

Tour Report of Dr Jatinder Mehta Programme Manager ASHA,CPIC & PCPNDT Dr. Aadil Bashir, Assistant Programme Manager, ASHA, SHS, NHM J&K and Mr Sadiq Khan National Trainer ASHA Programme.

Following are the Districts visited by Programme Manager ASHA & Assistant Programme Manager ASHA and National Trainer, ASHA Programme:-

- 1. District Ganderbal on 18/03/2016.**
- 2. District Anantnag on 19/03/2016.**
- 3. District Budgam on 24/03/2016.**

District Ganderbal:-

Dr Jatinder Mehta, Programme Manager ASHA, CPIC & PCPNDT, Dr Aadil Bashir, Assistant Programme Manager ASHA and Mr Sadiq Khan National Trainer ASHA Programme visited block Kangan of district Ganderbal. Block Medical Officer, District ASHA Coordinator, District Programme Management unit, Block Programme Management unit, Block ASHA Coordinator, ASHA Facilitators and ASHAs of concerned block was present.

After a brief introduction and interaction with ASHAs and ASHA Facilitators, Programme Manager ASHA gave a detailed Presentation of ASHA Programme in J&K and made ASHAs and AFs to understand about the 36 activities and 10 ASHA functionality parameters for which ASHAs are getting their incentives.

Most of the ASHAs were without uniform. When asked from BAC she said she was on leave and has recently assumed the charge of BAC, instructions were given by the SHS team to DPMU and BPMU that ASHAs should be in uniform whenever they are in the field for HBNC visits etc. Most of the ASHA Facilitators are not doing home visits with the ASHAs, instructions were given to the ASHAs and AFs to work with the zeal and zest for implementation of ASHA programme on ground.

Programme Manager ASHA gave instructions that if some ASHA Facilitators is on leave her charge should be given to other AF and the mobility and office expenses charges of that month should also be given to her.

ASHAs complained about HBNC kits, that most of the items like salter scale, thermometer, torch were either not with the HBNC kits provided to them or they were faulty.

District Anantnag:-

Dr Jatinder Mehta, Programme Manager ASHA, CPIC & PCPNDT, Dr Aadil Bashir Assistant Programme Manager ASHA and Mr Sadiq Khan National Trainer ASHA Programme visited District Headquarter had interaction with CMO, Dy.CMO.

Team had a detailed interaction with DPMU, BPMUs, BACs and AFs. Programme Manager ASHA stressed on timely disbursement of ASHA incentives and gave instructions that DAC/BACs/AFs should transfer after proper replacement so that the work of that particular block does not suffer.

Programme Manager gave detailed presentation of ASHA programme and stressed on proper implementation of 36 activities for which ASHAs are getting incentives and 10 ASHA functionality parameters of ASHA Programme on ground and also stressed on HBNC visits by ASHAs and ASHA Facilitators. Dy.CMO have ensured timely disbursement of ASHA incentives and completion of HBNC Round II training.

Block Programme Management Unit Sallar given ASHA functionality presentation, as this was the weak block of the district. Dy.CMO, DAC, BPMU have ensured that they will improve the functioning of the concern block.

SHS, NHM, Team then visited block Larnoo with Dy. CMO, DAC and DPMU and had healthy interaction with ASHAs, AFs, BAC, BPMU and BMO concern, most of the ASHA Facilitators were not properly aware about the 36 ASHA incentives. Programme Manager have given instructions to DAC and concerned BAC to educate ASHAs and AFs for 36 activities and 10 ASHA functionality parameters so that they are able to function optionally.

District Budgam:-

Dr Jatinder Mehta, Programme Manager, ASHA, CPIC & PCPNDT and Dr Aadil Bashir Assistant Programme Manager ASHA visited District Health Society Budgam.

CMO and Dy.CMO Budgam welcomed SHS, NHM Team and have ensured smooth functioning of ASHA Programme. Block Medical Officers, District ASHA Coordinators, Block ASHA Coordinators and ASHA Facilitators of various blocks of the district were present in the meeting.

Programme Manager ASHA gave detailed presentation of ASHA Programme and discussed the 36 activities and 10 functionality parameters with the participants. Programme Manager stressed on proper conduct of block level meetings so that the grievances of ASHAs can be redressed at the block levels. Programme Manager also sorted out the issues of night duties of AFs with BMOs. BMOs ensured that they will accord full cooperation to implement the ASHA Programme on ground and timely disbursement of ASHA incentives.

Programme Manager gave instruction to DPMU to ensure the training for BMOs in computer for making PPTs, Excel Sheets etc. in phased manner. DPMU was also directed to train BMOs in PFMS so that they can improve their financial management system

Submitted for your kind perusal

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