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### NOTIFICATION

In light of the recent maternal mortality at Central Regional Referral Hospital, the Bhutan Medical & Health Council as mandated by Bhutan Medical & Health Council Act 2002 and Regulations 2005 would like to once again remind our medical and health professionals the following for working towards patient-centered care:

- Maintain high standards of professionalism in the practice;
- Always consult and seek timely opinion from the seniors and expert colleagues for timely management of the patients;
- Render all professional services with compassionate care without delay;
- Conduct in line with the Code of Conduct, Ethics and Etiquette as per the Regulations;
- Refer relevant standards and guidelines; and
- Provide information to the patient parties as and when required.

All the DHOs and In-charges/Heads of health facilities must continuously supervise and monitor the practice of medical and health professionals. The Council shall initiate disciplinary proceedings against professionals who do not abide by the Code of Conduct and duties under the BMHC Act and Regulations 2005.

  
(Kinga Jamphel)  
Registrar

Copy to:

- The PS to Hon'ble Lyonpo, Ministry of Health, President of BMHC for kind appraisal.
- The Hon'ble Secretary, Ministry of Health, Chair of Executive Committee, BMHC for kind information.
- The Director General, DMS, Chair of Professional Ethics Committee, BMHC for kind information and necessary action.
- The Chief Medical Officer, RBA Lungtenphu Military Hospital for kind information and necessary action.
- The Medical Superintendent, JDWNRH/MRRH/CRRH for information and necessary action.
- The CMO/Medical Officers, all Hospitals for information and necessary action.
- All DHOs, All Dzongkhags for information and necessary action.
- The CMO, Mangdechhu Hydroelectric Project Authority for information and necessary action.
- All Proprietors of Private Diagnostic Centres for information and necessary action.
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