

**Indian Institute of Health Management Research  
Jaipur, India**

**WHO Fellowship Programme on  
Training on Health Care at Primary Level  
26 September to 30 September, 2011**

**About the Programme**

**Background**

The WHO Regional Office for South East Asia approached the Indian Institute of Health Management Research, Jaipur to design and conduct a WHO fellowship programme on Health Care at Primary Level to strengthen planning and managerial competencies of health professionals involved in Primary Health Care Systems. The programme will lead to useful discussions and facilitate the participants to better manage the programmes.

**Objectives**

The overall aim of the course is to improve the knowledge of participants on healthcare at primary level who are involved in planning, strategizing, implementing, and controlling various functions in Primary Health Care Systems. The specific objectives of the course are:

- To provide an overview of Primary Health Care including key concepts, elements and principles
- To provide better understanding on issues related to health planning and development for improving primary health care delivery
- To enable the participants to enhance planning and implementing skills to better plan and manage health programmes at primary level
- To enable the participants to upgrade their competencies in Result Based Management (RBM) and Monitoring and Evaluations.

## Contents

The course consists of the following contents:

- Primary Health Care Approach : Concepts, Elements and Principles
- Health Planning and Development
- Strategic Management
- Result Based Management
- Implementation Planning
- India Public Health Standards
- Communitization in Health Care
- Decentralization and District Action Plan
- Monitoring and Evaluation
- Managing Quality in Primary Health Care
- Visit to Rural Health Institutions (PHC, SC)

## Training Approach

The training style consists of lectures, discussions, case study, exercises, group work and field visits. The programme will be based on experiential learning and participatory approach. The lead concepts will be introduced by resource persons through lectures followed by discussions. Issues will be raised and identified through brainstorming and exercises through group work and presentations.

## Resource Persons

### **Dr. S. D. Gupta, MD, PhD (Johns Hopkins), FAMS**

Director

Institute of Health Management Research, Jaipur, India  
*Public Health Specialist*

### **Dr. P. R. Sodani, PhD, MPH (UNC-CH, USA)**

Professor and Dean (Training)

Institute of Health Management Research, Jaipur, India  
*Health Economist*

### **Dr. Suresh Joshi, MD**

Professor

Institute of Health Management Research, Jaipur, India  
*Programme Management Specialist*

### **Dr. N.K. Gurbani, PhD**

Professor

Institute of Health Management Research, Jaipur, India  
*Pharmaceutical Management Specialist*

### **Dr. Anoop Khanna, PhD**

Associate Professor

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*Monitoring & Evaluation Specialist*

## Course Coordinator

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## Venue and Accommodation

The programme will be held at the Institute of Health Management Research, Jaipur from 10 am to 5 pm. The Institute is located at a distance of 4 km from airport and 20 km from bus stand/railway station. The stay arrangements have been made in the institute guest house located in the campus. The institute campus provides a learning environment to the participants. Dr. DA Handerson Library & Documentation Center is an invaluable resource center and is fully automated library. The campus is Wi-Fi enabled. The campus also has recreational facilities.

Should you need any assistance, please feel free to contact

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Guest Relation In-charge Mr. Achleshwar Singh: +91-9314422020 for stay related query

## About the Institute

The Institute of Health Management Research, Jaipur is an institution dedicated to improvement in standards of health through better management of health care and related programmes. It seeks to accomplish this through management education, training, research, consultation and institutional networking in a national and global perspective. The institute has been designated as **WHO Collaborating Center for District Health Systems based on Primary Health Care**. The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India has identified the institute as an **Institute of Excellence** for training and capacity building. For more information please visit our website [www.iihmr.org](http://www.iihmr.org).