



### Editorial

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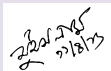
I am very pleased to let all know that the National Nutrition Services (NNS) of current sector program of Ministry of Health and Family Welfare is going to publish 8th issue of it's newsletter.

The Government of Bangladesh has planned to accelerate the progress in reducing the high rates of maternal and child under-nutrition by mainstreaming of nutrition interventions into health (DGHS) and family planning (DGFP) services, scaling-up the provision of area-based community nutrition. This publication will be a necessary source of information containing the service statistics of nutrition sector.

I hope that the facility specific data will guide and help the policy makers and other concerned to take future step in improving the Nutritional status of mother and child in equitable manner. It also reflects different Nutrition related activities taken by NNS and it's partners throughout the country.

Thanks to honorable Secretary, MoH&FW, and the Director Generals of DGHS & DGFP for their continuous support to NNS, and acknowledge the contribution of health managers and other service providers who collaborate with NNS. Finally, I would also like to acknowledge the commitment and efforts of the hard working professionals of Nutrition Information and Planning Unit (NIPU) in making this newsletter a successful monitoring, knowledge & information sharing and advocacy tool for improving the nutritional activities for the population of Bangladesh.

I am hopeful that NNS will continue developing newsletter and share with all stakeholders.



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## Dissemination of "National Nutrition Policy 2015"



Picture 1: Dissemination of National Nutrition Policy 2015

Ministry of Health and Family Welfare of Govt. of the Republic of Bangladesh organized a dissemination of National Nutrition Policy 2015 on Thursday, 14 January 2016 at 10:00 am at BIAM Auditorium, 63 New Eskatan Road, Dhaka.

Begum Matia Chowdhury, MP, Minister, Ministry of Agriculture was present as Chief Guest. Mr. Mohammed Nasim MP, Minister, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare; Advocate Md. Qamrul Islam, MP, Minister, Ministry of Food and Mr. Zahid Maleque, MP, State Minister, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare were present as Special Guests.

Director General of Health Services Professor Dr. Deen Mohd. Noorul Huq; UNICEF Representative in Bangladesh Mr. Edouard Beigbeder.

Mr. Navaratnasamy Paranietharan, WHO representative in Bangladesh and Country Representative of FAO Mr. Mike Robson spoke on the occasion. Ms. Roxana Quader, Additional Secretary (PH&WH), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare welcomed all in the meeting and Dr. Md. Quamrul Islam, Director of Institute of Public Health Nutrition (IPHN) and Line Director National Nutrition Services (NNS) presented the key note presentation on the policy. Dr. Md. Moudud Hossain, Deputy Director, DGHS and Program Manager, National Nutrition Services gave the vote of thanks to all. The program was Chaired by Mr. Syed Monjurul Islam, Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.

The policy has taken into consideration of all relevant sectoral policies and international strategies, recommendation and evidences as depicted in the Background. The Health Minister, Mr. Mohammad Nasim MP, said policy not only prevents malnutrition, but also reduce infant and maternal mortality and morbidity. Begum Matia Chowdhury, MP, Minister of Agriculture said that food security is prevailing in our country which is one of the causes of malnutrition.

## Key Highlights (January- March 2016)

### 8<sup>th</sup> Partners Forum for Nutrition (PFN) meeting

8<sup>th</sup> quarterly Partners Forum for Nutrition (PFN) meeting was held on 7 February 2016 at IPHN Conference Room with stakeholders and partners of NNS.

The meeting was held with a view to strengthen the collaboration among GoB-NGO working in the Nutrition field. The Chair person, Dr. Md. Moudud Hossain, Deputy Director, DGHS & Program Manager, NNS welcomed the participants and formally inaugurated the meeting. He gave thanks to all for supporting IPHN on Nutritional activities. Dr. K M Azad, DPM, NNS narrated the objectives of the meeting and anchored the meeting. Dr. Md. Moinul Haque, Planning & MIS Specialist, NNS shared 7<sup>th</sup> PFN meeting minutes.

A total number of 25 people from GOB and NGOs were participated in the 8<sup>th</sup> PFN meeting.



Picture 2: Participants of the 8<sup>th</sup> PFN meeting



Picture 3: Discussions in the 8<sup>th</sup> PFN meeting

### NICC Meeting

The 12<sup>th</sup> meeting of Nutrition Implementation Coordination Committee (NICC) was held on 01 February, 2016 at IPHN Conference Room. At first, Director, IPHN and Line Director NNS & member secretary of NICC welcomed all the members and informed about the objectives of this meeting. The agendas were adoption of meeting minutes of previous meeting; progress of NNS activities, implementation of DAAR indicators, and status update of National Vitamin-A Campaign 2015.

