

Technical Assistance for Antara (DMPA) Program

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Strengthening Family Planning services with special focus on DMPA through



Care Line Tele Counselling



Facility Based Training and Mentoring



Private Sector Network

Technical support activities

I. National level Technical Assistance

- Member of Family Planning Task Force and Expert Technical Resource Group – designed program guidelines, reference manuals, conducted training of trainers (ToTs).
- Assist drafting of Reproductive, Maternal, Newborn and Child Health (RMNCH) counseling Manual.
- Designed E-Learning packages for Antara and helping to roll out in all 35 states/UT.
 Strengthening National Family Planning Helpline and setting up Outbound calling systems.

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2. State level Technical Assistance

- Careline Tele- counselling of Antara users > 360,000 counseling contacts, > 76,000 clients registered in 5 states. Demonstrated 76% continuation to 2nd dose and 68% continuation to 3rd dose. Successfully transitioned FP tele-counselling to state government Helpline.
- Onsite capacity building to improve counselling, screenings and follow ups for Antara and Family Planning – covered 339 health facilities in 5 states and reached more than 3500 health providers.

3. Sustainability of Private sector Networks

 Sustained a vibrant private DMPA network of 2500 doctors in Uttar Pradesh and Bihar— with low intensity technical inputs on Family Planning and Antara using digital platform.