

Quarterly Report
on
Implementation of the
Pre-conception and Pre-natal Diagnostic Techniques (PC&PNDT)
(Prohibition of Sex Selection) Act, 1994

Report for the Quarter ended on : 31.12.2019

Name of the State : Himachal Pradesh

Sl.No.	Items	During the quarter	Total up to this quarter's end (Since inception of the Act)
	Number of Facilities registered in the State as	-	-
	(a) Genetic Counseling Centres	-	-
	(b) Genetic Laboratories	-	-
	(c) Genetic Clinics	-	-
	(d) Ultrasound Clinics / Imaging Centres	04	493
1	(e) Jointly as Genetic Counselling Centre/ Genetic Laboratory/ Genetic clinic / Ultrasound Clinics / Imaging centres or any combination thereof	-	-
	(f) Mobile clinics (vehicles)	-	-
	(g) Other bodies like IVF centres/ Infertility Cure Centres /fertility Centres etc. using equipments / techniques capable of making sex selection before or after conception	-	01
2	Of the number shown in item(1) above, number of Government facilities in the State (including Central Government /State/UT Govt / Zilla Parishad/ Municipal)	-	-


	(a) Genetic Counselling Centres	-	-
	(b) Genetic Laboratories	-	-
	(c) Genetic Clinics	-	-
	(d) Ultrasound Clinics / Imaging Centres	01	100
	(e) Jointly as Genetic Counselling Centre/ Genetic Laboratory/ Genetic clinic / Ultrasound Clinics / Imaging centres or any combination thereof.	-	-
	(f) Mobile clinics (vehicles)	-	-
	(g) Other bodies like IVF centres/ Infertility Cure Centres / fertility centres etc. using equipments / techniques capable of making sex selection before or after conception	-	-
	Number of application for registration rejected for-	-	-
3	(a) Genetic Counselling Centres	-	-
	(b) Genetic Laboratories	-	-
	(c) Genetic Clinics	-	-
	(d) Ultrasound Clinics / Imaging Centres	-	-
	(e) Jointly as Genetic Counselling Centre/ Genetic Laboratory/ Genetic clinic / Ultrasound Clinics / Imaging centres or any combination thereof.	-	-
	(f) Mobile clinics (vehicles)	-	-
	(g) Other bodies like IVF centres/ Infertility Cure Centres/ fertility centres etc. using equipments / techniques capable of making sex selection before or after conception	-	-
	(Please give the reason for rejection of application in each case)		
	Number of renewals of registration in respect of:	-	-
4	(a) Genetic Counselling Centres	-	-
	(b) Genetic Laboratories	-	-
	(c) Genetic Clinics	-	-
	(d) Ultrasound Clinics / Imaging Centres	02	344
	(e) Jointly as Genetic Counselling Centre/ Genetic Laboratory/ Genetic clinic / Ultrasound Clinics / Imaging centres or any combination thereof.	-	-
	(f) Mobile clinics (vehicle)	-	-

	(g) Other bodies like IVF centres/ Infertility Cure Centres/ fertility centres etc. using equipments / techniques capable of making sex selection before or after conception	-	-
5	Number of premises inspected by the Appropriate Authorities or persons authorized by the Appropriate Authorities during the quarter for registration/renewal of registration/cancellation or suspension of registration/violations of the Act/Rules (please give details on separate sheet)	253	8566
6	Number of suspensions or cancellations of Registration under section 20 of the Pre-natal Diagnostic Techniques (Regulation and Prevention of Misuse) Act, 1994 in the State in respect of :-	-	-
	(a) Genetic Counselling Centres	-	-
	(b) Genetic Laboratories	-	-
	(c) Genetic Clinics	-	-
	(d) Ultrasound Clinics / Imaging Centres	-	126
	(e) Jointly as Genetic Counselling Centre/ Genetic Laboratory/ Genetic clinic / Ultrasound Clinics / Imaging centres or any combination thereof.		
	(f) Mobile clinics (vehicles)	-	-
(g) Other bodies like IVF centres/ Infertility Cure Centres/ fertility centres etc. using equipments / techniques capable of making sex selection before or after conception (please give details on separate sheet)	-	-	
7	Action taken to create public awareness against the practice of preconception sex selection, Pre-natal determination of sex and female foeticide through:	Annexure-A	
	(a) Print Media	-	-
	(b) Electronic Media including Radio and TV	-	-
	(c) Hoarding		
	(d) Other appropriate means (Please give details on separate sheet)[179,495 posters distributed to districts (Annexure D)]	-	-
8	i. Dates of the meetings of the State Supervisory Board constituted under section 16A of the Act (at least once in 4 months)	-	11.07.2019

