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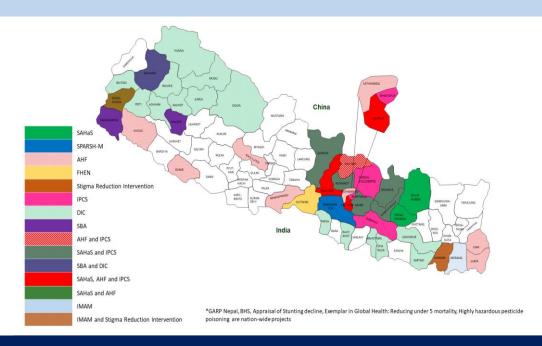


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ONGOING PROJECTS

<u>Strengthening and Activating District</u> <u>Health System (SAHaS)</u>

<u>Global Antibiotic Resistance</u> <u>Partnership (GARP) Nepal</u>

Better Access and Service Provision to Improve Maternal Neonatal and Child Health Nutrition and Hygiene Service in Makwanpur (SPARSH-M)

Life Saving Comprehensive Nutrition Response Including Integrated Management of Acute Malnutrition in Flood Affected Areas of Morang and Sunsari Districts

ACTIVITIES HIGHLIGHTS

- Regular coordination and monitoring for prefab health facility hand over to local authority.
- A total of 62 out of 74 prefab health facilities have been successfully handover to local level.
- Among the handover prefab IP orientation has been conducted successfully in 61 health facilities.
- A total of 389 health workers, 253 HFOMC and 140 others were oriented during the onsite IP orientation program.
- Training for Community Pharmacists
- Orientation Program on Antimicrobial Stewardship (ASP) at Chitwan Medical College.
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- District Advisory committee meeting
- Endline evaluation of project
- Handover of maternity waiting home
- Mother group meeting
- Evaluation of community health score board
- Learning workshop
- Coordination with D(P)HO and Nutrition focal person of Morang and Sunsari
- Conducted orientation of IMAM project to the D(P)HO team and health coordinators of Municipalities and Rural Municipalities.
- Conducted District Training of Trainees to 25 health workers each in Morang and Sunsari district.
- 172 health workers in Sunsari and 352 health workers in Morang district were trained on comprehensive nutrition service delivery mechanism and protocol.
- 674 FCHVs in Sunsari district and 503 FCHVs in Morang district were trained on IMAM program targeted for flood affected area in the districts.
- 20 hospital staffs each in Morang and Sunsari districts were trained on management of medical complication of

malnourished children through establishing stabilization center (SC) in the district.

- 10 OTCs in Morang and 13 OTCs in Sunsari were established in coordination with D(P)HO.
- Almost ten hundred thousand children of age 6-59 months were screened using MUAC in each district.
- 591 children in Sunsari and 768 children in Morang district were identified as SAM during the screening were admitted in to the OTC for appropriate treatment using RUTF
- All OTCs were handed over to the respective Municipalities and Rural Municipalities.
- The Project ended in March.
- A situation assessment study on pesticide use and its health effects in Chitwan District have been conducted and the findings of the study were disseminated to the local government. The data is also being used by local government agencies.
- Participatory planning workshop was conducted among different groups of stakeholders in Shivanagar, ward 14 of Bharatpur.
- Farmers Field School (FFS) at Shivanagar is being successful.
- Refresher training to local farmers from phase 1 of FHEN has been completed.
- Sensitization training was conducted among pesticide sprayers about safety measure while handling pesticides and personal protective equipment are distributed to them to provoke behavior change
- Three days training was conducted targeting pesticide retailers for their awareness on safe handling of pesticides and motivation to influence farmers in the same line.
- Various awareness and advocacy campaigns are ongoing for promoting safe and healthy food production with ensured health of farmers and consumers.
- The existing activities and outcomes of the project are being reflected in local and national media and newspapers.
- Local government is found to incorporate the concept of project in their plans and programs.
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Farming Health Environment Nepal Phase-II

<u>Appraisal of Stunting decline in</u> <u>Nepal</u>

- Key Informant Interview was done with Nutrition Sensitive/specific Experts /Stakeholders
 - Transcription and translation of KII findings was completed
- Conducted qualitative data analysis
- Literature Review on nutritional status and related programs, policies and interventions were completed
- Policies/program/strategy timeline and brief report was prepared
- Qualitative data collection and analysis high/poor pocket areas was done (Focused group discussion with mother's group and in-depth interview was done with health workers was conducted)
- Nutrition financing data compilation and reporting was done
- Preliminary draft on qualitative component to SickKids was submitted to SickKids.
- Feedback on draft report was obtained from SickKids and the comments were addressed.
- First level quantitative analysis was done and results was submitted to SickKids.
- Interview with the key informants regarding under five mortality reduction project.
- Transcription and translation of the key informants interview
- Literature finding and development of report for the contextual factors regarding the project and sending it to UGHE team for the feedback.
- Helping them find the literature of the topic that they want us to help.
- Going through and comment on the report they made.
- Orientation to research officer and assistant for data collection
- Consultative meeting with D(P)HO at Sunsari and Dadeldhura
- Data collection on safe abortion services (SAS) through client exit interview at Sunsari and Dadeldhura
- Data collection about stigma reducation about abortion at Sunsari and Dadeldhura
- Pilot study done in Madhyapur Hospital.
- Got Permission and co-ordination with 9 hospitals.
- Retrospective data collection completed in 4 hospitals (i.e Teaching Hospital, Bir Hospital, Patan Hospital and Bharatpur Hospital).
- Meeting conducted on "Sharing experience from Nepal and India and working together to ensure good data quality" with the research team of Nepal and India.

ACTIONS HIGHLIGHTS

9th Nepal Public Health Lecture



Exemplars in global health: Reducing under five mortality in Nepal

Assessment of Auxiliary Nurse Midwives Programme in Dadeldhura district, Nepal

<u>Highly Hazardous Pesticide</u> <u>Poisoning - Gathering Requisite</u> <u>Information for Decision-making</u> <u>(HOPE GRID Nepal)</u>

Dissemination of Alternative Health financing results at Hotel Ambassador, Lazimpat

NPHF staff attending the training Course on Integrated Pest Management and Food Safety at Wageningen University and Research, Netherlands



Guest lecture by Dr. Nirmal Kadel



Guest lecture by Dr. Surajit Nandi



Interns from BUSPH interacting with pesticide retailers about how they can be the part of pesticide minimization movement



Health Workers Training at Chitwan



NPHF Staff at Central Office



MARK YOUR CALENDAR: UPCOMING EVENTS

NPHF 9th Annual General Meeting on September 07, 2018