With reference of earlier meeting minutes, members wanted to know about job description (JD) status of District Nutrition Support Officer (DNSO). Dr. Md. Moudud Hossain, Program Manager, NNS informed that till now NNS did not get any approval from MoHFW. He assured during preparation of JD for DNSO existing JD of DNSO of UNICEF would be considered. Members asked about local training (ToT and upazila based training). Dr. Md. Moudud Hossain informed that NNS has received no objection from the World Bank and approval from MoHFW. He further informed, letter was issued to BRAC University and IMCI to arrange ToT on Basic Nutrition and IYCF respectively. But BRAC University informed that they are unable to arrange this training. Subsequently, IPHN sent letter to BCPS to organize ToT on SAM/CMAM. Considering the quality and volume, members voiced to send letter to Azimpur Maternity/NIPORT and Government Medical College/Child Hospital to arrange ToT on Basic Nutrition and SAM/CMAM respectively. Dr. Md. Yunus, Asst. Director & DPM, IMCI said there is no provision to record nutrition related information in the IMCI register. Dr. Md. Moudud Hossain informed that presently a template was provided to all IMCI&N corners, service providers can give tally mark & record daily information and at the end of month can generate compiled data from this template/format.

Moreover, progresses on OP level Indicators were also discussed in the meeting. Program manager also showed the coverage of training progress during FY 2014-15. He also discussed about the update of National Vitamin-A Campaign 2015 and its coverage.

## DIVISIONAL REVIEW MEETINGS (February-April 2016)

### Barisal Division

"Barisal Divisional Review Meeting on Nutrition" was held on 16 February 2016 at the Health Training Centre, Brown Compound, Barisal with all Civil Surgeons, Deputy Directors- Family Planning, Upazilla Health & Family Planning Officers (UHFPO's) of Barisal, Bhola, Pirojpur, Jhalokathi and Barguna district. The meeting was Chaired by Dr. Md. Quamrul Islam, Director of Institute of Public Health Nutrition (IPHN) and Line Director of National Nutrition Services (NNS). Dr. Binoy Krishna Biswas, Director (Health), Barisal Division delivered concluding remarks. The meeting was also attended by Dr. Md. Moudud Hossain, DD-DGHS & Program Manager, NNS; Dr. Md. Moinul Haque, Planning & MIS Specialist, NIPU, NNS and Ms. Anjuman Tahmina Ferdous, ZNO, UNICEF.



Picture 4: DD-FP Barisal delivering his speech

### Rajshahi Division



Picture 5: Participants of meeting at conference room, Divisional (Health) office, Rajshahi

"Rajshahi Divisional Review Meeting on Nutrition" were held on 30-31 March 2016 at Divisional Director (Health) office conference room, Rajshahi with all Civil Surgeons, Deputy Directors- Family Planning, Upazilla Health & Family Planning Officers (UHFPO's) of all districts of Rajshahi division. The meeting was Chaired by Bir Muktijoddha Alhaz Dr. Md. Abdur Razzaque Miah, Director (Health), Rajshahi Division. Dr. Tapan Kumar Biswas, DD, IPHN & PM, NNS; Dr. K.M Azad, AD, DGHS & DPM, NNS; Dr.Md. Mohsin Ali, Nutrition Specialist, UNICEF Bangladesh; Dr. Md. Moinul Haque, Planning & MIS Specialist, NIPU, NNS and SK. Md. Shahidul Hasan, ZNO, UNICEF were also attended in the meeting.

### Dhaka Division

"Dhaka Divisional Review Meeting on Nutrition" were held on 3-6 April 2016 at Conference Room, IPHN, Mohakhali, Dhaka with all Civil Surgeons, Deputy Directors Family Planning, Upazilla Health & Family Planning Officers (UHFPO's) of all the districts under Dhaka division.

On 05 April 2016, the meeting was Chaired by Dr. A.B.M. Muzharul Islam, Director of Institute of Public Health Nutrition (IPHN) and Line Director of National Nutrition Services (NNS). Prof. Dr. Deen Mohd Noorul Huq, DG-DGHS was the Chief Guest and Mohammad Wahid Hossain, DG-DGFP was the Special Guest of the meeting.



Picture 6: Prof. Dr. Deen Mohd Noorul Huq, DG-DGHS delivering his valuable speech



Picture 7: Mohammad Wahid Hossain, DG-DGFP delivering his speech to the meeting

DG-DGHS directed all CS and UH&FPOs to provide their all-out support & contribution for nutrition. He also thanked IPHN/NNS for arranging the meeting.

