

11. They shall never, on any account, allow anything to be brought into the wards, or given to the patients, except that which is ordered.

12. They shall give immediate notice to the attending Physician or Surgeon, or, in his absence, to the Steward or to the Matron, when any patient or patients shall have violated any of the By-laws of the Hospital.

13. They shall always keep themselves clean and decently clothed.

## CHAPTER IX.

### OF THE ADMISSION OF PATIENTS.

1. Every Governor and Medical Officer of the Hospital, and the Ministers belonging to the different Protestant congregations of this city, may recommend patients to be admitted into the Hospital in the manner and form hereinafter prescribed; but it shall be the exclusive prerogative of the attending Physician or Surgeon, as the case may be, to judge if the person so recommended be labouring under such disease as is admissible into the Hospital.

2. No patient shall be admitted into the Hospital whose case shall be considered incurable, contagious, infectious, or who is insane, nor whose case does not require the particular benefit of indoor practice.

3. No woman in advanced pregnancy shall be admitted.