



NATIONAL NEONATOLOGY FORUM

Subject: Tragic Incident at Jhansi Hospital & Call for Adherence to Fire Safety Protocols

Dt: 16.11.2024

Dear NNF Members,

The recent fire at Jhansi Hospital, which claimed the lives of 10 infants as per report, is a profound tragedy that deeply saddens us all. This incident serves as a somber reminder of the vital importance of robust safety measures in our healthcare facilities. This tragic event underscores the critical importance of stringent safety measures.

As a national body dedicated to neonatal care, we previously issued a comprehensive NNF advisory on fire safety on 03.06.2024 for healthcare facilities. We strongly urge all members and associated institutions to ensure immediate and thorough compliance with these recommendations in the advisory to prevent such devastating events.

NNF Fire Safety Advisory : [https://nnfi.org/assests/upload/announcement-pdf/eHZdi07oDLMV1zq_NNF-%20Fire%20Safety%20\(234\).pdf](https://nnfi.org/assests/upload/announcement-pdf/eHZdi07oDLMV1zq_NNF-%20Fire%20Safety%20(234).pdf)

Let us reaffirm our commitment to safeguarding neonatal lives through collective vigilance and action.

Sincerely,

Best Regards,

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