DG-DGFP requested DDFP's to give importance on nutrition activities at district and upazila levels.

Dr. A.B.M. Muzharul Islam, Director IPHN and Line Director NNS thanked everyone for participating the meeting. He said through this meeting nutrition performance of different district will be discussed and compared.

## Khulna Division



Picture 8: Participants of the Khulna Divisional Review Meeting

“Khulna Divisional Review Meeting on Nutrition” were held on 11-12 April 2016 at School Health Clinic, Khulna with all Civil Surgeons, Deputy Directors-Family Planning, Upazilla Health & Family Planning Officers (UHFPO’s) of Khulna division. The meeting was Chaired by Dr. Md. Masum Ali, Director (Health), Khulna Division. Dr. Tapan Kumar Biswas, Deputy Director IPHN shared the objective of the meeting; he mentioned that IPHN is implementing the program since July 2011.

Dr. Md. Moudud Hossain, DD-DGHS & PM, NNS and Dr. Md. Moinul Haque, Planning & MIS Specialist, NIPU, NNS spoke on NNS activities and reporting system through two power point presentations.

## Online Growth Monitoring (Shishur Bere Otha)

Growth monitoring tools have been used to assess whether a child is receiving adequate nutrition and to screen for potentially inadequate growth that might be indicative of adverse health conditions. However, in the past two years, concerns about assess the stunting and underweight, NNS/IPHN has released a new online based growth monitoring tool (GMP card) for children aged 0-59 months.

It is a registration based application where a child is entered through a profile with his/her date of birth, gender, present height, weight. After providing this information, a growth chart will be shown in the screen for the child. In the website, there are also some nutrition information and list of available locations to get GMP cards.

However, to get this online service, please visit the following website: [www.shishurbereutha.com](http://www.shishurbereutha.com)

You can also visit the Facebook page by using the following link: [www.facebook.com/shishurbereutha/](https://www.facebook.com/shishurbereutha/) to get the sharing information and put your valuable comments and suggestions.



Picture 9: Snapshot of the website of Online Growth Monitoring (Shishur Bere Otha)

## FSNSP Surveillance Dissemination Workshop



Picture 10: Participants of the dissemination workshop

The National Food Security Nutritional Surveillance Project (FSNSP) has been tracking the nation's food security and nutrition situation and launching the annual report since 2011. Following previous years, the fifth annual report was launched on 27 March, 2016 at the James P Grant School of Public Health (JPGSPH), BRAC University, by the National Food Security Nutritional Surveillance Project (FSNSP), implemented jointly by the Bangladesh Bureau of Statistics (BBS), Ministry of Planning, the James P Grant School of Public Health at BRAC University, and Helen Keller International – Bangladesh. Funded by the European Union, this project is being implemented countrywide since 2010 and provides seasonal data on the country as a whole and targeted to six agro ecological zones of the country.

The entire programme was divided into two sessions: Inaugural session and Technical session. Inaugural session was chaired by Md. Abdul Wazed where Mr M. A. Mannan MP, State Minister of Ministry of Finance and Ministry of Planning was present as the chief guest. Ms Kaniz Fatema, Secretary, Statistics and Informatics Division, Ministry of Planning and Mr Gonzalo Serrano, First Secretary, European Union to Bangladesh were present as special guests. Other notable guests were Professor Malabika Sarker, Director Research of the James P Grant School of Public Health, Dr Meredith Jackson deGraffenried, Country Director of Helen Keller International-Bangladesh.

Technical session was chaired by Dr. Lalita Bhattacharjee, Senior Nutritionist, FAO where Mr Mostafa Faruq Al Banna, Associate Research Director, Ministry of Food, Dr Tapan Kumar Biswas, Programme Manager, NNS, IPHN, Dr Zeba Mahmud, Country Manager, fhi 360 and Dr Dipankar Roy, Joint Director, BBS, Ministry of Planning were present as discussants.

The chief guest Mr M. A. Mannan said that while we may take assistance from our partners and friends, at the end of the day, it is our job as a country to address the critical issues which still persist today pertaining to food insecurity and nutrition.

