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Sub: Demolition of old private ward block and construction of new paid ward block at AIIMS; consequent restrictions in admission of patients - regarding

Consequent to the approval of SFC and GB on the above noted subject, it has been informed that a “letter of intent” has been issued by M/s HSSC (I) Ltd to M/s Larsen & Toubro (P) Ltd vide letter HSSC/AIIMS/Paid Ward/2012 dated 24-07-12. Accordingly, the EE (Civil-I) has requested for handing over vacant possession of the old private ward block to enable M/s HSSC to start the construction work.

In response to a request for allocation of alternate space for offices which are functional on the ground floor of old pvt ward block, the DD(A) has directed the SE to identify alternate space, and has again requested for vacant possession of patient rooms between 16th and 20th August 2012. Accordingly, it is imperative that this would further restrict availability of private rooms, as the 60 rooms in the old private ward will not be available, creating a severe demand-supply mismatch.

However, in compliance with the above decision, the following has been decided:

1. Rooms in old private ward will not be allotted to any patient w.e.f 10.8.2012 (Friday). Similarly, transfer of patients from New private ward to old private ward will also not be allowed.
2. Patients already admitted in old private ward, are likely to be discharged by 20th August, failing which they will be accommodated in new private ward.
3. All clinical Faculty members are requested not to admit patients who are serious/critical in new private ward, as there is no centralized Manifold facility (oxygen, suction) there. To meet emergencies, Oxygen cylinders and Suction machines are available.
4. For those patients who have already been given confirmed dates in advance (till first week of October 2012), all efforts will be made to accommodate them, subject to availability.
5. The existing system of registration and allotment of private wards will be modified suitably keeping in view limited availability of rooms. Circular in this regard is being issued separately.
6. Employees Health Scheme (EHS) and Students Health Scheme (SHS) beneficiaries and students of AIIMS, who do not have any other option of obtaining treatment outside AIIMS, will be given due priority in allotment, based on their entitlement. Other patients including CGHS and ECHS (Defence) beneficiaries will not be entitled to such preferential allotment during this period.

All clinical Faculty members are hereby requested to restrict advising admission of patients in New Private Wards keeping in mind the above guidelines during this interim period. It has been informed by Engineering Services Deptt that the construction work will be completed within 15 months from date of vacant possession of site.

This will be operational with effect from 10.8.2012.

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