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Government of India
National Center for Vector Borne Disease Control.
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OFFICE ORDER

An Expert Committee for the Japanese Encephalitis (JE) Programme, including vaccination-related activities, is hereby constituted under the Chairmanship of DGHS/Addl. DGHS.

The names of the committee members are as mentioned below: -

S.No.	Name & Designation	Role
1	Dr Tanu Jain, Director, NCVBDC	Members
2	Dr. P J Bhuyan, Addl. Dir & Head, JE division, NCVBDC	
3	Dr. Nivedita Gupta, Scientist-F, ICMR	
4	Dr. Pawan Kumar, Additional Commissioner, Immunization Division, MOH&FW	
5	Dr. Rakesh Aggarwal, Professor, SGPGI, Lucknow (NTAGI member)	
6	Dr. Ashutosh Biswas, Executive Director & CEO, AIIMS, Bhubaneswar	
7	Dr. Anil Ramesh Koparkar, Additional Professor, Community and Family Medicine, AIIMS, Gorakhpur	
8	Dr. Jutika Ojah, HoD, Community Medicine, GMCH, Guwahati	
9	Dr. Manisha Ruikar, Professor & Head, Community & Family Medicine, AIIMS Raipur	
10	Representative from IDSP, NCDC	
11	Dr. Suman Kanungo, Director, RMRC, Dibrugarh	
12	Dr. P. K. Sen, Ex-Director, NCVBDC	
13	State Programme Officer, Assam	
14	State Programme Officer, Bihar	
15	State Programme Officer, UP	
16	Dr Nirmal Joe, SRD, Chennai.	
17	Dr. Sambit Pradhan, Asst. Dir, NCVBDC	Member Secretary

Terms of Reference (TOR) of Technical Committee:

Endemicity Criteria Development:

To analyze/examine the data of the JE areas and to suggest endemic areas likely to be covered under JE routine vaccination.

Recommendation of adult vaccination Proposal:

To decide about the criteria to be used for identification of areas for adult JE vaccination.

Technical guidance to JE programme:

To provide technical inputs for strengthening JE surveillance, including integration with IDSP-IHIP and laboratory networks.

This issues with the approval of DGHS Delhi.

13/3/2016

(Dr. Pranab Jyoti Bhuyan)
Additional Director & HoD,
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To
All concerned.
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1. PPS to DGHS.
2. IT Division of NCVBDC to upload the order in the website.
3. O/o Director, NCVBDC, Delhi.