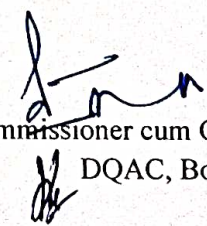
  
District Commissioner cum Chairman,  
DQAC, Bongaigaon

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District Commissioner cum Chairman,  
DQAC, Bongaigaon



Minutes of the State Advisory Committee Meeting held on 31.08.2023 at the GAD Conference Hall at 12.00 Noon under the Chairmanship of Principal Secretary, Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of Assam

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Members Present: As per Annexure-1.

At the outset, the Chairperson welcomed the members present in the meeting.

After a threadbare discussion the following decisions were taken.

1. SAC resolved that PCBA shall prepare a status report on all major Bio-Medical Waste (BMW) incinerators, which were set up in various Govt. Health Care facilities. The report shall highlight the year of purchase and establishment, make of the incinerator, cost of incinerator together with specification (single/double chamber), chimney height, etc. The report shall include in detail the reason for non-operational status of any incinerator and whether those machine could be repaired. PCBA shall submit the report to Director, NHM within 30/09/2023.
2. SAC resolved that all Govt. Health Care Facilities excluding the Health Sub Centres / Non FRU Hospital shall obtain CTE/CTO from the Board by depositing the prescribed CTE/CTO fee. The NHM, DME, DHS in consultation with PCBA for compliance of statutory CTE/CTO/Authorization under the provisions of BMW Rules, 2016.
3. SAC resolved that allotment of land for establishment of Common Bio-Medical Waste Treatment Facility (CBWTF) in Jorhat and Tezpur shall be made within seven (7) days. Concerned District Commissioner shall allot the land to PCBA, the prescribed authority under the BMW Rules, for identification of operator by floating necessary EO/RFP.
4. SAC resolved that all Govt. HCFs shall dispose the BMW waste through CBWTF, wherever exist. The Govt. HCFs located in Barpeta, Bajali, Bongaigaon, Dhubri, Goalpara, Kokrajhar, etc. shall dispose their BMW through the newly established CBWTF at Bajali in the name of Ksepya Environment Management Pvt. Ltd. All other HCFs under the Govt. located around 75 Km of Guwahati city shall dispose their waste through the CBWTF located at Panikhati (M/s Fresh Air Waste Management Services Pvt. Ltd.).
5. SAC resolves that officials of NHM and DHS shall visit the CBWTF to have proper idea on operation of a CBWTF followed by the subsequent guidance to the HCF for implementation of the provisions of the Rules in the State.
6. Director, NHM shall direct all the Govt. HCFs for category wise (Yellow/Red/Blue/White) quantification of BMW generation in all the Govt. HCFs for enabling the PCBA to issue Authorization and compilation of Annual Report.
7. Director, NHM suggested the use of Karnataka model for liquid waste treatment in the Health Sub Centres.
8. SAC resolved that the rates for disposal of BMW by CBWTF shall be revised in the next SAC meeting.
9. SAC resolved that District Level Monitoring Committee under the chairmanship of Deputy Commissioner shall convene a meeting within 15 days regarding the compliance of the BMW Rules, 2016 and submit the report to SAC.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks from the chair.

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Additional Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Assam,  
Health & F.W. Department