

## **Delhi Commission for Protection of Child Rights (DCPCR)**

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### **Roles and responsibilities of the Health and Nutrition Division**

The following are the roles and responsibilities of the Health and Nutrition Division of the Commission:

1. To monitor and review the implementation of mid-day meal schemes in schools administered and aided by the Government of NCT of Delhi, and the local bodies, inquire into specific complaints/violations or take Suo-moto cognizance and advise the authorities concerned with respect to issues of malnutrition.
2. To monitor and review the distribution of nutritional supplements for children aged under six years, pregnant women, and lactating mothers under Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS), inquire into specific complaints/violations or take Suo-moto cognizance and advise the authorities concerned with respect to issues of malnutrition.
3. To monitor and review the schemes related to pregnancy care, newborn care, lactating mothers, newborn screening in hospital, and immunization of the children, inquire into specific complaints/violations or take Suo-moto cognizance and advise the authorities concerned.
4. To monitor and review the working of Nutritional Resources Centers in public hospitals, inquire into specific complaints/violations or take Suo-moto cognizance and advise the authorities concerned.

5. To monitor, review and promote the adolescent girls health particularly with regard to their menstrual hygiene, iron levels, vitamin and other micronutrients inquire into specific complaints/violations or take Suo-moto cognizance and advise the authorities concerned.

6. To monitor, review and promote the Right to Play as mandated by Hon'ble High Court of Delhi.

7. To organize public awareness campaigns, seminars, conferences, discussions, and to conduct documentation and research on above-mentioned roles.

8. Any other functions that the Commission may decide from time to time.