

Activity Completion Report

Activity Details:

Activity Title: Workshop on Communicating with Data – Conveying Health Information to Media and Colleagues

Date & Duration of activity (Days): September 22, 2025- September 23, 2025

Name of the school: IIHMR University

Name & Contact Details of the organiser (s): Ms. Kirti Agarwal

Event Details & Description:

IIHMR University, Jaipur, in collaboration with Vital Strategies, Bloomberg Philanthropies, and global partners, organized a two-day workshop on “Communicating with Data: Conveying Health Information to Media and Colleagues” on September 22–23, 2025. The program brought together 22 participants from:

- Gujarat
- Odisha
- Punjab
- Maharashtra
- Rajasthan
- Chhattisgarh
- Chandigarh

The inaugural address was delivered by Dr. P.R. Sodani, President, IIHMR University, and the sessions were facilitated by Dr. Ruxana Jina, Director, Data Impact Team, Vital Strategies; Dr. Lara Tabac, Director, Global Grants Program, Vital Strategies; Dr. Nidhi Chaudhary, Principal Technical Advisor, Data Impact India; Prof. J.P. Singh; and Dr. Neetu Purohit from IIHMR University. Coordinated by Ms. Kirti Agarwal and Ms. Gunjan Bawa, the workshop focused on strengthening data interpretation, communication strategies, ethical use of AI, and managing misinformation to build capacity among public health professionals.

Participants Details:

Total Participants	Number of Male	Number of Female
27	15	12

List with name of participants, affiliation:

S. No.	Name of Participant	Affiliation
1.	Dr. P.R. Sodani	IIHMR University, Jaipur
2.	Ms. Kirti Agarwal	IIHMR University, Jaipur
3.	Dr. J.P. Singh	IIHMR University, Jaipur

4.	Dr. Neetu Purohit	IIHMR University, Jaipur
5.	Dr. Ruxana Jina	Vital Strategies NY
6.	Dr. Lara Tabac	Vital Strategies NY
7.	Dr. Nidhi Chaudhary	Vital Strategies India
8.	Dr. Seema Patel	Vital Strategies India
9.	Gunjan Bawa	Vital Strategies India
10.	Dr. Upalimitra Waghmare	Public health department, BMC Mumbai
11.	Dr. Vaishali Chandanshive	Public health department, BMC Mumbai
12.	Dr. Prashant Jadhav	Public health department, BMC Mumbai
13.	Dr. Inderdeep Kaur Sawhney	Department of Health Chandigarh
14.	Dr. Pradeep Choudhary	National Health Mission, Rajasthan
15.	Dr. Yuvraj Pratap Singh	National Health Mission, Rajasthan
16.	Dr. Rambabu Jaiswal	Department of Health and Family Welfare Rajasthan
17.	Dr. Seema Jaiswal	Department of Health and Family Welfare Rajasthan
18.	Dr. Balwinder Kaur	National Health Mission, Punjab
19.	Dr. Rajesh Bhaskar	National Health Mission, Punjab
20.	Mr. Yugesh Kumar Rai	National Health Mission, Punjab
21.	Dr. Subhransu Pradhan	Odisha
22.	Dr. Tapas Patra	Odisha
23.	Dr. Arghya Pradhan	Odisha

24.	Dr. Hiten Parekh	Statistics Dept. Gandhinagar, Gujarat
25.	Mr. Anand Kumar Sahu	Chhattisgarh
26.	Mr. Amit Yadav	Chhattisgarh
27.	Mr. Ramavatar Jaiswal	Jaipur

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