

**A STUDY OF CLINICAL RISK MANAGEMENT IN AYURVEDA TEACHING  
HOSPITALS IN SRI LANKA**

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Clinical risk or healthcare risk is the chance of an adverse outcome resulting from clinical investigation, treatment or patient care. Risk associated with patient care can never be completely eliminated; therefore, there is a risk in ayurveda hospitals also. As Patients, they came to hospital with risk. After entering the health care system, if they have to face several types of clinical risks, they unsatisfied about their safety and quality of hospital. Then the patient demand is decreased and the number of patient coming to the hospital is also decrease. So the clinical risk management plays a crucial role in health sector today for enabling hospitals to enhance patient safety. Health-care facilities in most developed and transitional countries use a range of mechanisms to measure harm caused to patients and staff, as well as avoid known problems. But there was no proper method to manage clinical risk in ayurveda hospitals in Sri Lanka. The purpose of this study is to identify the Clinical Risks in Ayurveda Teaching Hospitals in Sri Lanka. Data will be gathered of the samples of patients from Ayurveda teaching hospitals and studies have used mainly the questionnaires and observation methods. The secondary data will be gathered using reports and other reliable sources. This study underlines the importance of studying the clinical risk in ayurveda hospitals and gets knowledge to manage it.

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