

**Directorate General of Health Services**  
**Quality Improvement Secretariat**

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Quality Improvement Monitoring Checklist: Patient Safety

Name of hospital: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of monitoring: \_\_\_\_\_

<b>A</b>	<b>Management:</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
1	Quality Improvement Committee (QIC) in place	Yes / No		
2	Have regular meeting of QIC	Yes / No		
3	Patient safety committee in place (a sub-committee of QIC)	Yes / No		
<b>4</b>	<b>Following registers are in place and used:</b>			
4.1	• Recognizing and responding to clinical deterioration of acute case	Yes / No		
4.2	• Prevention and management of pressure injuries	Yes / No		
4.3	• Medication safety	Yes / No		
4.4	• Prevention of fall associated harm	Yes / No		
4.5	• Patient identification and procedure matching	Yes / No		
4.6	• Infection	Yes / No		
4.7	• Risk management register (anesthesia)	Yes / No		
4.8	• Risk management register (general)	Yes / No		
<b>5</b>	<b>Regularly uses following tools/checklists:</b>			
5.1	• Incidence reporting	Yes / No		
5.2	• IPC checklist	Yes / No		
5.3	• Patient safety reporting tool	Yes / No		
5.4	• Sterilization audit checklist	Yes / No		
5.5	• Autoclave audit checklist	Yes / No		
5.6	• Safe surgery checklist for all surgeries	Yes / No		
<b>B</b>	<b>Infection Prevention:</b>			
1	Does the facility has national guideline for IPC (infection prevention and control)	Yes / No		
2	Staff trained on IPC	Yes / No		
3	Practices hand hygiene	Yes / No		
4	Sterilize equipment properly (at 121 <sup>0</sup> C & uses indicator) and store them appropriately	Yes / No		

<b>C</b>	<b>Waste management:</b>			
1	Uses standard color bins for waste management	Yes / No		
2	Waste are segregated at source	Yes / No		
3	Waste are disposed as per SOP	Yes / No		
<b>D</b>	<b>Patient safety indicators (data of last month):</b>			
<b>1</b>	<b>Healthcare associated infections (nosocomial infection)</b>			
1.1	• Wound infection rate			
1.2	• Wound dehiscence rate			
1.3	• Rate of nosocomial infection at ICU			
1.4	• Rate of catheter associated infections			
1.5	• Number of accidental puncture or laceration happened			
<b>2</b>	<b>Medication safety</b>			
2.1	• Number of wrong medication incidents			
2.2	• Number of deaths due to medication errors			
2.3	• Percentage of patients received prophylactic antibiotic prior to operation			
2.4	• Number of complications of anesthesia			
2.5	• Number of incidences of retained surgical items			
<b>3</b>	<b>Blood and blood products</b>			
3.1	• Number of transfusion reaction occurred			
3.2	• Number of incidences of giving wrong blood			
<b>4</b>	<b>Preventing and managing pressure injuries</b>			
4.1	• Rate of pressure ulcer			
4.2	• Rate of birth trauma			
4.3	• Number of obstetric injuries due to assisted vaginal delivery (Forceps/Vacuum)			
<b>5</b>	<b>Recognizing and responding to clinical deterioration in acute health</b>			
5.1	• Number patients developed shock due to PPH/MI/ Eclampsia/ Diarrhea			
<b>6</b>	<b>Preventing fall associated harm</b>			
6.1	• Number of falls happened			
6.2	• Number of falls that had caused fractures			

<b>7</b>	<b>Patient identification and procedure matching</b>			
7.1	• Number of mismatch happened			
7.2	• Number of incidences of incorrect patient identified during operation or during a procedure			
7.3	• Number of procedural mismatching happened			
<b>E</b>	<b>Other management issues:</b>			
1	Analyze patient safety issues (incidents) monthly	Yes / No		
2	Report/present data and discuss patient safety issues in the QIC meetings	Yes / No		
3	Develop action plan based on recommendations, implement the plan and monitor them	Yes / No		
<b>F</b>	<b>Specialized Services ( If services available)</b>			
1	CCU Monitoring checklist using	Yes / No		
2	ICU Monitoring Check list using	Yes / No		
3	Dialysis Check list using	Yes / No		

Note : If Any Services are not available Please mention it in the remarks: