Roles & Responsibilities of ASHA for Paediatric COVID Care

Awareness Generation in community
- What are the signs and Symptoms of COVID -19 in Paediatric Age group
- What are the Red flag signs- Whom to contact in emergency
- Where to go in case of symptoms
- What are the COVID Appropriate Behavior (CAB)
- When and where to get tested
- Reassurance to community that there is no need for Panic

Whom to visit
- Visit all houses with children and communities.

How Often
- During routine services and house to house visit

Surveillance
- House to House survey

Whom to visit
- All homes with special focus on:
  - Influenza like illness in child (Fever/Cold/ Runny nose/ Sore throat/ Cough etc)
  - Acute respiratory symptoms in child
  - When the child has co-morbid conditions (Chronic disease/ Malnutrition)

Case Management and follow-up for Paediatric COVID
- Adherence to Home isolation guidelines
- Linking of the child to the higher facility in case of complication
- Post COVID follow-up

Whom to visit
- COVID positive / suspected children

How Often
- At least once a day / Telephone enquiry

Vaccinations
- Dispel myths and misconception.
- Mobilization for Routine Immunization of the child
- Facilitation in registration of eligible parents and caregivers for COVID vaccination