	ii. Dates of the meetings of the State level Multi-member Appropriate Authority Appointed at the State level under Section 17(3) (a) of the Act as amended vide clause 15 of the PNDDT Amendment Act, 2002	-	29.05.2019
	iii. Dates of the meetings of each Advisory Committee (the intervening period between Meetings of Advisory Committees should not exceed 60 days)	Annexure-A	-
	(please give details of the meetings of each and every Advisory Committee functioning at State, District and Sub District level of separate sheet)	-	-
9	Action taken to publish list of members of the State Supervisory Board, Appropriate Authorities and Advisory Committees through :	Annexure-A	
	(a) Print Media	-	-
	(b) Electronic Media	-	-
	(c) Hoardings	-	-
	(d) Any other appropriate means	-	-
	(please give details on separate sheet)	-	-
10	Action taken inclusive of search and seizure of Machines, records etc. against bodies / person operating without a valid certificate of Registration under the Act (Please give details on separate sheet)	N.A	N.A.
11	Information / Report on survey of bodies i.e. Genetic Counselling Centres, Genetic Laboratories, Genetic Clinics/Ultrasound Clinic/Imagine Centre/Mobile Clinic / other clinical establishments to unearth violation(s) of provisions of the Act/Rules. (Please give details on separate sheet)	-	-
12	Details of cases filed against violators of the Act/Rules for:	-	-
	i. Non-registration		
	ii. Non-maintenance of Records	-	2
	iii. Communication of sex of foetus	-	1
	iv. Advertisement about facilities for pre-conception/pre-natal sex-selection	-	

	v. Number of cases decided / closed	-	5
	vi. Number of ultrasound machines / image scanners sealed / seized for	-	-
	(a) non-registration of clinic / centre	-	-
	(b) other violations of the Act/Rules.	-	1
	vii. Number of ultrasound machines / image scanners released (Please give details on separate sheet)	-	-
13	Number of complaints received by the Appropriate Authorities under the Act and details of action taken pursuant thereto. (Please give details on separate sheet)	-	-
14	Number and nature of the awareness campaigns conducted and results flowing there from. (Please give details including details of advertisements/posters/handbills etc. on separate sheet)	Annexure-A	-
15	Number of complaints filed in courts in the State by Appropriate Authorities / others (Please give details on separate sheet)	-	9
16	Details of action taken on the information / report received from the manufacturer, importer, dealer or supplier etc., of ultrasound machines/ imaging machines etc. regarding details of those to whom the machines/ equipments have been provided during the quarter	Not any	Not any
17	Details of incidence coming to the notice of the State regarding sale of ultrasound machines/ imaging machines etc. to bodies not registered under the Act and action take thereon.	Not any	Not any

Yours faithfully,


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ANNEXURE-A

Sr. No.	Name of Distt.	Sr. No. 7. Action to create Public awareness.	Sr. No. 8. Date of meetings.	Sr. No. 9. Action taken to publish list of members.	Sr. No. 14 No. & Nature of awareness campaigns
1.	Bilaspur	Print Media, IEC Activities, Boards, Banners etc.	Nil	Installed Sign boards at USG clinics displaying the names and contact Nos. of members of advisory committee	Nil
2.	Chamba	Banner, IEC Activities, Sign Boards, Advertisement etc.	05.11.2019	Already displayed	Save girl child posters, Beti Hai Anmol, Women Empowerment etc.
3.	Hamirpur	Hoardings displayed	Nil	Updated list of DAA displayed in every Private/Govt. USG centers	Through Media
4.	Kangra	32 IEC Activities Total-58	24.12.2019	Updated list of DAA	As at Sr. No. 7
5.	Kinnaur	Displayed in DH & all the USG Clinic	Nil	Already displayed	As at Sr. No.7
6.	Kullu	Print Media, IEC Activities, Boards, Banners etc.	09.10.2019 18.10.2019 23.12.2019	Sign Boards displayed, Awareness activities being conducted	As at Sr. No.7
7.	Lahaul & Spiti	One Workshop, Hoardings displayed, Print media and posters	Nil	Already displayed	As at Sr. No.7
8.	Mandi	Nil	Nil	Sign Boards displayed, Awareness activities being conducted	Inter-personal contacts made by FHWs, AWWs & ASHAs at village level to prevent foeticide
9.	Shimla	IEC Exhibition done and IEC material distributed on different occasions on 07.07.2019 & 11.08.2019	Nil	Already displayed	As at Sr. No.7
10.	Sirmaur	Nil	Nil	Already displayed	As at Sr. No.7
11.	Solan	Nil	Nil	Notice Board, Print Media	IEC activities being conducted in the Distt. with other National Programmes/Exhibition installed in Red Cross Fairs Himachal Utsav
12.	Una	Print Media, IEC Activities, Boards, Banners etc.	Nil	Already displayed	As at Sr. No.7


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