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USAID/INDIA NQAS Implementation Update

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USAID/INDIA HEALTH INVESTMENTS SUMMARY

Goal

To improve the health and wellbeing of India's most vulnerable

Strategic Approach

- Support innovations and establish proof of concept
- Scale successful models across the continuum of care
- Technical assistance to build institutional capacities

Key Health Areas

Global Health Security (GHS) (including Covid-19)

Tuberculosis

Maternal & Child, Adolescent Health

Family Planning

HIV/AIDS

Health Systems Strengthening

Cross Cutting Themes

Gender and Social Inclusion, Digital Solutions, Private Sector Engagement, Innovative Financing, Learning and Global Knowledge Exchange, Cross Sectoral Coordination, Climate Change

Stakeholders

- ❖ Government- National, State and municipal- State health dept; District Health Societies, Block PHCs; CM office, etc
- ❖ Communities
- ❖ Implementing partners
- ❖ Public and private healthcare providers
- ❖ Private businesses, business associations, professional associations, tech startups
- ❖ Agency, Mission, Interagency
- ❖ Development partners, NGOs, education and research institutions

Geographic coverage

States-28, UTs- 8; Investments 45; Partner organizations – 29; Portfolio value- \$417.6 million

OUR FOCUS

MAXIMUM PRIVATE SECTOR ENGAGEMENT

- Innovate with financing
- Raise private capital to support health outcomes
- Create and engage private sector platforms
- Harness private sector technical expertise and innovations

PUTTING INCLUSIVE DEVELOPMENT AT THE CORE OF PROGRAMMING

- Focus on vulnerable groups (e.g. the urban poor, youth, tribal populations, women and girls)



INVESTING IN LOCAL SYSTEMS

- Ensure country ownership
- Develop strong state and municipal partnerships
- Increase pool of local implementing partners
- Empower local communities to be part of the solution
- Build resilient health systems centered around the user

EMPHASIZING SCALE

- Demonstrate, operate, and transfer
- TA for scaling evidence based interventions

HEALTH SYSTEM STRENGTHENING - HIGHLIGHTS

PARTNERS: 6

GEOGRAPHIC FOCUS: National, 13 states, select cities

- Support national and state governments to implement Gol's vision of CPHC and other flagship health initiatives through effective and responsive technical assistance.
- Create a resilient urban ecosystem to provide comprehensive healthcare for the urban poor.
- Healthcare innovative financing platform to mobilize private capital and improve efficiency focused on development outcomes.
- Collaborative of civil society, private sector, academics, foundations and governments to respond to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Technical Assistance to tertiary and secondary healthcare institutions for critical care management.



USAID INDIA'S RESPONSE TO GOI'S FLAGSHIP INITIATIVES

Building Resilient Health Systems Health for All



AYUSHMAN BHARAT HEALTH AND WELLNESS CENTERS

Strengthening Comprehensive Primary Health Care for Accelerating Universal Health Coverage

Components

- ▶ Expanded package of health services at primary level
- ▶ Health promotion and wellness
- ▶ Reaching the last mile
- ▶ Continuum of Care with forward and backward linkages
- ▶ Expanded range of drugs and diagnostics



USD 850 Million
for 4 years



AYUSHMAN BHARAT HEALTH INFRASTRUCTURE MISSION

Augmenting Public Health Infrastructure to Address Emergent Public Health Issues

Components

- ▶ Strengthening Laboratory Network (Integrated Public Health Laboratories)
- ▶ Strengthening Critical Care Blocks
- ▶ Enhanced Public Health Capacities (Block Public Health Units)
- ▶ Infrastructure Boost (Strengthening Primary Health infrastructure)



Approx.
USD 8.5 Billion
for 5 years



AYUSHMAN BHARAT PRADHAN MANTRI JAN AROGYA YOJANA

Providing Health Protection Cover to Poor and Vulnerable families for Secondary and Tertiary Care

Components

- ▶ Private Sector Engagement
- ▶ Health Insurance Coverage for poor and vulnerable families
- ▶ Affordable Healthcare at Secondary and Tertiary level
- ▶ Ensuring Quality through Certification/Assurance



USD 830 Million
for this FY 2021 -2022



AYUSHMAN BHARAT DIGITAL HEALTH MISSION

Developing the backbone for Integrated Digital Health Infrastructure

Components

- ▶ Creation of Health ID for all
- ▶ Facility and Professional Registry
- ▶ Unified Health Interface
- ▶ Digital Mission Sandbox
- ▶ Digital Health Ecosystem
- ▶ Strengthening Telemedicine



