

## Training Programme on



### Strategies for Identifying and Maintaining Common Pool Resources through PR Systems

(6-10 December, 2021)

Venue: NIRD& PR, Hyderabad



## ABOUT THE TRAINING PROGRAMME

Common property resources are the resources which are owned by the community, i.e., what is located in the area and not owned by any individual and may be used by the entire community. Those could be natural common property resources or manmade public infrastructure, which does not belong to any particular department/ agency. Normally People will be more prone to maximizing their private gains by unsustainable use of these common pool resources. The PRIs should take a better position to take a long-term view and judge suitability of desired mode of exploitation of natural resources to protect common interest for its sustainable use.

Devising robust Governance mechanism and institutional framework is critical need for Management of CPR for deriving maximum benefit to the community and the resources are to be maintained for that purpose. Good maintenance should be such that the value of the asset does not get reduced. All such assets should be maintained in the stock book of the Panchayats and those should also be reflected in its annual accounts. PRIs, particularly the GPs, should also endeavour in creating community assets which may be natural, social or economic and are needed by the citizen but is not economic to be created by any individual or group of individual. Therefore state and district PR functionaries need to be capacitated in the best management of these resources. Also to panchayats to identify CPR for effective utilisation of their assets for the purpose of generating self- revenues, Protect the property from encroachments and proper maintenance of the assets. In this context, the training programme aims

to make participants to understand the CPRs and governance mechanism to manage CPRs sustainably.

## OBJECTIVES OF THE PROGRAMME

1. To enable the participants to identify the common pool resources in their villages and understand the potentiality of CPR's for the livelihood upliftment of the rural poor
2. Devising governance mechanism, institutional framework and programs for community based management practices in maintaining CPRs
3. To sensitize the participants about the best practices for strengthening the CPR's and their management

## CONTENT

The programme will be discussed in modules as per the objectives stated

**Module1:** Concept, modalities and potentialities of common pool resources

**Module2:** CPR's, livelihoods & resilience

**Module3:** Participatory planning for managing CPRs

**Module 4:** Best practices and case studies regarding protection and management of CPRs

## OUTCOME OF THE PROGRAMME

At the end of the training programme, the participants will gain a) adequate knowledge on identifying and maintaining different types of common pool resources in their respective areas. b)

Gain the knowledge on role and importance of common pool resources for the socio-economic and sustainable development through collective action. C) Enhance the participant's knowledge on CPR inclusive GPDP preparation

### TRAINING METHODS

Training methods will comprise of lectures, group discussions, and presentations. Presentations on good practices/ successful case study will be imparted. There will be exposure visits and interaction with experts working in this domain.

### TARGET AUDIENCE

Officials and elected representatives from state and district agriculture, rural development and panchayat raj functionaries, CRPs and NGOs.

### ACCOMMODATION & TRAVEL

This program is residential in nature and NIRD&PR will provide accommodation in its Guest House and will bear boarding and lodging charges for the participants during the training. However, to and fro travel expenses of the participants attending the training program must be borne by their nominating /sponsoring agencies.

The nominated participants are requested to report at NIRD&PR hostel, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad on 5<sup>th</sup> December, 2021 (evening). Before reaching the guest house, they may contact reception at 040 – 2400 8500.

**There is No Training Fee for the programme.**

### ABOUT NIRD&PR

Established in 1958, the National Institute of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj (NIRD&PR) is a premier training institute and a centre of excellence in research and consultancy services in the rural development arena. Recognized internationally as one of the UN-ESCAP centres of excellence, it builds capacities of functionaries in rural development, agriculture, elected representatives of Panchayats, bankers, NGOs and other stakeholders. The institute is located in the historic city of Hyderabad in Telangana state.

### LOCATION & FACILITIES

NIRD&PR is located on a sprawling 42 hectare beautiful campus in Rajendranagar, Hyderabad. The institute has a well-organized and computerized library with a collection of over 90,000 volumes. Besides well-equipped classrooms and guest houses, the institute has a healthcare centre, a community health club with modern equipment, and facilities for yoga, Badminton, Tennis, Table Tennis, Swimming pool, etc.

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### NOMINATION FORM

*(Please send the following details by e-mail for participation)*

- 1. Name:**
- 2. Designation:**
- 3. Qualification**
- 4. Organisation:**
- 5. Address:**
- 6. Telephone/ Mobile No:**
- 7. E-mail address:**

**Last date for Nomination & Confirmation**

**(26<sup>th</sup> November, 2021)**

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