

State level workshop on Development of District Action Plans under National Programme on  
Climate Change and Human Health (NPCCHH)

Date: December 17 & 18, 2024

Venue: GIDM Gandhinagar

Schedule

Timing	Session
DAY 1	
09:00-10:00	Registration and Breakfast
10:00-10:30	<p><b>Inaugural session:</b> <b>Welcome address:</b> Dr. Narayan Gaonkar, Health Specialist, UNICEF Gujarat <b>Objective setting:</b> Mr. Nageshwar Patidar, WASH and CCES Specialist, UNICEF Gujarat</p> <p><b>Keynote address:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dr. J.M Katira, Deputy Director, Epidemic Cell, DHFW</li><li>• Dr. Mukesh Joshi, Consultant, GIDM</li><li>• Mr. Prasanta Dash, Chief, Gujarat Field Office, UNICEF</li><li>• Dr. Nilam Patel, Additional Director, Public Health, DHFW</li></ul>
10:30 – 11:15	<p><b>Healthy environment for Healthy Children (HEHC)</b> Panel discussion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Children’s environmental health risks,</li><li>• Harmful effects of lead and impact on children,</li><li>• Views on the Burden of Lead Poisoning in India</li><li>• Integrating HEHC in NPCCHH</li></ul> <p><b>Facilitator:</b> Dr. Narayan Gaonkar, Health Specialist, UNICEF, Dr. J.M Katira, Deputy Director, Govt. of Gujarat Dr. Ramesh Bajania, Paediatrician and Central IAP Executive Board Member (TBC), Dr Sandeep Thakkar, UNICEF, Delhi (TBC)</p>
11:15- 11:40	<p><b>Introduction to NPCCHH</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Objectives and key focus areas of NPCCHH</li><li>• Climate sensitive health issues</li><li>• Initiatives under NPCCHH at state level (Gujarat)</li></ul> <p><b>Facilitator:</b> Dr. Jayesh Solanki, State Epidemiologist. DHFW</p>

11:40- 11:50	<b>TEA BREAK</b>
11:50- 12:35	<p><b>Technical session 1: Green and Climate resilient Healthcare facilities</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Components under Green and Climate resilient healthcare facilities</li> <li>• Interventions for energy conservation, water management, green and SMART building and Waste management</li> <li>• GCR HCF Toolkit and KOBO tool overview</li> </ul> <p><b>Facilitator:</b> Mr. Nageshwar Patidar, WASH &amp; CCES Specialist, UNICEF Gujarat</p>
12:35- 12:50	<p><b>Technical session 2: Solar electrification of healthcare facilities</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Process of solar electrification of healthcare facilities/ District Vaccine centers (DVCs)</li> <li>• Energy assessment process in health care facilities and solarization</li> </ul> <p><b>Facilitator:</b> Dr. Nikhil, National Institute of Solar Energy(NISE) (TBC) Gujarat Energy Development Agency GEDA (TBC)</p>
12:50- 13:30	<p><b>Technical Session 3: Vector-Borne Diseases in Context of Climate Change</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vector control measures</li> <li>• Health sector preparedness for vector borne diseases.</li> <li>• Surveillance system of vector borne diseases</li> <li>• Control measures in post-disaster situations in community and relief camps</li> </ul> <p><b>Facilitator:</b> Dr. Mukesh Kapadiya, State Program Officer/Dr. Vijay Patel, Epidemic Medical Officer NVBDCP, DHFW/ (TBC)</p>
13:30- 14:15	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>
14:15- 15:00	<p><b>Technical session 4: Extreme Weather Events and Mitigating risks of Health care services and systems</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Health facility disaster vulnerability assessment and preparedness for EWE and disasters</li> <li>• Disaster management committee and preparedness and response plan at health facility level</li> <li>• Climate resilient and disaster resilient measures (structural/functional)</li> <li>• Post-disaster surveillance and damage assessment</li> </ul> <p><b>Facilitator:</b> Mr. Nisarg Dave, GIDM/ Mr. Sarbjit Sahota, DRR Specialist, UNICEF Delhi</p>

15:00- 15:45	<b>Technical session 5: Heat and Health</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Heat-health impact, prevention measures</li> <li>• Surveillance case identification and reporting</li> <li>• Health facility preparedness</li> <li>• Clinical management of HRI</li> </ul> <b>Facilitator:</b> National resource person, UNICEF/ NCDC
15:45- 16:00	<b>Tea Break</b>
16:00- 16:45	<b>Technical session 6: Air Pollution Related Diseases</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Air Pollution &amp; Its Impact on Health</li> <li>• Health Adaptation Plan for Disease Due to Air Pollutions</li> <li>• Health Sector Preparedness for Air Pollution</li> <li>• Surveillance of acute respiratory infections (ARIs)</li> </ul> <b>Facilitator:</b> National resource person, UNICEF/ NCDC
16:45- 18:00	<b>Presentations by District EMOs on DAPCCHH (review of existing plans)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Panel for Air Pollution related diseases: Bharuch/ Vapi/ Rajkot</li> <li>• Panel for Vector Borne Diseases: Surat</li> <li>• Panel for Green and Climate resilient HCF: Vadodara/ Navsari</li> <li>• Panel for Extreme weather events: Dwarka/Gir Somnath/Kutchh</li> <li>• Panel for Heat and Health: Anand/ Ahmedabad</li> </ul> <b>Facilitator:</b> National resource person, UNICEF/ NCDC and State team  <b>Presentation of example of a good DAPCCHH (from other states)</b> <b>Facilitator:</b> National resource person, UNICEF/ NCDC
<b>DAY 2</b>	
09:00- 09:30	<b>BREAKFAST</b>
09:30- 12:30	<b>Group discussion- Drafting process of DAPCCHH (component wise)</b> <b>Facilitator:</b> National resource person, UNICEF/ NCDC and State team
12:30- 13:30	<b>Presentations by District EMOs on DAPCCHH (Discussion of final drafts)</b> <b>Facilitator:</b> National resource person, UNICEF/ NCDC and State team
13:30- 14:15	<b>LUNCH BREAK</b>

14:15- 15:00	<b>Road safety and injury prevention for children and adolescents</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Awareness and promote strategies for road safety and injury prevention among children and adolescents, ensuring their protection and well-being.</li> </ul> <b>Facilitator:</b> Gujarat Road Safety Authority/UNICEF (TBC)
15:00-16:00	<b>Conclusion and way forward</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Timelines for submission of action plans</li> </ul> <b>Facilitator:</b> Dr. J.M. Katira, Deputy Director, Epidemic/ Dr. Jayesh Solanki, State Epidemiologist
16:00	Tea and Wrap-up

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