USD 26 Million
for 2022 - 2023

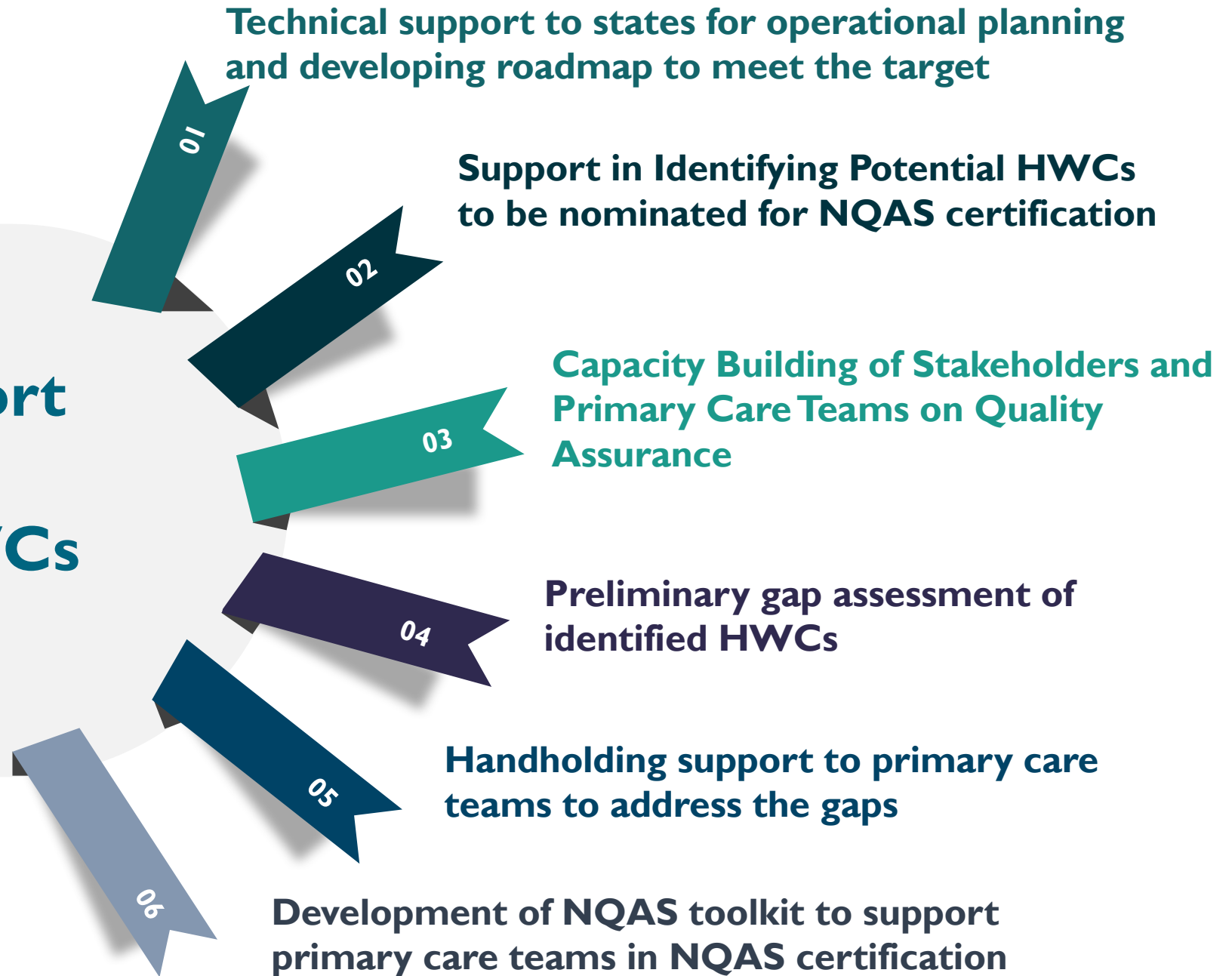
Cross Cutting Interventions

Integrated Government Online Training (I-GOT)
Integrated Health Information Platform
eSanjeevani Platform For Telemedicine

