

Project Details: NAeG/14-15/00097

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Name of The Project	Ability Gujarat
Category of Award Applying for	Innovative Use of Technology in e-Governance
Date of Launch	10-07-2012
Summary/Objective of the project	<p>Ability Gujarat is an online web based application developed for data collection of Person with Disability (PwD) and to issue computer generated Disability Certificate up to PHC level. Any PwD can get himself registered in the system by his own or through NGO/Government on www.ability.gujarat.gov.in. The data bank can be used for resource mobilization according to the distribution of type of disability up to village level. Department of Health & Family Welfare has launched a Web Based Application named as Ability Gujarat on 10th July 2012. The Key component of the project is to identify Persons with Disabilities and issue disability certificate to all of them within a specific time frame. Further, the objective is also to prepare a comprehensive registry on a central data server which could be used by various other departments to extend benefits & entitlements under various government schemes. It is estimated that there are 10.92.302 lakh Persons with Disabilities (PwDs) in the State. So far about 10.01.703 Lakh PwDs have registered on the application till 26th August 2014 and about 3.38.814 Lakh certificates are available on the centralized database. Ability Gujarat has been appropriately awarded CSI Nihilent e-Governance Awards 2012 13 and Award of Recognition on 14th December 2013 at Visakhapatnam as part of the 48th CSI Annual Convention Objective:- Short Term Objectives Creation of a database for PwDs in state by development of a module for registration of PwDs Identification, Online Certificate Issuance to PwDs with simultaneous generation and regular updating of data To generate a computerized Database of all Persons with Disabilities. (Online Registration of PwDs) Long Term Objectives Promotion and prevention of disability to ensure equal opportunities, protection of rights and full participation To provide e-certificate for disability using web based application through secured credentials Salient Features:- Longer life of Disability records Centralized database which is helpful for effective camp approach. Efficient services at hospitals due to digitalization of records. Minimal infrastructure, easy to use software for grass root workers. Scientific assessment for degree of the disability based on guidelines and formulae. We can identify burden of disabilities in the State through the various query modules. A centralized database of all PwDs of the State along with types of disabilities which is very useful for providing rehabilitation and the appropriate basic services. Duplication and fraudulent activities have reduced as the application keeps track of information given by PwD at the time of registration and assessment. Establishment of State Disability Cell for addressing the queries of PwDs in case of any issues related to Registration, Assessment and Issuance of Disability Certificate Specially designed query module to identify the location and type of disability of PwDs which makes it easy to organize camps to maximize Coverage of Certificate issued to PwDs The gap between service providers & those who are in need ensuring better resource Mobilization by Health Department</p> <p>(i)To organization Creation and regular updating of a comprehensive databank of PwDs in Gujarat Promotion and prevention of disability to ensure equal opportunities, protection of rights and full participation To organize camps with target result based on the data extracted from the centralized repository To provide e-certificate for disability using web based application through secured credentials Real time day to day information-online Beneficiary wise Reports digitally are viewed at the State and District level also (ii)To citizen Easy to locate defined group of disables through State repository which makes it easy for State authorities to reach to him/her which was earlier not possible Multiple options for registration (Online, Post and Manual) resulting in faster registration of PwDs across State PwDs can locate the nearest facility around them where assessment can be performed using the online portal. (iii)Other stakeholders Social Justice & Empowerment Department Education Department Sarva Siksha Abhiyan NGO & Community Based Organization Commissioner of Person with Disability</p>
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	Self Certification by the Project Head
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