**National Nutrition Cluster Meeting,**

**Updates from Micronutrient Technical Working Group in National Nutrition Cluster Meeting (18 September 2020)**

**A. Major highlights (Maximum three short bullets):**

1. Vitamin ‘A’ capsule distribution plan from Federal level to Provincial District Health Office level for the October 2020 round of VAC distribution prepared and shared with the nutrition section of Family Welfare Division.

**B: Status of agreed action points of previous meeting**

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| **S. No** | **Action Points** | **Progress**  |
| 1. | Provide adolescent nutrition guideline 2077 to all people at provincial and local level for implementation of adolescent nutrition programme. | Sending of Adolescent Nutrition Guideline 2077 sending to all people at provincial and local level for implementation of adolescent nutrition programme is in pending status and waiting for approved copy of the guideline.  |

**C. Major issues and mitigating measures (maximum three major issues)**

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| **SN** | **Major issues** | **Mitigating measures** |
| 1. | Volunteer mobilization strategy, 2020 suggestive of time bound insurance for FCHVs but this provision is not implemented in the case of FCHVs for their mobilization during VAC distribution round. | Ministry of Health and Population (MoHP) requires expanding the time bound insurance plan for FCHV in the context of COVID 19 for encouraging them to mobilize well in next VAC distribution round and other nutrition events. |
| 2. | Lack of implementation plan for Female Community Health Volunteer (FCHV) Strategy, BS 2076 to guide and sustain the FCHV mobilization for the VAC distribution programme and other nutrition events. | Coordinate with the Nursing and Social Security Section of Family Welfare Division to develop implementation plan for Female Community Health Volunteers (FCHVs), BS 2076 to maintain and sustain voluntarism from FCHVs side in the context of COVID 19 and, in new normal situation. |
| 3 | Volunteer mobilization strategy 2020 yet have to fully implemented to ensure local government support in IPC measures for FCHVs in October 2020 round of VAC distribution and other nutrition events. | Resent the volunteer mobilization strategy, 2020 and orient the local government to implement the strategy fully in support of children, adolescent girls and boys and pregnant & lacating women. |