

No. NI/WD/III-159/2018-19

**Sub: Workshop on Gender Equality for Promoting Food and Nutrition Security from 19-21 December, 2018 at NIPCCD, New Delhi- Reg.**

Sir/ Madam,

National Institute of Public Cooperation and Child Development (NIPCCD) is an autonomous organisation working under the aegis of Ministry of Women and Child Development, Government of India. It is a premier organisation devoted to promotion of voluntary action, research, training and documentation in the overall domain of women and child development.

2. As part of its training activities, the Institute is organizing a **Workshop on Gender Equality for Promoting Food and Nutrition Security** from **19-21 December, 2018** at its premises, 5, Siri Institutional Area, Hauz Khas, (opposite Hauz Khas Police Station) New Delhi -110016. The main objectives of the workshop are to: develop clear perspective among the participants about basic concept of gender equality and food and nutrition security; enable them to identify different dimensions of food and nutritional security and women's role therein; share government and non- government initiatives towards gender equality and food security; and recommend priority interventions to ensure gender equality and thereby promoting food and nutrition security. About 35 participants comprising middle/senior level officials of Government, representatives of voluntary organizations associated with women development/ empowerment programmes and food security will participate in the Workshop. For more details you may refer to the enclosed Workshop Design.

2. You are requested to nominate a senior/middle level official of your organization/department to participate in the Workshop. **The participant from voluntary organizations who attended any training programme of the Institute or its Regional Centres during the last two years may kindly not be nominated.** Participants above the age of 60 and below the age of 21 years and those having educational qualifications below Graduation may not be nominated.

3. The participants from NGOs will be paid travel grant equivalent to AC-II tier rail fare (**excluding Rajdhani, Duranto, Premium, Shatabdi Express, AC bus and Tatkal Charges**) by the shortest route to and from venue of the programme. The journey by road to the nearest railway/bus station will be paid to the non-official participants as per NIPCCD norms. Local participants will be paid expenditure incurred on local conveyance as per NIPCCD norms. **The Government Officials will draw TA/DA from their respective Departments.** However, the Institute will provide free board and lodging facilities to all the outstation participants at its hostel located at its premises for the duration of the Workshop and one day before and one day after the programme i.e. from **18-22 December, 2018.**

4. It is requested that nomination in the enclosed proforma duly completed with a passport sized photograph and forwarded by Head of the Department/Directorate/Organization may be sent to the Institute at the **earliest and latest by 3 December, 2018.** The Workshop Design and Nomination Form can also be downloaded from website of the Institute i.e. [www.nipccd.nic.in](http://www.nipccd.nic.in). The details of nominee may be emailed to us at [satbeerchhabra@gmail.com](mailto:satbeerchhabra@gmail.com) or [wdnipccd@gmail.com](mailto:wdnipccd@gmail.com). For any other clarifications please contact Ms. Satbeer Chhabra, Workshop Incharge on 09818987929 preferably between 9.30 a.m. to 5.15 p.m. on working days. It is requested that the **nominee may proceed for the Workshop only after receiving confirmation from the Institute.**

Thanking You,

Yours faithfully,

(Rita Patnaik)  
Joint Director (WD) I/c

Encl: As above

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**विषय : निपसिड, नई दिल्ली में 19 –21 दिसम्बर, 2018 तक 'खाद्य और पोषण सुरक्षा को बढ़ावा देने हेतु जेंडर समानता पर कार्यशाला' में नामांकनों का अनुरोध करने हेतु**

महोदय/महोदया,

निपसिड के नाम से प्रसिद्ध **राष्ट्रीय जन सहयोग एवं बाल विकास संस्थान**, महिला एवं बाल विकास मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार के तत्वावधान में कार्यरत एक स्वायत्तशासी निकाय है जो कि महिला एवं बाल विकास के सम्पूर्ण क्षेत्राधिकार में स्वैच्छिक कार्य एवं अनुसंधान, प्रशिक्षण एवं प्रलेखन को बढ़ावा देने के लिए समर्पित मुख्य संगठन है।

