

Press release

Successful complex heart surgery performed on an infant at NHMMI Hospital.

A 4 month old baby weighing 4kgs was admitted at NHMMI Hospital, Raipur, with severe respiratory distress. The baby was assessed and evaluated by Dr Kinjal Bakshi, senior paediatric cardiologist and was found to have a rare congenital heart disease called Total Anomalous pulmonary venous connection (TAPVC). This is a rare disease accounting to only about 1.5% to 3% of all congenital heart Diseases. In this condition all the blood from the lungs enter the right side of the heart instead of the left side. Only 10% of the babies born with this disease survive the first year of life

The treatment for this condition is an Emergency complex surgical repair. The complex cardiac surgical repair was performed by the CTVS team of NHMMI Hospital including Dr P K Hari Kumar, Senior cardiothoracic surgeon, senior cardiac anaesthetists Dr Rakesh Kumar Chand and Dr Arun Andappan, Dr Tej Kumar Varma, Cardiac Surgeon and Mr Ashwani Kumar, Perfusionist.

As the parents were unable to afford the cost, The surgery was done under the government scheme free of cost for the parents.

The baby recovered well postoperatively and was discharged in a stable condition on the seventh post operative day.

Mr Naveen Sharma, Facility director, NHMMI Hospital, mentioned that the Cardiac sciences department of NHMMI Hospital is a highly specialised and a comprehensive department, performing complex treatment procedures for both Adult as well as Paediatric cardiac patients.

About NH MMI Narayana Superspeciality Hospital:

NH MMI Narayana Superspecialty Hospital, Raipur came into existence in August 2011 when an already established 56 bedded hospital was transformed into a 157 bedded hospital combined with state-of-the-art equipment, facilities, latest operation theater and medical prowess. Today this hospital has become the leading medical institution of Central India with a capacity of 250 beds, which is providing wide and excellent services in areas like Cardiology, Psychiatry, Kidney Disease and Orthopedics. The building area of the hospital is about 1.26 lakh square feet spread over a 3 acre campus. Situated in the most accessible area of Raipur city, this hospital is the most suitable place for the patients to recover quickly.

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