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TRAINING MANUAL ON PRI-SHG CONVERGENCE



People's Plan Campaign (GPDP)
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PRI-CBO Convergence in the Context of GPDP

1. SHGs provide -
 - Ø An Institutional platform
 - Ø Democratic representative space on local governance
2. CBOs can aggregate the issues of the poor on socio economic needs and communicate to GP for incorporating into GPDP
3. Developing an organic relation between SHGs and PRIs - possible for the GPs to come-out with a comprehensive and participatory GPDP
4. RGSA scheme for governance improvement in Panchayats, will fully adopt PRI-CBO convergence

What this Module intends to do?

This training manual is intended to:

- Ø Emphasize on the need and strategies for convergence
- Ø Provide the conceptual understanding and approaches of convergence at GP level

Gives clarity on:

- Ø What panchayats can do for the SHGs/ CBOs ?
- Ø How CBOs can support panchayats GPDP ?



Structure of the Module

This standard training manual can be used by the MRPs in imparting training to Facilitators / CRPs

- Ø Duration: Two days- 8 Sessions
- Ø Objective: To develop understanding on mechanism for PRI-CBO Convergence
- Ø Methodology: Interactive Session through Presentations/Group work/ Role Play
- Ø Training Outcomes: Develop an effective state specific Protocol for Convergence



Content Coverage

1. Need for PRI-CBO linkages
2. CBOs and their role in Village Development
3. Areas of PRI-CBO Convergence
4. Role of GPs and CBOs in Convergence
5. Role of SHGs in preparing Poverty Reduction Plan
6. Introduction to KS-NRO Convergence Project
7. Outcomes of PRI-CBO convergence

Session 1: Welcome and Inauguration

- Ø Organizers welcome the participants and inaugurate the two day training programme
- Ø Training facilitator sensitize the participants on the structure of the programme and the training methodology
- Ø Establish the key issues / expectations from the perspective of each participant



Session 2: Introduction to PRI-CBO Convergence

Training Inputs

1. An overview of Constitutional Mandate of PRIs
2. The concepts of SHGs the Institutions of the Poor
3. Explain the role provided to SHG under DAY-NRLM to work in coordination with Panchayats
4. Need for PRI-CBO convergence to address the issues of:
 - Ø Exclusion, Enabling participation
 - Ø Claiming Rights and Entitlements
 - Ø Realizing equity

Session3: CBOs and their Role in Village Development

Training Inputs:

1. Explain what are CBOs and discuss different types of CBOs operating in rural areas
2. In the context of RD , CBOs are evolved under various RD programmes
3. PRI-CBO Convergence creates synergies for working together on achieving the goals of local development

Session4: PRI -CBO Convergence - Objectives

Training Inputs- The objectives of convergence

1. Empower the poor to know, demand and access their rights and entitlements.
2. Include the community in the development process to make it participatory and inclusive
3. Strengthen local democracy to make GPs responsive and accountable.
4. Utilize SHG networks to:
 - Ø Strengthen GS to improve GPDP
 - Ø For outreach, Extension and service delivery and feed-back

Session 5: Role of GP & SHGs in Convergence

Role of GP: Facilitate and support CBOs to:

- Ø Identify the needs of the poor
- Ø Strengthen Gram Sabha
- Ø Prepare a poverty reduction plan for GPDP
- Ø Deliver services such as Mid-day meal, Tax collections, SWM, O&M of water supply etc. on certain cost norms
- Ø Involve CBOs as members of functional committees

Session 5: Role of GP & SHGs in Convergence

Role of SHGs:

1. Access support of GP to bring the poor into SHGs
2. Participate in community monitoring and implementation of GP project
3. Help GPs in conducting GS
4. Take up the service delivery responsibilities entrusted by GP

Session 6:

Enabling Convergence for Poverty Reduction

Training Inputs:

1. Meaning and concept of Participatory Assessment and Entitlements
2. Purpose of GP Poverty Reduction Plan
3. Components of Poverty Reduction Plan - *Social Inclusion Plan, Entitlement Plan, Lively-hood Plan, Credit Plan, Infrastructure Development Plan and Resource Development Plan*
4. Integration of Poverty Reduction Plan with GPDP

Session 7: PRI-CBO Convergence : KS-NRO Project

Training Inputs:

1. Introduce the approach to implement the PRI-CBO Convergence (KS-NRO)
2. Frame work of the KS-NRO Project
3. Expected achievements under this project

Expected Outcomes

1. Increased contribution by SHGs for local economic development, reduction of poverty.
2. Increased sensitivity of ERs to work with community institutions
3. Poor will be able to organise themselves and participate in planning exercise
4. Optimum utilization of available resources for village development
5. Increased efficiency and reach of the poor centric programs of GPs

Any further suggestion
on the Content to be covered?



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