## Retreat of the Sub-Committee under Sectoral Committee 1 (Health, Urban Health and WASH) on 2<sup>nd</sup> NPAN

A two-day day long retreat of the Sub-Committee under Sectoral Committee -1 (Health, Urban Health and WASH) held on 28 & 29 March, 2016 at Ajanta, Hotel Lake Castle, Gulshan 2 from 10:00 am. to 4:30 pm. Dr. Md. Shajedul Hasan, Joint Secretary (HRM), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare(MOHFW) welcomed sub-committee members to the retreat and inaugurated the working session. The committee members divided into 3 groups and worked on 3 different parts of the NPAN matrix. First one and half day, participants reviewed and provided their input on the matrix. Later, in the afternoon of 2nd day, representative from each group presented their key recommendation in front of the sub-committee members for discussion and agreement. Growth Monitoring will be effective as well as useful while its Promotional activities (altogether refereed as GMP) pursue mother to bring positive behaviors change that we wanted to share. Besides poster presentation an excellent stage performance was performed by the IPHN with its team as well as artists.



Picture 21: Dr. Md. Moudud Hossain, Program Manager, NNS is delivering his speech.

## Farmer's Nutrition Training of SPRING visit at Barisal

Dr. Md. Quamrul Islam, Director-IPHN and Line Director-NNS, Dr. Md. Moudud Hossain, Deputy Director-DGHS and Program Manager-NNS, IPHN, and Dr. Md. Moinul Haque, Planning & MIS Specialist, NIPU, NNS visited SPRING training sessions on 16 February 2016 during their visit to Barisal on the occasion of Divisional Coordination and Review Meeting on Nutrition. A participatory event (role play) was held on Essential Nutrition Actions (ENA) and Essential Hygiene Actions (EHA) during that training session. It was a six-day refresher training (13-18 February 2016) on Farmer Nutrition School (FNS) organized by the SPRING (Strengthening Partnerships, Results and Innovations in Nutrition Globally) project.



Picture 12: Participants from IPHN with SPRING Project training session

The participants were the field staffs working in different unions and upazilas of Barisal division who are involved in conducting FNS training sessions and follow-up visits to the participants' households to ensure the practice of the knowledge and skills the FNS members are acquiring in these training sessions.

During this visit by IPHN's key personnel, the training participants also shared their field experiences in conducting FNS training sessions and experience of working in coordination with Ministry of Health and Family Welfare staff members at the union level. After observing the session, the honorable Director and Program Manager highly appreciated the SPRING/Bangladesh project for their social and behavior change communication (SBCC) activities on nutrition and hygiene for the people of the southern part of Bangladesh in a very effective and efficient manner. In their speeches, the honorable visitors suggested to put the best efforts ensuring the sustainability of different project interventions and to work in close coordination with government.

## Building Capacity on Community Nutrition

James P Grant School of Public Health organized a workshop for building capacity of the government officials from the department of nutrition, Mozambique. The workshop was held in March 20 to 29, 2016 at JPGSPH, BRAC University, Dhaka, Bangladesh. This workshop provided the participants with the know-how to improve the performance of ACNs to increase the impact of the services that they offer to the targeted population as chronic under nutrition remains a critical problem in Mozambique, further



Picture 13: Participants of the workshop



Picture 14: Group work of the workshop

fueled by high rates of food insecurity, poor breast feeding practices, high levels of disease, and teenage pregnancy. The participants learnt from BRAC's nutrition programs in Bangladesh. The workshop provided the National Program for Community Nutrition in Mozambique with the tools to monitor the quality of the services delivered by the ACNs to the targeted population.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> HPN SBCC “Safollo Gatha 2016”

The Bangladesh Behavior Change Communication Working Group organized “2<sup>nd</sup> HPN SBCC Safollo Gatha 2016” on Thursday March 24, 2016. HPN SBCC working group is functioning since 2011 with technical support from Bangladesh Knowledge Management Initiative (BKMI), a USAID funded project implemented by the Johns Hopkins Center for Communication Programs and Bangladesh Center of Communication Programs (BCCP). Dr. Ehteshamul Haq Chowdhury, Director (admin), DGHS; Dr. A.B.M Muzharul Islam, Director, IPHN and Line Director, National Nutrition Services (NNS); Ms. Sharifa Begum, Chief, BHE and Line Director, Health, Education and Promotion; and Dr. Md. Sharif, Director, MCH Services, DGFP were present as a honorable guests in the event.

Institute of Public Health Nutrition (IPHN), National Nutrition Services(NNS), DGHS participated this Safollo Gatha-2016 event with its best practice and one of the most important activities of the NNS, OP entitled “GMP: not merely weighing but also a BCC tool”. Growth monitoring along with its promotion BCC activities such as those on focusing on nutrition education, counseling, referral and others actions can result in improved health or survival of a child.

Growth Monitoring will be effective as well as useful while its Promotional activities (altogether refereed as GMP) pursue mother to bring positive behaviors change that we wanted to share. Besides poster presentation an excellent stage performance was performed by the IPHN with its team as well as artists.



