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Work Profile at HSTP

Shilpa manages the operations, communications, partner engagements and monitoring progress of India Health Policy & Systems Research (HPSR) Fellowships programme which is aimed at building capacity of mid-career public health researchers in HPSR in India.

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Education

- Master of Health Administration, Class of 2010, Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai
- Bachelor of Physiotherapy, Class of 2006, Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R Medical University, Chennai

Brief Bio

Shilpa has over a decade's experience working in public health management under the National Health Mission umbrella.

Before joining HSTP, she worked at the Family Planning Division, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, Government of India, providing technical assistance in the implementation & monitoring of the National Family Planning programme. She was actively engaged in monitoring field activities through supportive supervisory visits, progress of ongoing trainings, development of technical documents, preparation & appraisal of annual programme implementation plans, development of communication strategies and formulation of new policies for FP division.

Prior to this, at the National Health Systems Resource Centre (MOHFW, GOI), Delhi she provided technical support to the State Governments for capacity building in public health planning including development of District Health Action Plans (DHAP). She was the focal person for conducting national workshops on district planning, leadership and development for district and state officials. In addition, she assisted States in preparation and review of their annual & supplementary programme implementation plans. She led the technical evaluation study on assessment of the Janani Shishu Suraksha Karyakram programme. She has worked as a Consultant at the Public Health Division at the Regional Resource Centre for North Eastern States (MOHFW, GOI), Guwahati supporting the rollout of the action-oriented monitoring plan on various aspects of National Rural Health Mission for the allocated High Priority districts. She was also instrumental in providing technical assistance for decentralized planning, preparation of Sub-health Plans, and mapping of Delivery points in the North East.

Select Publications & Reports

1. Reference Manual for Injectable Contraceptive (MPA), 2016
https://nhm.gov.in/New_Updates_2018/NHM_Components/RMNCHA/Family_planning/Schemes_&_Guidelines/Injectable_Contraceptive_MPA.pdf

2. Reference Manual for Oral Contraceptives, 2016
[https://nhm.gov.in/New Updates 2018/NHM Components/RMNCHA/Family planning/Schemes & Guidelines/Oral Contraceptive Pills.pdf](https://nhm.gov.in/New_Updates_2018/NHM_Components/RMNCHA/Family_planning/Schemes_&_Guidelines/Oral_Contraceptive_Pills.pdf)
3. Post Abortion Family Planning – Technical Update, 2016
[http://nhm.gov.in/images/pdf/programmes/family-planning/guidelines/Post Abortion Family Planning.pdf](http://nhm.gov.in/images/pdf/programmes/family-planning/guidelines/Post_Abortion_Family_Planning.pdf)
4. Seventh Common Review Mission – Himachal Pradesh
[http://nhm.gov.in/images/pdf/monitoring/crm/7th-crm/report/7th CRM Report Himachal Pradesh.pdf](http://nhm.gov.in/images/pdf/monitoring/crm/7th-crm/report/7th_CRM_Report_Himachal_Pradesh.pdf)
5. Eight Common Review Mission – Uttarakhand
[http://nhm.gov.in/images/pdf/monitoring/crm/8th-crm/Report/8th CRM Main Report.pdf](http://nhm.gov.in/images/pdf/monitoring/crm/8th-crm/Report/8th_CRM_Main_Report.pdf) and
<http://nhm.gov.in/images/pdf/monitoring/crm/8th-crm/presentation/Uttarakhand.pdf>
6. Monitoring Reports – Rajasthan, Karnataka & Kerala
<http://nhsrcindia.org/category-detail/monitoring-reports/MTE4>
7. JSSK Monitoring Report – Rajasthan & Kerala
<http://nhsrcindia.org/sites/default/files/JSSK%20Report%20Apr%20Jun%202013-14.pdf>