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Sub: Guidelines regarding qualification of Radiotherapy Technologist working in the country

As per the revised AERB Safety Code for radiotherapy facilities AERB/RF-SC/MED-1 (rev.1), 2011, the qualification stipulated for radiation therapy technologist is as follows:

- 10+2 or equivalent examination with science subject from a recognized university or board and
- 2 years radiation therapy technologist course or equivalent based on the minimum course content prescribed by the competent authority passed from a recognized institution with infield training in radiotherapy.

In view of the above, henceforth, you are hereby directed not to (a) employ any person to work as radiotherapy technologist unless he/she meets the qualification stipulated in the revised safety code AERB/RF-SC/MED-1 (rev.1), 2011 and (b) recruit any trainee radiotherapy technologist as there is no provision for the same in the present code.

The Radiotherapy Technologists, who were complying with the qualifications stipulated in the old Safety Code i.e. AERB/SC/MED-1 & 3 prior to publication of the new Safety Code will be allowed to continue as Radiotherapy Technologists. However, those who were inducted as trainee Radiotherapy Technologists as per the old code and yet to complete 5 years or those who are working as Radiotherapy Technologists for more than 5 years without having basic or professional qualifications will be considered for regularisation as per the procedure mentioned in the attached Annexure-1. It may be noted that no such regularisation will be considered in future.

In case, you are conducting Radiotherapy Technologist Course, approach AERB for assessment of suitability of the course based on requirements of AERB Safety Code (if not yet done), failing to which the candidates passing out from your institution may not be recognised to work as Radiotherapy Technologists in the country.

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Sub. : Regularisation of Candidates not complying with the qualifications stipulated in AERB Safety Code for Radiotherapy Technologists

The following candidates, already working in Radiotherapy Departments in the country prior to December, 2010 will be considered for regularization:

1. Candidates with basic qualification 10+2 in Science, working as trainee technicians and would complete 5 years of work experience by December 31, 2015 would be regularised after successful completion of one-week Safety Certification course (specifically to be conducted for regularisation purpose).
2. Candidates not meeting basic or professional qualification but acquired more than 5 years experience in radiotherapy by 31st December 2010 will be regularised after successful completion of one-week Safety Certification course (specifically to be conducted for regularisation purpose).

In case, any of your radiotherapy technologist meets the above criteria, you may approach this Division by sending the **filled in form attached overleaf as Annexure-2, for registering his/her name** for attending the Safety Certification course **not later than February 29, 2012**. Candidates not meeting the above criteria will not be considered for regularisation.

It may be noted that all the application submitted to AERB will be verified against (a) names reported through Annual Safety Status Report of 2010 and (b) data of radiotherapy technologists submitted in response to our earlier letter vide AERB/RSD/RT/11282 dated November 11, 2010.

The process of arrangement of Safety Certification programmes will be initiated after registration process is completed and communication will be sent after finalising the date and venue.

Registration for Regularisation of Radiotherapy Technologist through Safety Certification
(Please attach separate sheet for each candidate)

1. Institution Number Allotted by AERB:
2. Name of the Institution with Address:

Telephone Number:

Fax Number:

e-mail:

3. Name of the Candidate:

TLD Badge Number:

Mobile Number:

Office Number:

e-mail:

4. Employed in the year (in DD/MM/Year):

5. Basic qualification: (i) 10+2 in Science ☐ (ii) B.Sc. ☐

(iii) Any other (Specify):

(Please attach attested copies of the certificates and mark sheets)

6. Professional qualification: (i) Diploma in Radiotherapy Technology ☐

(ii) Advance Diploma in Radiotherapy Technology ☐

(iii) Any other (Specify):

(Please attach attested copies of the certificates and mark sheets)

7. Duration of the professional course: (i) 1year ☐ (ii) 2 years ☐ (iii) 3years ☐

(iv) Any other (Specify):

8. Total working experience in radiotherapy:

(Please attach attested copies of work experience of previous institution in support)

9. Any other information:

(Signature of the Candidate with date)
Name:

(Signature of Head of the Institution with date)
Name & Designation:

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