Picture 15: Honorable guest visited IPHN stall



Picture 16: Performing stage show with IPHN team & artists

## Visit to Observe “National Low Birth Survey”

Dr. Md. Quamrul Islam, Director IPHN & LD-NNS; Dr. Md. Moudud Hossain, DD-DGHS & PM, NNS and Dr. Md. Moinul Haque, Planning & MIS Specialist, NIPU, NNS visited a slum area in Barisal on 15 February 2016 to observe the ongoing “National Low Birth Survey” which is funded by National Nutrition Services (NNS).

They visited some households and discussed with the pregnant women. They also discussed with the staff of “Partners in Social Service Management Research Training & Development (PSSMRTD)” who are now working in that slum area & collecting data for the survey.



Picture 17: Director IPHN, PM-NNS and Planning & MIS specialist, NIPU, NNS discussing with pregnant women of slum area

## Inauguration Ceremony of the ToT of Competency Based Training on Nutrition

Inauguration ceremony of the Training of Trainers (ToT) of Competency Based Training on Nutrition was held at ICMH, Matuail, Dhaka on 28 February 2016 where Mr. Mohammed Nasim M.P, Honorable Minister, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare was present as The Chief Guest.

The Special Guests were Mr. Zahid Maleque M.P, Honorable State Minister, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare; Freedom Fighter Alhaz Habibur Rahaman Molla, Honorable MP, Dhaka-5; Prof. Deen Mohd. Noorul Huq, Director General, DGHS; Mohammad Wahid Hossain, Director General, DGFP; Prof. Dr. Iqbal Arslan, Secretary General, Bangladesh Medical Association (BMA); Prof. Dr. M.A Aziz, Joint Secretary, Bangladesh Medical Association (BMA); Mr. Edouard Beigbeder, UNICEF Representative. The occasion was Chaired by Mr. Syed Monjurul Islam, Honorable Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare.

Director IPHN and Line Director NNS, Director- NIPSOM and Executive Director-ICMH were also present in the occasion.



Picture 18: The Guests are on the stage in the inauguration program



Picture 19: Participants of the Inauguration program

## Sensitization Workshop on Competency Based Training on Nutrition at Kishorgonj

A sensitization workshop was held at President Abdul Hamid Medical College, Kishoregonj on 23 April 2016. Mr. Syed Monjurul Islam, Honorable Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of the people's Republic of Bangladesh was present as Chief Guest; Prof. Deen Mohd. Noorul Huq, Director General of Health Services; Ms. Roxana Quader, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Mr. Bashudeb Ganguly, Additional Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare were present as Special Guests. Ms. Anuradha Narayan, Chief Nutrition Section, UNICEF, Bangladesh was present as the Guest of Honour.

The workshop was chaired by Dr. ANM Naushad Khan, Principal, President Abdul Hamid Medical College. Among others, Dr. A.B.M Muzharul Islam, Director IPHN and Line Director NNS was also present in the workshop.

The workshop was organized by Upazilla Health Complex, Karimgonj, Kishoregonj to sensitize UH&FPOs, UFPOs, MOMCHs, HIs, AHIs, FPIs and others.



Picture 20: Participants of the Sensitization Workshop on Competency Based Training on Nutrition at Kishoregonj



## Sensitization Workshop on Competency Based Training (CBT) on Nutrition

A sensitization workshop was held on Competency Based Training (CBT) in Nutrition on 28 March 2016 at Conference Room, Institute of Public Health (IPH), Mohakhali, Dhaka. The workshop was organized by Institute of Public Health Nutrition (IPHN), Ministry of Health & Family Welfare. The program was supported by NIPSOM & ICMH – the implementing partners of CBT.

The workshop was Chaired by Ms. Roxana Quader, Additional Secretary (PH & WH), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare. Mohammad Wahid Hossain, Director General, DGFP, Prof. Dr. Abul Kalam Azad, ADG (Admin), DGHS; Dr. A.B.M Muzharul Islam, Director IPHN and Line Director NNS; Dr. Mohammad Sharif, Director MNCH, DGFP; Prof. Akhtarun Nahar, Director NIPSOM; Prof. Nazneen Kabir, Executive Director, ICMH; Director (Health) of all divisions, Kimberly Allen, Nutrition Specialist, UNICEF were also present in the programme as Special Guests.

All the Civil Surgeons and Deputy Directors –Family Planning of the respective districts were also present in the said workshop.



