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The Allahabad High Court has issued a strong directive to the Uttar Pradesh government, urging the establishment of a comprehensive policy to prohibit private practice by doctors employed in state-run hospitals. The court described the practice as a growing "menace," highlighting instances where government doctors were diverting patients to private facilities for personal financial gain. Justice Rohit Ranjan Agarwal expressed concern over the dereliction of duties in public...

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