Introduction
The Government of India launched the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM) in April 2005 with a goal to improve the availability of and access to quality health care by the people, especially for those residing in the rural areas, the poor, women and children. The NRHM proposed an intensive monitoring and supervision framework through a three pronged process of community based monitoring, external surveys and stringent internal monitoring. A programme was designed and initiated to tackle problems with certain goals and objectives by adopting various appropriate strategies to achieve them. For comprehensive monitoring and evaluation of the programme, improvement in knowledge and skills of personnel involved in monitoring and evaluation through training, greater interaction between programme officers, administrative/finance officers and statisticians and wider dissemination of information up to grass root level workers is necessary. This will also minimize some of the problems related to programme management.

In order to improve the skills of the health professionals for monitoring of National Health Programmes including NHM, the National Institute of Health and Family Welfare, New Delhi has planned to organise a training course on “Monitoring, Supervision and Evaluation of National Health Programmes including NHM”.

General Objective
To enhance the competence of state/district level health officials in monitoring, supervision and evaluation for improved monitoring and evaluation in States/Districts of National Health Programmes including NHM.

Specific Objectives
At the end of training participants would be able to:
- Describe conceptual framework relating to M&E and Supportive Supervision in National Health Programmes including NHM
- Discuss various concepts and techniques of monitoring and evaluation including surveillance.
- Describe use of information available in HMIS and MCTS portals for monitoring of National Health Programmes including NHM
- Discuss the concept and methods of participatory monitoring and evaluation.
- Discuss and use log-frame approach as monitoring tool.
- Discuss the use of M&E results for policy and planning purposes.
- Develop brief plan of action for strengthening capabilities of district level functionaries in monitoring & supportive supervision in their respective states of National Health Programmes including NHM

Course Contents
- Conceptual Framework of Monitoring & Evaluation and Supportive Supervision of National Health Programmes including NHM
- Type of monitoring, supervision & evaluation
- Concepts and Techniques in M & E including Surveillance
- Use of NFHS in M&E.
- Utilization of HMIS & MCTS portal for decision making.
- Result based M&E system.
- Participatory/Community Monitoring
- Common Review Mission (CRM) as tool of M&E
- Log-frame approach
- Data Triangulation using various sources for monitoring
- Best practices in M&E in States
- Communicating M&E results for Policy and Planning
- Strengthening monitoring, supervision & evaluation in States

Methodology
Lecture discussion, group work, exercise & presentation by participants, etc.

Number and Nature of Participants
Approximately 30 participants from the categories of State NHM/RMNCH+A Coordinators, State Demographers, RMNCH+A Consultants, officials of PMU, Faculty from Medical Colleges, SIHFWs, PRCs, etc.

Course Outcome
The course will be helpful for those involved in monitoring and evaluation of various activities of National Health Programmes including NHM in various States. It is expected that the training will become a platform for discussing various challenges related to monitoring and evaluation at various levels. The proposed training course will also enhance the competence of state level officials/trainers in the preparation of district/state level plan of action for improving M&E.

It’s not lack of health programmes but implementation that plagues primary health care system in India. Implementation without monitoring, feedback and corrective actions is wastage of resources
About the Institute

The National Institute of Health and Family Welfare (NIHFW) is a premier autonomous Institute under the aegis of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India. It has kept pace with the new thinking and substantially contributed to the health human resource development in the country. NIHFW serves as an apex 'technical institute' as well as a 'think tank' to promote health and family welfare programmes in the country through education and training, research and evaluation, consultancy and advisory services, specialized projects, etc.

Location of the Institute

It is situated in South Delhi, near Jawaharlal Nehru University and adjacent to Munirka DDA Flats. It is easily accessible from both Indira Gandhi International Airport and the New Delhi Railway Station, approximately 7 kms. and 15 kms. of distance, respectively. Pre-paid taxis/auto-rikshaws are available. New Metro station nearby is Munirka.

Course Coordinating Team

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Venue

Teaching Block
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Munirka, New Delhi 110067.

Course Fee

There is a course fee of Rs 5000/- per participant. Online transfer/DD in favour of Director, NIHFW, New Delhi will be accepted. TA/DA /other expenses have to be borne by the participant/sponsoring organisation.

Accommodation

Moderate boarding and lodging facilities at nominal rates would be provided to the participants only, within the Institute’s Campus. Hostel email is hostel@nihfw.org and reception phone number are 011-26165959, 26166441-ext-154

Weather

Weather in September will be warm and humid. (Temperature varies from 27°C to 34°C)

Last Date for Receiving Nominations

15th September, 2023
Participants are requested to make travel plans on receipt of confirmation for participation from NIHFW.

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Recommendations

Plan
Ex-post Evaluation
Ex-ante Evaluation (Evaluability/ Design Assessment)

Do
See
Feedback
Decision of Implementability
Implementation

Mid-term Evaluation
Terminal Evaluation

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