INTENSIVE PUBLIC HEALTH SURVEY WEEK (IPHS-Week) in JHARKHAND

Time-Line: 18th to 25th JUNE 2020.

One week Prior : "Miking & Wall Writing" was done extensively to make the public aware about the survey.
Day1 : Community Meetings at the village level and in the cities to chalk out appropriate action against any gaps for launching IPHS-Week.
Day 2,3,4: Active Household Survey for finding ILI/SARI & 40+ population for Co-Morbid Conditions. Also, left out Children or under 5 Migrant Children and Pregnant Women will also be identified for Immunisation and ANC respectively. In this process 42,000+ Sahiyas, 10,000+ AWW & 50+ CBO are involved. Ensuring the same day sample collection for the ILI/SARI patients
Day 5,6,7 : Actual Screening for those identified in the Survey, for High BP, Diabetes, BMI for Obesity, Checking oral Cancers including TB & Leprosy Patient referral and Filling CBAC form for those found in this Survey. In addition to this the immunisation and ANC for pregnant is also being done at the screening camps. In this process, 8000+ ANMs, 1000+ CHOs and the Program Management Units of Blocks, Districts & State are involved.
Day 8: The compilations of the Data by the BDMs and at the District level by the DDM will be given to the State for any policy formulation and Action.

This survey is important, because as data shows that most of the fatalities are associated with the co-morbid condition. Hence, knowing these co-morbid conditions in the communities well in advance will be beneficial for state to reduce death in the adverse times.