Public and Private Sector Financing



Key Areas of Support for NQAS certification of HWCs



QA/QI in RISE

Critical Care	Oxygen Management	Laboratory Strengthening	Vaccination	Biomedical Waste Management
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Development of standardized Learning Resource Packages in respiratory critical care in collaboration with various medical colleges including AIIMS Delhi and regional AIIMS •Development of ICU & Critical Care Block Design and Operationalization toolkit •Phygital Skill Labs - Development of Model Tech-enabled Skills labs in 5 states; Facilitation support using state resources in remaining states •Critical care Skill Mapping and Competency based Performance Tracking – OSCEs & Development of Case Based Learning Platform (DishA) •Periodic Infrastructure, HR and Equipment assessment for preparedness in ICU 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Development of standardized learning resource packages for oxygen management to ensure quality of training in collaboration with PATH •Oxygen Demand assessment and Tracking – Development of facility demand assessment tool and state preparedness tool. •Demonstration of Oxygen purity assessment •Demonstration of Operationalization and maintenance of oxygen equipment. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Development of standardized learning resource packages for Molecular Testing & Next generation sequencing to ensure quality of training in collaboration with FIND • Development of Molecular Testing Lab Operationalization Toolkit • Development of Videos on utilization of various Laboratory equipment under IPHL • Periodic Infrastructure, HR and equipment assessment for preparedness in Molecular Testing Labs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Quality Standards developed for Model vaccination centers across ten areas of concern including infrastructure, human resource, cold chain, AEFI management, communication, etc •Post Vaccination Safety Monitoring - Conducted in collaboration with 3 Analytics; Enhance reporting of AEFI cases- Reducing numbers of Silent districts for AEFI reporting; Operationalized in Madhya Pradesh (MP) & Goa and internalized for Routine Immunization in MP 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Development of standardized learning resource packages for Biomedical Waste Management in collaboration with AIIMS Delhi •Development of periodic review mechanism in collaboration with AIIMS Delhi •Ensuring inclusion of IPC/BMW in all trainings •Participation in Kayakalp assessments in few states

Key areas of support for LaQshya

	Key Inputs
1	Planning for development of road-map and implementation plan of LaQshya
2	Orientation of stakeholders
3	Coordination with State Mentoring Group for monitoring & review mechanism
4	Facilitating assessment of facilities (Baseline, Validation and External)
5	Advocacy for facility specific improvement plan for prioritized facilities
6	LaQshya dashboard a decision-making tool to prioritize activities
7	Harmonization and standardization of LaQshya protocols and posters
8	Institutionalization of Safe Delivery App across the LaQshya facilities
9	Development of quality audit tool, process mappings
10	Coordinating improvement at prioritized facilities

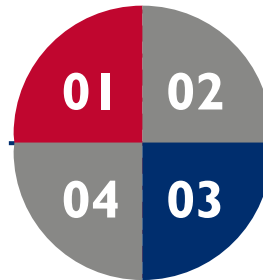
MNH Resource Center

- MNH Resource Center is a Quality Improvement (QI) initiative that promotes standardized clinical MNH care in high case load delivery points and FRUs.
- It links a center of clinical excellence, the mentor (a medical college) with mentee facilities (selected District Hospitals and high case load FRUs) using a hub and spoke model.
- The hub is Rajendra Institute of Medical Sciences (RIMS), Ranchi, Jharkhand state with experience of supporting the state RCH, Facility Based Newborn Care and the LaQshya. Four district hospitals (Latehar, Giridih, Palamu and Ranchi) which are also FRUs were identified as the initial mentee facilities. Labor rooms and SNCUs were the focus of the initiative.
- Results - 52% Increase in scores for practices during 2nd Stage of labor 30% increase in score for practices during 3rd Stage of labor. 3.5% Increase in score for information to mother at discharge about her newborn.

QUICK model: Quality Upgrade by Improving Accountability & Community Knowledge (Demonstration model in Uttarakhand)

Newer initiatives like call centers are being set up with the objective of improving reach with the beneficiaries and to exchange information and gather feedback.

QUICK is a technology driven solution (built on existing call center) developed to address the weak links.



Despite the efforts, 3 weak links remain – Community Participation, Accountability and use Data for Action

It provides opportunity for improvement by enabling use of data including beneficiary feedbacks during review & planning meetings

District Hospital Quality of Care Index (DQCI) and SNCU Quality of Care Index (SQCI)

- DQCI and SQCI are innovative dashboards that collate and present analysis of public health system data to promote evidence-based decisions and actions for improving quality of care in District Hospitals.
- A digital dashboard was developed that consolidated information on critical issues of human resources, equipment and drugs and infrastructure as well as service delivery components of maternal and child health
- The tool aims to promote regular performance review of a DH specifically to measure and track the performance - of critical MNCH services and help in identifying gaps and derive actions for improved overall performance

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