

Salient features of the Civil Registration System in West Bengal

Table III.1: Administrative set-up of Civil Registration functionaries at different levels

	State Level	District Level/Subdivisional Level/Block Level	Periphery Level	
			Urban Area	Rural Area
1.	Chief Registrar of Births and Deaths (Director of Health Services, West Bengal)	District Registrar of Births and Deaths (District Magistrate)	Registrar of Births and Deaths (any responsible employee of the Municipal Corporation, Municipality, Notified Area, Cantonment or other areas having urban characteristics)	Local Registrar of Births and Deaths (2nd Medical officer attached to BPHC/ Rural Hosptal)
2.	Deputy Chief Registrar of Births and Deaths (Director, State Bureau of Health Intelligence, West Bengal)	Additional District Registrar of Births and Deaths (i) ADM (General Administration) (ii) Chief Medical Officer of Health (iii) Dy. Chief Medical Officer of Health (iv) Sub-Divisional Officer (v) Block Development Officer		Sub-Registrar of Births and Deaths (Pradhan of the Gram Panchayat)
3.	Assistant Chief Registrar of Births and Deaths [Assistant Director of Health Services (V.S.), West Bengal]			

