

HISP India facilitated “Training of core team” and “Training of Trainers” on District Health Information System (DHIS-2) Tripoli and Benghazi, Libya

21st July 2018 - 2nd August 2018



Training of core Team:

Tripoli – 21 July 2018, The Health Information Centre, Ministry of Health in partnership with World Health Organization (WHO), UNICEF and IOM started a series of capacity building workshops for implementation of the District Health Information System (DHIS2). The first workshop focused on building capacity building of core team on District Health Information System (DHIS2)” which continued for six days’ (21-26 July) in the premises of Health Information Centre, Tripoli. The workshop was attended by 25 core team members from different parts of the country and was facilitated by Saurabh Leekha, Sumit Tripathi, Naman Thakral and Dr. Kirti Thakur from Health Information System Program (HISP) India. The leadership of WHO, UNICEF and IOM present on the occasion congratulated all the staff and assured their full support in implementation of the district health system.

Training of Trainers:



Tripoli – On 28 July, 2018, The Health Information Centre, Ministry of Health in partnership with World Health Organization (WHO), UNICEF and IOM started six days (28 July-2nd August) training of trainer’s workshop on the District Health Information System (DHIS2). The workshop was attended by 50 staff team of MOH from different hospitals and municipalities, in addition to participants from the National Centre for Disease Control. The workshop was conducted in Bab al Ahmar Hotel and was facilitated by the Saurabh Leekha, Naman Thakral and Dr. Kirti Thakur from Health Information System Program (HISP) India.

Mr Mohamed Ibrahim Daganee, Director General of Health Information Centre, MOH welcomed all the participants including representatives of WHO, UNICEF and IOM. In the opening remarks, Dr Syed Jaffar Hussain, World Health Representative and Head of Mission, on behalf of WHO, UNICEF and IOM welcomed all the participants and congratulated the Health Information Centre, MOH on the land mark achievement on the beginning of the journey to implement District Health Information System (DHIS2).



Benghazi – On 28 July, 2018, A parallel training was conducted in Benghazi and, the workshop was attended by 25 of HIS staff at Health Directorate from Municipality and Hospitals in Benghazi, Ajdabiya, Tobruk, Al Marj, Al Kufra, Derna, Khaleej Al Sidra, and Al Baeda. The workshop was conducted in The Health Workforce Development Centre- Benghazi and was Mr. Sumit Tripathi DHIS2 expert from Health Information System Program (HISP) India.

Dr Tareq Kaweri, Director General of Primary Health Services in Greater Benghazi, welcomed all the participants. In his opening remarks, Dr Kaweri appreciates the availability of updated information on urgent needs on daily basis which will improve the decision-making process. The proper use of generated information will support program managers, district health officers, health sector partners, donors, and all the stakeholders related to health in evidence-based planning which will improve the health service delivery benefitting the ailing population of Libya.

The trainings will not only enrich the capacity of Health information staff at facility and municipality level on data entry, analysis, reporting of disease burden, and utilization data; but will also enhance their teaching and supervisory skills. The master trainers through a cascade of training sessions will train data entry operators of all the public health facilities of Libya and will monitor the timely availability of quality data on daily, weekly, and monthly basis according to the agreed standard operating procedures reflected in the DHIS2.