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Rashtriya Bal Swasthya Karyakram (RBSK)

Free health screening for children from birth to 18 years, and free treatment if a health problem is found. It runs at Anganwadi centres and schools.

What you may get

Children are screened for four types of problems: defects at birth, diseases, deficiencies and developmental delays, covering 32 common health conditions. Early treatment and follow up are free, including surgery at higher hospitals.

Who it is for

All children from birth to 18 years. Newborns are screened at health facilities, children aged 0 to 6 at Anganwadi centres, and school children in government and government aided schools.

Main conditions

- Children from birth up to 18 years.
- Screening happens at health facilities, Anganwadi centres and government or government aided schools.
- Treatment for the listed conditions is free of cost.

Documents

- No document is needed for the screening. Carry the child's health card or any earlier reports if you have them.

How to apply

1. There is no application. Your child is screened at the Anganwadi centre or school, or at the health facility after birth.
2. If a problem is found, the child is linked to early intervention and follow up care at the district level.
3. If you are worried about your child's health, ask the Anganwadi worker, the school teacher or the nearest government health centre about the screening.

Status

Ongoing

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