Picture 21: Director IPHN is delivering in the workshop

## Visit to CBT Program

Dr. Md. Moudud Hossain, Deputy Director DGHS and PM-NNS, IPHN visited Lalmonirhat District on 17 April 2016 to observe the quality of ongoing CBT which are provided at district level.

He observed the training organized for the Service Providers of Sadar upazila of Lalmonirhat. A total number of twenty five (25) participants were there in the training. The training was conducted by two CBT district trainers from ICMH.

During his visit, he emphasized on the time management of the said training and suggested trainers to be well prepared while talking in the training sessions.



Picture 22: Dr. Md. Moudud Hossain, Deputy Director DGHS and PM-NNS, IPHN joined the CBT training program

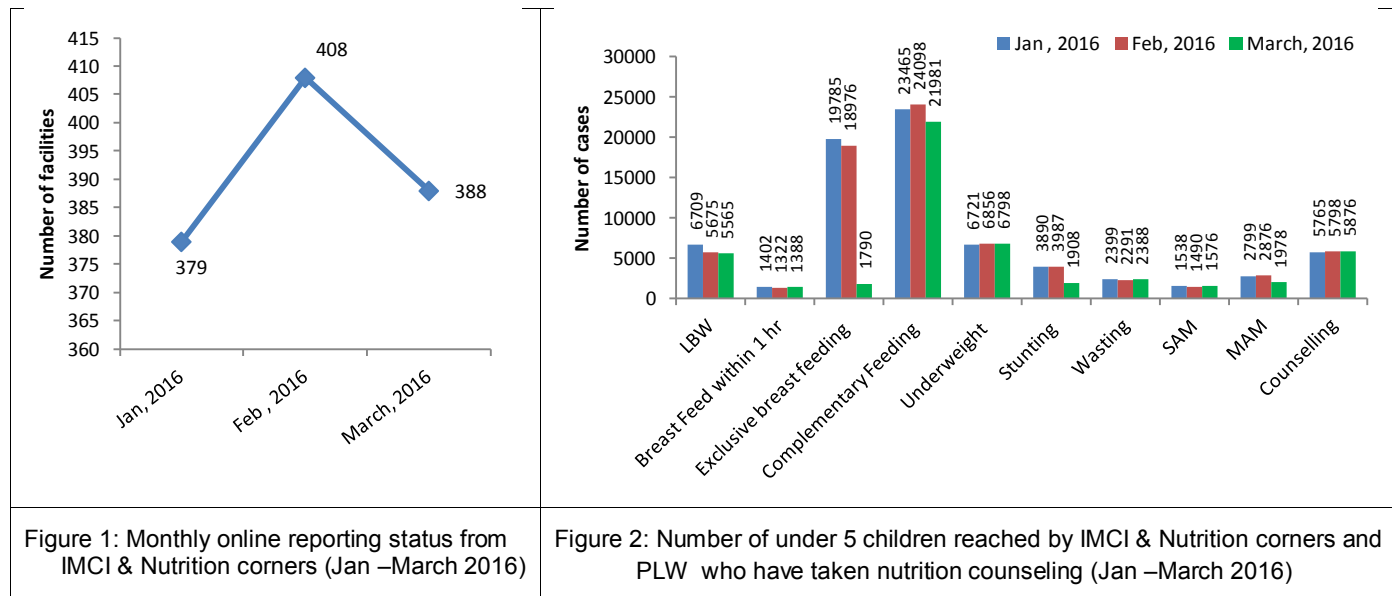
## COVERAGE OF NUTRITION SERVICES

### Nutrition Services from IMCI-N corners

Figure 1 shows the online reporting status of IMCI & Nutrition corners from Jan-March 2016, compiled by HMIS software. Currently almost 380 IMCI & Nutrition Corners from upazila and district levels are reporting on nutrition related indicators through online HMIS software. In February 2016, the reporting number was bit higher which was 408 IMCI & Nutrition corners.

Figure 2 shows, the graphs of provided services from the IMCI & Nutrition corners from Jan-March 2016. The graph shows that IYCF practices have been increasing in the last three reporting months.

