



NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY ROURKELA

Five days' Workshop on Results-Based Management (RBM) for Strengthening Public Health Nutrition Programme



Schedule:-23rd Sept-27th Sept, 2019



Coordinators:-Prof. Jalandhar Pradhan Prof. Sthitapragyan Ray

Organized by

Centre of Excellence (CoE) on Public Health Nutrition Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, National Institute of Technology, Rourkela, Odisha, India

About the CoE on Public Health Nutrition, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, NIT, Rourkela

The Department of Humanities and Social Sciences has started a Centre of Excellence on Public Health Nutrition with the initial support of UNICEF. The basic objective of the CoE is to strengthen collaboration on knowledge management regarding food and nutrition security and public health nutrition. The Centre intends to focus on all 30 districts of Odisha. However, priority will be given to PVTG/tribal blocks/districts having a higher level of stunting.

The CoE shall be conducting various assessments, studies, develop policy notes, process documentation, situational analysis, facilitate crucial workshops, conduct academic collaborations and knowledge management activities in the field of public health nutrition.

Objective of the workshop

The goal of this workshop is to build the capacity of the participants so that they can be able to apply RBM principles to the design, implementation, monitoring, and evaluation of nutrition-specific/ sensitive programmes. It will also be helpful in the reporting of results. By the end of the training, the participants should be able to understand and be capable to use available tools and approaches to strengthen results-oriented nutrition programmes for women and children. The participants will also be able to identify key actions to be undertaken in order to strengthen the results in their work.

The workshop aims to strengthen knowledge of the participating programme managers, NGOs/ CSOs and academicians to develop RBM skills, especially in the area of public health and nutrition. This workshop would also focus on the fundamentals of gender mainstreaming, addressing 'equity' issues, promotion of participatory approaches, understanding SDGs, indicators and framing research/evaluation questions.

Who should attend the RBM workshop?

Results- based management (RBM) is a management strategy by which all actors on the ground, contributing directly or indirectly to achieving a set of development results, ensure that their processes, products and services contribute to the achievement of desired results.

The RBM workshop would be suitable for the working development professionals, faculty members & trainers, senior project staff members and NGO officials/promoters working in the public health nutrition sector. Consistent use of RBM will enable the participants to reach the most disadvantaged children and strengthen the equity focus of nutrition-related projects. This workshop will particularly benefit those who are interested in learning RBM approaches to public health and nutrition, professionals who manage projects and are looking to upgrade their skills and expertise and also those who write project proposals. Further, monitoring and research team from NGOs and government organizations who are responsible for project planning, implementation and development would find the workshop extremely useful.

Resource Persons

The resource persons will be a mix of industry experts and eminent academicians from NIT Rourkela and other institutes of repute.

Delivery Methodology

The workshop utilizes hands-on-skill development approaches through the use of case studies, group exercises, presentations and other participatory adult learning methods.

Certificate

A certificate will be given to the participants after successful completion of the course conducted by the CoE PHN.

Course content

- The **RBM** Imperative
- **Prioritization and Causality**
- Applying the 'Theory of Change'
- Results and Measurement Framework
- Understanding Risks and Assumptions
- Programme Implementation, Monitoring and Evaluation
- Key Concepts of Research Methodologies
- Gender Mainstreaming in Projects
- Understanding Inequity and Participatory

Approaches

- Reporting of Results
- Developing Action Plans
- Value for Money Principles in Programming

About the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, NIT, Rourkela

The Department of Humanities and Social Sciences has been functioning as a full-fledged department catering to both undergraduate and postgraduate students since the inception of the institute. The faculty has wide experience in teaching and research and in communicating with students of diverse background and of widely differing abilities. The students understand that today's challenges are global and interdisciplinary; and they are required to reflect more towards social responsibility, flexibility, resourcefulness and creativity. The courses taught tries to inculcate all these and much more. The Department offers a full-time PhD programme in the disciplines of English, Psychology, Economics, Anthropology, Sanskrit and Sociology, an MA Programme in Development Studies and also offers general purpose courses from all the above-mentioned disciplines, as Open Electives for B-Tech and Post-Graduate students of the Institute.

Travel and Accommodation Details

Accommodation, food and local hospitality will be provided to the participants in the guest houses of National Institute of Technology (NIT), Rourkela, Odisha. Depending on the availability of funds, travel cost will be reimbursed to those participants who claim train (AC III) or bus fare 'to and from' Rourkela.

How to Reach NIT Rourkela

Rourkela is one of the well-developed steel townships on the Kolkata-Mumbai main line of South Eastern Railway. It is well connected by the railway network with the rest of Odisha. Daily AC bus service is available with almost all the Districts of Northern and Central Odisha. The NIT campus is about 8 km from Rourkela railway station. It takes around 6 hours from Calcutta and around 3 hours from Ranchi airport by train.

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Registration and course fee

There is no registration/course fee for this training programme. Filled in application forms along with a short CV (max 2 pages) should be mailed to <u>coephn.nitr@gmail.com</u> on or before 11th Sept. 2019. The final list of participants will be decided by the Institute and informed on 12th Sept. 2019. The confirmation email will be sent only to the selected candidates.

Important Dates

- Training period: 23rd Sept. 27th Sept. 2019
- Last date to receive application from participants: 11th Sept. 2019
- Confirmation to the selected candidates: 12th Sept. 2019
- > Confirmation from participants: 16th Sept. 2019

Further information regarding place of stay, registration and programme schedule will be shared with the final list of participants by 17th Sept. 2019.

Registration form

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Date: 23rd – 27th Sept. 2019

Name of the applicant: Age: Address for Communication: email: Phone/Mobile: Highest Educational Degree/highest qualification: Position held: Organisation: Address of Organisation: Reports to (designation):

Experience in years:

Accommodation required: Yes 🗆 No 🗖

Signature of the applicant:

Recommended by:

Name and Designation:

Organization:

Signature: