



Dated: 26th February, 2016

NOTIFICATION FOR TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP ON CHILD SURVIVAL PUNJAB

No. PSPU/RAHM/CSG/1-2016/ _____. A Technical Working Group on Child Survival Punjab is hereby notified as under with vision that all children in Punjab will have access to quality Newborn and child healthcare services and that all children will be offered the standardized care facilities which will contribute towards achieving the Sustainable Development Goals for Punjab.

| 1. | Director General Health Services Punjab | Chairman |
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| 2. | Add. DG IRMNCH & Nutrition Punjab | Member |
| 3. | Add. Program Director (T) PSPU | Secretary |
| 4. | Chief Procurement cell, Health Department Punjab | Member |
| 5. | Chief drug controller Punjab | Member |
| 6. | Manger of medical store Depot, Punjab | Member |
| 7. | Director MIS Punjab | Member |
| 8. | Director CDC Punjab | Member |
| 9. | Director EPI Punjab | Member |
| 10. | Representative of Education Department | Member |
| 11. | Representative of Social Welfare Department | Member |
| 12. | Public Health Engineering/ WASH representative | Member |
| 13. | Representative from Finance Department | Member |
| 14. | Member from Children Hospital & Institute of Child Health | Member |
| 15. | Representative of Pakistan Pediatric Association, Punjab | Member |
| 16. | Representative of Association of Family Physician | Member |
| 17. | Representative of Pharmaceutical industry | Member |
| 18. | Dr Tahir Manzoor, UNICEF | Member |
| 19. | WHO Operations Officer Punjab | Member |
| 20. | Dr. Babar Alam, UNFPA | Member |
| 21. | WFP Punjab Representative | Member |
| 22. | USAID Punjab Representative | Member |
| 23. | BMGF Punjab Representative | Member |
| 24. | DFID, Punjab Representative | Member |
| 25. | World Bank Representative | Member |
| 26. | Micronutrient Initiative Punjab Representative | Member |
| 27. | Plan Pakistan Representative | Member |
| 28. | UHS Representative | Member |
| 29. | Any other co-opted member | Member |

TORs for TWG on Child Survival

- 1. Provide strategic vision and oversight to the relevant provincial strategies and plans for child survival;
- 2. Work as a Technical Advisory Group to develop and finalize the design of Child Health related projects/pilots and new initiatives
- 3. Serve as a forum to share experiences and lessons learnt to guide future plans reinforcing complementarities and synergies as well as avoiding duplication;

- 4. Serve as a forum to share the results of midterm & end term evaluations of projects/programs related to child survival
- 5. Review and approve tools, guidelines and manuals related to child health
- 6. Provide a platform for sharing information, tools, and guidelines on child health including evidence-based best practices nationally and internationally;
- 7. Map on-going researches in child health and provide a forum for researchers to share research process and results;
- 8. Support ongoing efforts toward building a coordinated, effective health care delivery system for children
- 9. Help strengthen and support implementation of facility / community based child health programs using evidence based interventions.
- 10. Review and approve M&E frameworks for child survival including recording / reporting / monitoring tools in the context of alignment with existing monitoring system and inclusion in DHIS.
- 11. Advocate for and advise on ensuring the availability of needed commodities for child health services, including adequate budgeting, efficient supply management and encourage/ promote national production (please refine this in coordination with our partners).

Meeting Schedule:

The Child Survival TWG will meet every two months and a broader review meeting twice a year. A calendar of meetings will be developed by the Secretariat and approved by the group during its first meeting.

Secretariat function:

The TWG will operate in Punjab, Lahore. The secretarial and logistical support will be provided by UNICEF

Minutes and Information Sharing:

Minutes of the Meeting will be issued by the Department of Health/PSPU.

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PROGRAM DIRECTOR
POLICY & STRATEGIC PLANNING UNIT
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

CC:

- i. Secretary, Specialized Healthcare and Medical Education Department, Government of the Punjab.
- ii. Secretary, Primary and Secondary Healthcare Department, Government of the Punjab.
- iii. Chief Health, P&D Department, Lahore.