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# AIN



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- Established in 1996: Celebrates **25 years of partnership** for humanity and development
- 120 INGOs and 13 Sectoral Working Groups

## AIN in Health Sector:

- 33 INGOs in health sector
- 80+ INGOs including the non-health sector contributed for COVID-19 response
- works very closely with Ministry of Health and Population and its divisions, departments, centers and offices at federal, provincial and local level
- Guided by SDGs, National Health Policy, Nepal Health Sector Strategy and other related policies, strategies, guidelines and plans

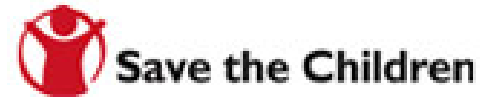
## Geographical coverage:

- All 77 districts.
- 600+ municipalities. *Final number yet to be mapped through digital health mapping*

# AIN HWG Members



Healthy lives. Measurable results.



# AIN's Focused Areas for Health Sectors Support



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- Maternal, Newborn and Child Health
  - Family Planning (FP), Sexual and Reproductive Health (SRH), Adolescent Reproductive Health (ARH)
  - Nutrition;
  - Water, Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH)
  - Tuberculosis, HIV/AIDS, STI, Malaria, and Neglected Tropical Diseases (NTD)
  - Non-communicable Disease
  - Curative Service Support Program
  - Crisis and Emergencies: *Disaster/Disease Outbreak including COVID-19 pandemic: preparedness, detection, prevention, respond, vaccination, relief, and rehabilitation*
  - Mental Health, Psychosocial Support and Gender-based Violence (GBV) mitigation
  - Antimicrobial Resistance, Antimicrobial Use and Consumption Surveillance
  - Disability Prevention, Management and Rehabilitation
  - Health Infrastructure/Renovation, Health Governance, System Strengthening, Research, Surveillance and M&E;
- Budget: NRs 10.8 billion**

# AIN's support in COVID-19 Response



- Prevention, Risk Communication Community Engagement (RCCE), PPE set, COVID-19 care kits
- COVID-19 test kits and reagents, POE support
- Genomic sequencing reagents, computer, software and training
- Short-term human resource support
- Oxygen plant/system (PSA and Liquid oxygen tank with liquid oxygen)
- COVID-19 vaccination support, Cold chain system strengthening, Pfizer vaccination rollout training/orientation, transportation, Recording and reporting, post-vaccine certification (QR code)
- Vaccine-generated waste management
- Pediatric/Adult Essential Critical Care Training
- Mental health and psychosocial support
- Logistics and supply chain system strengthening, Medical equipment and supplies
- **Budget: NRs 2.8 billion**

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### Province Map - Bagmati



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Communicable, Non-Communicable Diseases

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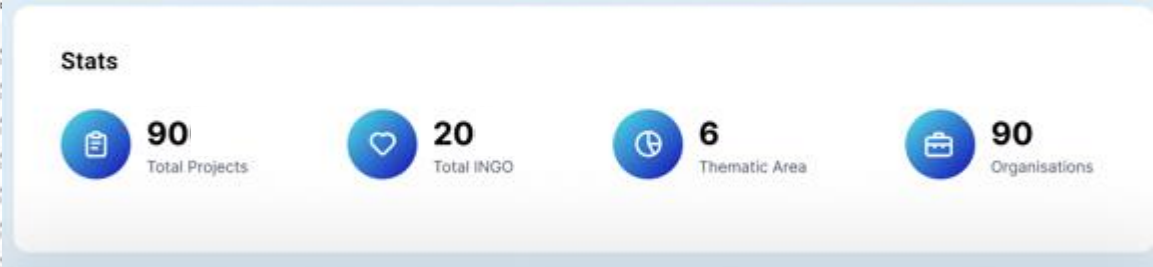
Project Location

Project Information in Detail

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## NHS-SP Strategic objectives

**Strategic objective 1: Enhance efficiency and responsiveness of health system**



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# Modality of Operation

- Direct implementation and service delivery at all levels: *Partnership with the government, non-government organizations and private sectors*
- Technical assistance
- Both hardware and software support
- Staffs are located at central office and project implementation areas: field office or stationed at government and/or NGO office

# Major learning reflections/innovations



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- **Digital/e-health/telehealth services:** *Increased access to information, services and support*
- **Localization of policies/programs/plan** for increased ownership and accountability for basic health services and emergency health response
- **Local capacity strengthening:** *Blended approach (in-person/virtual/on-site, training, mentoring, coaching, continued medical education), improved quality and client-centeredness, minimized absenteeism, increased pool of local mentors and coach*
- **Co-creation and partnership with and TA to local governments:** *Contributed to local capacity strengthening, ownership, mutual accountability and sustainability*
- **One health approach:** *Improved communication, cooperation, coordination, collaboration and co-existence among health and beyond health sectors which contributed to minimizing gaps and overlaps and improving efficiency, effectiveness, alignment and harmonization*
- **Public private partnerships:** *Requires continuous dialogue on value proposition, and increased access to services, products, livelihoods, micro-enterprise and income generation*
- **Community engagement and mobilization:** *Addressed local needs, preferences and gaps, improved satisfaction and improved participation, ownership, mutual accountability and sustainability*
- **Introduction of several new program approaches and technologies**



# Challenges and future outlook



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- Capacity of provincial and local governments and health offices for health policy, planning, programming as well as equitable, inclusive and quality health services.
- Domestic resource mobilization, local ownership and accountability, and sustainability of health programs and services
- Communication, cooperation, coordination, collaboration and co-existence of all 3 tiers of governments as well as different sectors including private sectors. Mapping of development partners, resources and programs
- Clarity on roles, responsibility and accountability of different tiers of governments and stakeholders
- Institutionalize and sustain digital/e-health/telehealth and other resources and gains from COVID-19 response
- Resilient health system for pandemic preparedness, prevention, detection and respond
- Human resource for health
- Referral system and mechanism for required and relevant services at different level
- Integration and interoperability of data/management information system including recording and reporting from private sectors to national system
- Project agreement and approval requirement, monitoring and evaluation from SWC

Thank you!  
Questions and suggestions

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