#### Monthly Progress Report On IMCI & Nutrition Corners

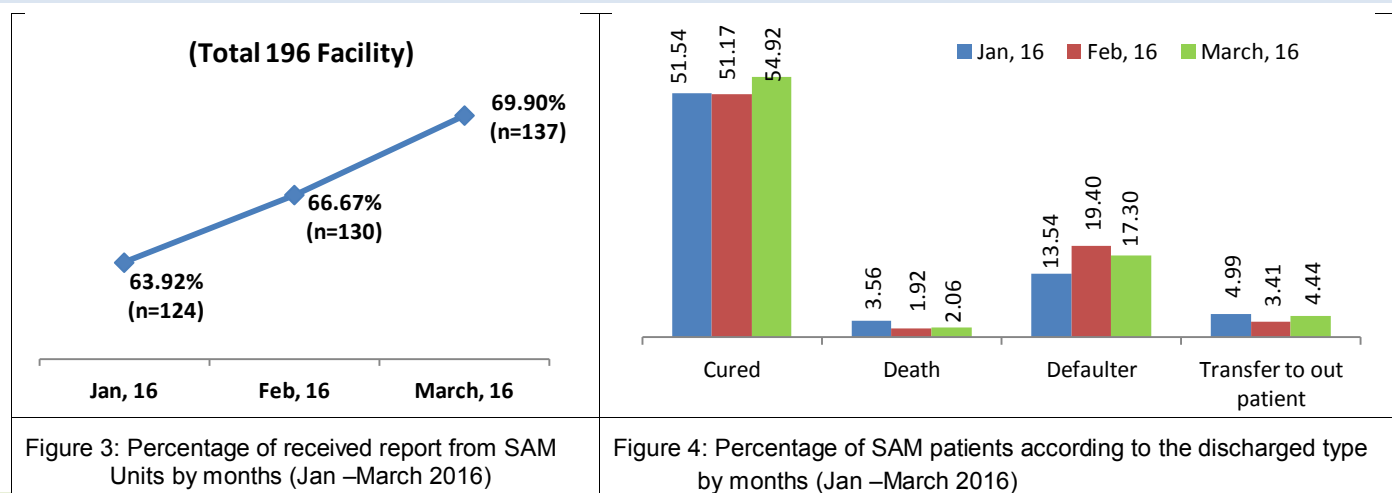


Source: Online HMIS, MIS-DGHS

### Nutrition Services from SAM units

Figure 3 shows the number of SAM facilities which provided SAM information in Jan-March 2016. These facilities have been providing reports to IPHN through e-mail or postal services. It is shown that the reporting rate, March is higher (70%) than the month of February 2016.

Figure 4 shows the status of discharged patients from different SAM units in those months. Among these, the Cure-Rate of March is higher (55%) than those in the month of February and January. On the other hand, defaulter rates are also higher than transferred or referred patients. It may be a reflection of the management of severe acute malnutrition the relevant SAM units which might have been improving with time.

