UPDATES ON IMPLEMENTATION OF PC PNDT ACT - 2014 – 2015


1. 780 facilities Registered since the inception of the Act as on 31.03.2015. 69 Registrations and 32 renewals provided during 2014 until 31.3.15
2. State Supervisory Board reconstituted vide notification No. 24370/H dated 17.9.14. The first meeting after reconstitution was held on 21st January 2015

4. District Advisory Committee Reconstituted in all districts
5. Chief Secretary, Government of Odisha has taken a review of Collectors- cum District Appropriate Authorities, PC PNDT Act through Video Conferencing
6. Girl Child Task Force constituted under the Chairpersonship of Chief Secretary . last meeting held on 15.4.15
7. Executive Magistrates have been designated as Authorized Officers of District Appropriate Authorities
8. C & AG Audit on PC & PNDT Act Implementation was done during 2014. The exit conference on draft report of the above held on 03.06.2014. another performance audit by C & AG was on Implementation of Schemes for welfare and Protection of Girl Child in Odisha (PC PNDT one of the focus)
9. In 2014 - 15 inspections were carried out by the state team, 40 registrations were cancelled/ suspended by District Appropriative Authorities and 18 cases were filed by violators by the Appropriate Authorities. 369 Monitoring Visits have been undertaken by District team
10. SCB MCH - Cuttack, VSS MCH - Burla, MKCG MCH – Berhampur & IGH, Rourkela , the MCI recognized institutes have been notified as accredited institutions for six months training on Ultrasonography.
11. NIMC visited during July 2014 and sealed 4 centres - 2 each in Cuttack & Khordha, 1 case filed in Cuttack. Another case not filed due to the death of owner. 2 Cases filed in Khordha License of respective units suspended

12. Mapping of CSR has been done up to Revenue village level

13. Planning and implementation based on data from HMIS, MCTS and CRS

14. Community level action initiated to address Gender Biased Sex Selection in 23 districts. Yearlong Save the Girl Child campaign completed in 342 out of 500 vulnerable villages

15. IEC materials developed and disseminated

16. District PNDT Cell established in 23 districts. Decision taken to expand to all districts
17. Creation of a cadre of decoy volunteer and used local intelligence to track violation with appropriate action
18. Early ANC registration made mandatory linking with Mamata
19. Identity Proof made mandatory for ultrasound tests
20. Convergence with other Depts. and training institutions
21. Complaint Box set up at strategic locations

Trainings and Capacity Building

2. One day training of Public Prosecutors on Amendments relating to PC PNDT Act jointly with Directorate of Public Prosecutions.
3. Community level activities taken up at district level for PRI, AWWs, ASHA, SHGs, Media, NGOs, multi – stakeholders.
4. Sensitization Training of Medical College Students and Faculties on Declining Sex Ratio and PC PNDT Act organized at VSS, Burla, MKCG MCH, Berhampur and SCB MCH, Cuttack.
5. Review and Training of ADMO (FW) – cum - District Nodal Officers and Dealing Personnel of PC PNDT on Maintenance of Records and Strengthening Reporting mechanism.