

AMALA COLLEGE OF NURSING AQAR (2022-2023)



CRITERION 8 – B 3 NURSING COLLEGE Key Indicator 8.1

Metric No. 8.1.4 Number of first year students, provided with prophylactic immunization against communicable diseases like Hepatitis-B during their clinical work during the year

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IMMUNIZATION POLICY

- 1. All nursing students are required to complete the recommended immunizations as prescribed prior to clinical posting or coming in contact with patients/clients.
- 2. Students are required to submit the proof of immunizations before health check up / starting clinical posting.
- 3. Students who do not complete recommended immunizations in time will not be sent for clinical posting.
- 4. Students who are allergic to any vaccines / immunizations are contraindicated need to submit the medical certificate as a proof for not being immunized.
- 5. Additional immunizations may be required in case of any disease outbreaks.
- 6. Students who are applying for international clinical experiences / willing to work abroad shall meet the immunization requirements for the destination country.
- 7. The applicable costs of immunization are the responsibility of individual student.
- 8. Students must inform their supervisors about the immunization status in relevant clinical situations.
- 9. Students shall inform their faculty if they are suffering from any diseases at the time of immunization.
- 10. All students shall support the prevention and control of transmission of infectious diseases by supporting immunization programs.

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IMMUNIZATION POLICY FOR EMPLOYEES IN AMALA INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES, THRISSUR

- 1. Immunization is suggested for groups at risk of acquiring infection who have not been vaccinated previously.
- 2. All health care workers who may have occupational exposure to blood or other potentially infectious materials are required to be immunized and proof of immunization should be submitted as a condition of enrollment in to training and employment.
- 3. All healthcare workers should have completed the full course of hepatitis B vaccinations
- 4. Booster dose after the primary dose should be received on the scheduled time.
- 5. The health care workers who are previously immunized for hepatitis B should produce the titer adequate certificate
- 6. Additional immunizations may be required in case of any disease outbreaks.
- 7. The applicable cost of immunization is the responsibility of individual staff.
- 8. Staff who are allergic to any vaccines or immunizations are contraindicated need to submit the medical certificate as a proof for not being immunized.
- 9. Susceptible personnel who do not have contraindications to chicken pox immunization should be given two doses of varicella vaccine at least 30 days apart.
- 10. The newly appointed employees should be immunized after employee orientation and within ten days of initial work assignment.
- 11. All staff shall support the prevention and control of transmission of infectious diseases by supporting immunization programs.

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