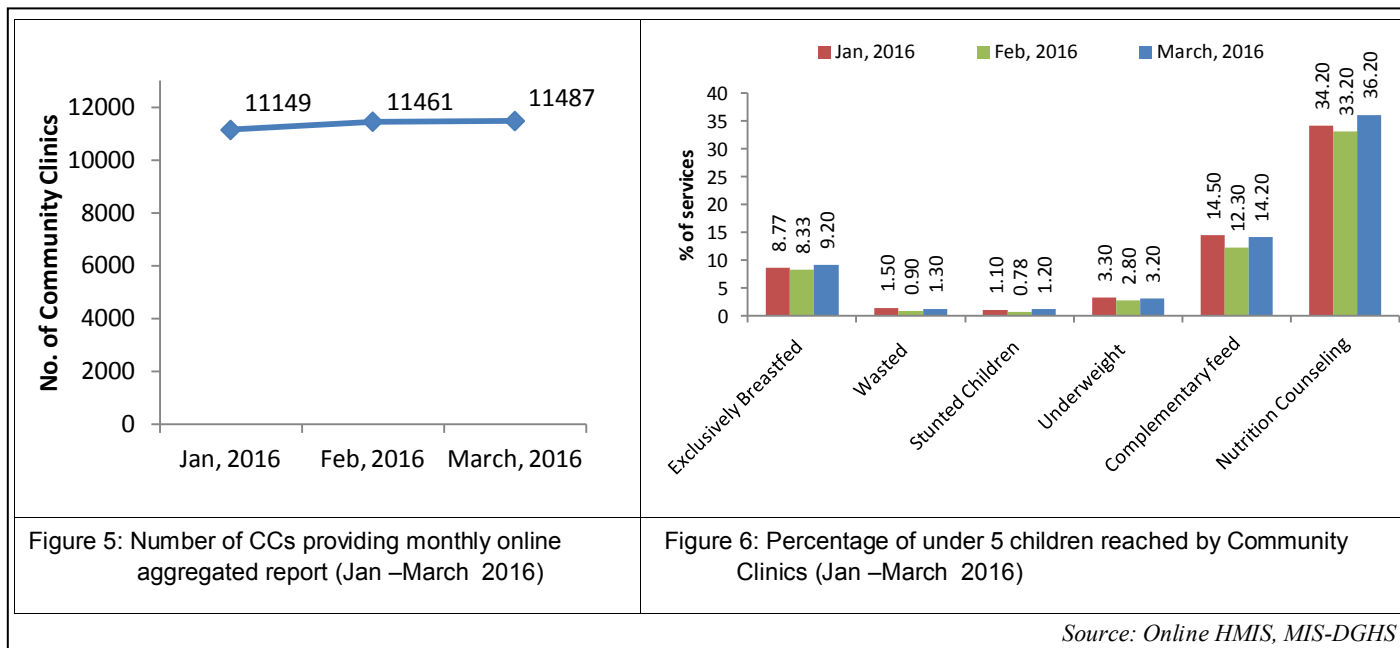


Source: SAM units

### Nutrition Services from Community Clinic

Figure 5 shows, the number of community clinics sending aggregated online reports from Jan –March 2016 through HMIS data management software DHIS2. The figure shows the reporting tendency is increasing day by day. At present the reporting has increased and about to 12000 Community Clinics which are reporting through online every month.

Figure 6 shows the graphs of services provided in Community Clinics from Jan –March 2016 collected from online HMIS software. The graph shows that the IYCF practice and counseling have been increasing in the last 3 months in the Community Clinics.

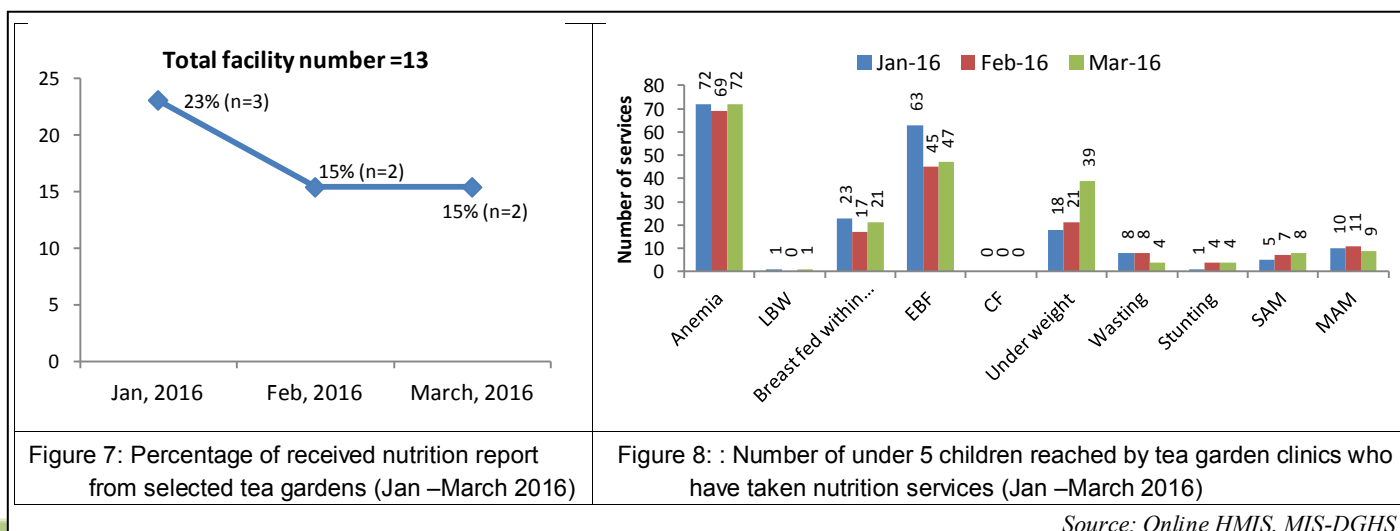


Source: Online HMIS, MIS-DGHS

### Tea Garden online reporting on Nutrition

Figure 7 shows, the percentage of tea garden clinics of Kularua upazilla, Maulavibazar who has received orientation online reporting on nutrition are sending aggregated reports from Jan – March 2016 through HMIS data management software DHIS2. The figure shows the reporting tendency is not satisfied. At present 15% of the tea garden clinics reporting out of 13 facilities who received the orientation on nutrition reporting through NNS.

Figure 8 shows the graphs of services provided from the tea garden clinics of Kularua from Jan – March 2016 collected from online HMIS software. The graph shows that the anemia rate is very high. On the other hand, Exclusive breast feeding is quite well but the under weight is also a matter of concern.



Source: Online HMIS, MIS-DGHS

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