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Inter-sectoral Convergence enabled through Technology

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CONVERGENCE FRAMEWORK FOR NUTRITION **OUTCOMES**



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Investing in the Early Years eliminate extreme poverty and boost shared prosperity

Increase Competitiveness

Reduce Inequality



(with the physical, cognitive & socioemotional capacities to learn, earn, innovate and compete)

Children are well nourished, especially in the first 1,000 days

- ✓ Good nutritional status of mothers (& mothersto-be)
- ✓ Exclusive & continued breastfeeding
- √ Proper feeding of <5s + micronutrients
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- ✓ Immunization + Rx of childhood illnesses
- √ Good hygiene practices

Children receive early stimulation and learning opportunities from birth onwards

- ✓ Positive and engaging interactions with parents/caregivers
- ✓ Opportunities for age-appropriate and play-based learning through quality preschool programs

Children are nurtured and protected from stress

- ✓ Avoid/mitigate household and community stressors (neglect, violence, displacement, household shocks)
- ✓ Positive emotional connections with parents/caregivers
- ✓ Supportive discipline

Delivering on the essential interventions above requires efforts across Sectors

Quality, diverse & affordable food (AGR, T&C, GCC)

Quality health care & reproductive health services (HNP)

Water & sanitation (WTR)

Educated & empowered women

Family leave & quality, affordable childcare (EDU, SPL, GEN)

poverty

Safety nets & response to shocks (SURR, Climate, FCV, SPLJ)



Reduced income (POV, MFM, SPLJ)

Operationalizing Convergence for Improved Nutrition Outcomes

Sectors

- Ministry of Women & Child Development
- Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
- Ministry of Drinking Water and Sanitation
- Ministry of Rural Development
- Ministry of Education

Key Interventions/Services

- Growth Monitoring and Promotion
- Inter-personal Counselling:
 - Breastfeeding and Complementary Feeding
 - Nutrition during pregnancy
- Take home rations for pregnant women and children under 3 years

- Immunization
- IFA supplementation
- Iron supplementation for children
- Vitamin A supplementation
- Deworming
- Management of Acute Malnutrition
- Diarrhea Management
- ANC check-ups

- Open Defecation
 Free Villages
- Villages with safe drinking water supply
- Women's Selfhelp groups oriented on Health, Nutrition, Sanitation and Hygiene
- IFA Supplement ation for adolescents
- Deworming for adolescents

Data Sources to track progress

ICDS-CAS

(Data at HH level; aggregated upwards)

Health MIS

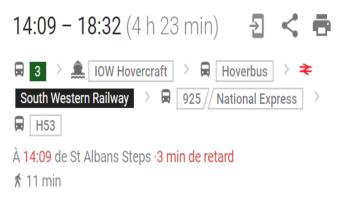
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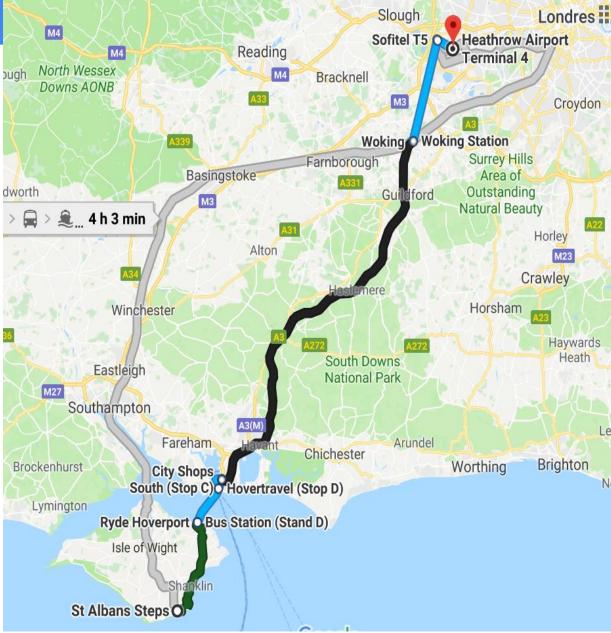
Monthly progress reports
(Data at village level)

Currently not reported

Currently not tracked









Pre-requisites

- Interoperability is essential
- Essential to have a National Interoperability Plan

Sets health information standards
Define how communication
between facilities, State and
National Government will work
Beneficiary data stored where data
originated
But, allow entities to choose
specific technology platforms respect autonomy and
accommodate pluralism
Defines how coordination and interoperability works between health
workers, facilities, State and
National level, and different
sectors and departments





Pre-requisites

- Unique and common client/beneficiary identifiers
- Geo-referencing of all data
- Common set of clientreported outcomes/indicators
- •Commonly-agreed and externally verifiable development outcomes





Thank you



