

2nd Task Force meeting minutes

2nd task force meeting was held on 21st July 2020 at 4.00 PM. The following members were present in the meeting which was arranged over online Google meet

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Jayasri Das Sarma

Priya Dey

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The Task Force confirmed the minutes of “1st Task Force meeting” and recommends the following advice for the implementation in IISER Kolkata.

- 1) 50 – 60 rooms (preferably in separate isolated block if the whole building is not fully vacant) should be kept ready in Nibedita Hostel for unseen outbreak of Covid-19 in student hostels. The same rooms can be used for isolation of contacts in case of +ve case.
- 2) Visitor Hostel should be fully dedicated and kept ready to use for quarantine facility. No healthy guest should occupy any room of VH. Total 25 rooms should be kept ready for the same purpose. Permission of authority is needed before announcing VH to be used for quarantine facility only.
- 3) Members discussed to have “oxygen concentrator bipap” in medical unit and it was decided that medical unit will discuss the same issue in a separate meeting of Medical Unit as it is not only Corona-19 specific need. Members appreciate of having such facility in unit to enhance the unit’s capability in handling breathing issues in patients.
- 4) A separate Covid-19 specific ambulance should be hired on rental basis for at least 6 months from now onwards. The same ambulance will be used only for Covid-19 suspected / confirmed cases only.
- 5) Name of care givers should be recorded for Nibedita Hostel, Visitor Hostel, Pre-Fab 2 facility. DoSA and SAC work together with IWD to find the appropriate names. Those persons may be included for insurance too.

6) "IISER Kolkata guideline for Covid-19 management" prepared by Medical Unit was discussed and the same document should be available for campus residence for their knowledge.
