

COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT

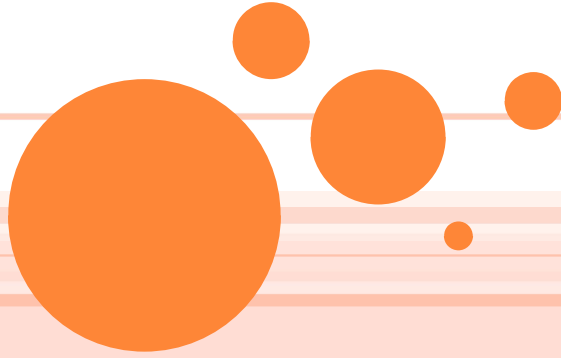
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**Implementation of National
Immunization Schedule 2020-21
in the local ward of Kadapa**



□ **Aim:** To identify the implementation of vaccination schedule in the local population and to create awareness among the public for building a healthy society.

□ **Methodology:** Community survey and community awareness programs.

□ **Immunization** is the process whereby a person is made immune or resistant to an infectious disease, typically by the administration of a vaccine. Vaccines are substances that stimulate the body's own immune system to protect the person against subsequent infection or disease.



- **Immunization Programme in India** was introduced in 1978 as 'Expanded Programme of Immunization' (EPI) by the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India. In 1985, the programme was modified as 'Universal Immunization Programme' (UIP) to be implemented in phased manner to cover all districts in the country by 1989-90 with the one of largest health programme in the world.
- Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India provides several vaccines to infants, children and pregnant women through the **Universal Immunisation Programme.**



Student's survey:

Questionnaire:

- How many are in the family?
- How many children does the family have?
- What is the age of the children?
- What is the educational status of the adults/ parents?
- What is the employment/ Economic source?
- Are you aware of the vaccination?
- How many children received vaccines?
- If vaccinated, is it from Government hospital or private hospital?
- What are the different vaccines received by children?
- Does the PHC/UHC is providing any vaccines?
- Is the ward ANM in contact with the family?
- How many family members received Covid vaccination?
- Do you think vaccines are important for health?



Survey Photos



□ **Analysis of the data:**

1. **Community Survey On Implementation Of National Immunization Schedule 2021-2022 Was Conducted During The Summer Vaccation In The 30th Ward, Kadapa.**
2. **A Total Of 21 Houses Visited For The Data Collection On 13 Questions.**
3. **The Family Members Are In The Range Of 2-5.**
4. **Most Of The Families Have Maximum Numbers Of 3 Childrens Who Are In The Age Group Of 1-18.**
5. **All The Family Adults Are Educated With An Educational Status Of Degree.**
6. **Most Of The Family Adults Are In The Private Employment Only 1 Family Has Economic Source Of Government Employee.**
7. **All the Familiesin The 30th Ward Are Well Aware Of Vaccination And There Childrens Have Also Recevied Few Vaccines Of Immunization Schedule.**
8. **They Recieved Vaccines From Government Hospital.**
9. **Most Of The Children Have Taken BCG, TT, OPV And Hepatitis Vaccine.**
10. **Out Of 21 Families 20 Families Are Aware Of Vaccine Provided By Local PHC/UHC.**
11. **There Ward ANM Is In Contact With The Families Giving The Information About Vaccines Available In The PHC/UHC.**
12. **Most Of The Family Members Have Also Received Covid Vaccination During The Last Two Years.**
13. **Almost All The People Who Participated In The Survey Think That Vaccines Are Important For The Protection Of Health.**



- **Community awareness programmes:** In order to create awareness among the public about the Govt. Immunisation schedule and to build a healthy society pamphlets were distributed to each house of the ward.

- **Photos:**



▣ **Conclusions/ recommendations:**

Based on the survey conducted and the data obtained in the local 30th ward in Kadapa. I conclude that most of the people are educated and are aware of the importance of immunization. But, almost all the children have received only BCG, Hepatitis OPV and TT vaccines. Therefore, government has to create awareness among the public about the remaining vaccines like IPV, Measles, DPT and Rota virus through mass communication media, by telecasting health awareness programmes. So that, our infants and children are better immunized against infections and diseases.





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