2. अपने प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रमों की श्रंखला में यह संस्थान सरकारी तथा गैर-सरकारी संस्थाओं के प्रतिनिधियों के लिए दिनांक **19 –21 दिसम्बर, 2018** तक **खाद्य और पोषण सुरक्षा को बढ़ावा देने हेतु जेंडर समानता पर कार्यशाला** का आयोजन कर रहा है। यह कार्यशाला संस्थान के मुख्यालय, 5 सीरी इंस्टीट्यूशनल एरिया, हौज खास, हौज खास पुलिस स्टेशन के सामने, नई दिल्ली में आयोजित की जाएगी। इस कार्यशाला के मुख्य उद्देश्य हैं : जेंडर समानता और खाद्य और पोषण सुरक्षा के बुनियादी अवधारणा के बारे में प्रतिभागियों के बीच स्पष्ट परिप्रेक्ष्य विकसित करना; उन्हें खाद्य और पोषण सुरक्षा के विभिन्न आयाम और उसमें महिलाओं की भूमिका की पहचान करने में सक्षम बनाना; जेंडर समानता और खाद्य सुरक्षा के प्रति सरकारी तथा गैर सरकारी पहल साझा करना; तथा जेंडर समानता सुनिश्चित करने और खाद्य और पोषण सुरक्षा को बढ़ावा देने के लिये प्राथमिकता के उपाय विकसित करना। इस कार्यशाला में लगभग 35 प्रतिनिधि भाग लेंगे जिनमें उच्च/मध्यस्तरीय सरकारी अधिकारी, तथा महिलाओं एवं खाद्य और पोषण संबंधित योजनाओं/कार्यक्रमों से जुड़े स्वैच्छिक संगठनों के प्रतिनिधि शामिल होंगे। विस्तृत जानकारी के लिये कार्यशाला की रूपरेखा संलग्न है।

3. अनुरोध है कि आप अपनी संस्था/विभाग से उच्च/मध्यस्तरीय अधिकारी/प्रतिनिधि को कार्यशाला में भाग लेने हेतु नामित करें। **स्वैच्छिक संगठनों के जो सहभागी पिछले दो वर्षों में संस्थान के मुख्यालय और इसके क्षेत्रीय केन्द्रों के किसी भी प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम में हिस्सा ले चुके हैं, उन्हें कृपया नामित न करें।** यह भी अनुरोध है कि 21 वर्ष से कम एवं 60 वर्ष से अधिक आयु के तथा शैक्षिक योग्यता स्नातक से कम वाले अधिकारी को कृपया नामित न करें।

3. गैर-सरकारी संगठनों के सहभागियों को सबसे छोटे मार्ग से कार्यक्रम स्थल पर आने-जाने के लिए वातानुकूलित दो टियर तक के रेल किराये (राजधानी, शताब्दी, प्रीमियम, दुरन्तों एक्सप्रेस और ए.सी. बस को छोड़कर) का यात्रा अनुदान दिया जाएगा तथा नजदीकी रेलवे स्टेशन/बस अड्डे तक सड़क यात्रा के खर्च का भुगतान संस्थान के नियमानुसार किया जाएगा। **सरकारी विभागों से नामित अधिकारियों को अपने विभागों से यात्रा भत्ता/दैनिक भत्ता प्राप्त करना होगा।** स्थानीय प्रतिभागियों को संस्थान के नियमानुसार स्थानीय वाहन खर्च दिया जाएगा। तथापि संस्थान द्वारा बाहर से आने वाले सभी सहभागियों के लिए भोजन और आवास की निःशुल्क व्यवस्था संस्थान के परिसर में स्थित छात्रावास में कार्यशाला की अवधि, उससे एक दिन पहले और एक दिन बाद (**18 –22 दिसम्बर, 2018**) तक उपलब्ध कराई जाएगी।

4. अनुरोध है कि नामांकन संलग्न प्रोफार्मा में विधिवत रूप से भर कर अपने संगठन/विभाग प्रमुख से अग्रेषित करा कर संस्थान में शीघ्रताशीघ्र या **3 दिसम्बर, 2018** तक अवश्य भेज दें। कार्यशाला की रूपरेखा और प्रोफार्मा इस संस्थान की वेबसाइट [www.nipccd.nic.in](http://www.nipccd.nic.in) से डाउनलोड भी किया जा सकता है। नामित प्रतिनिधि का ब्योरा [wdnipccd@gmail.com](mailto:wdnipccd@gmail.com) अथवा [satbeerchhabra@gmail.com](mailto:satbeerchhabra@gmail.com) पर हमें ई-मेल किया जा सकता है। कृपया इस बारे में जानकारी हेतु श्रीमती सतबीर छाबड़ा, सहायक निदेशक (फोन 011-26566995, 09818987929) से संपर्क करें। यह भी अनुरोध है कि **नामित प्रतिनिधि संस्थान से फोन/फैक्स/ईमेल द्वारा नामांकन की पुष्टि होने पर ही कार्यशाला के लिए प्रस्थान करें।**

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(शीता पटनायक)  
संयुक्त निदेशक (महिला विकास), प्रभारी

संलग्नक : उपर्युक्तानुसार

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**Workshop on Gender Equality for Promoting Food and Nutrition Security**

**Dates: 19-21 December, 2018**

**Venue: NIPCCD, Delhi**

**Workshop Design**

Gender inequalities in general and gender gaps in agriculture in particular prevent women to play a vital role in food and nutrition security in the households and community as well. According to the *State of Food Security and Nutrition in the World 2018* Report, India is home to 23.4% of world's hungry. The data further showed that 38.4% of children under five in India are stunted, while 51.4% of women in reproductive ages are anemic which strongly indicates that women and children are experiencing the impacts of gender inequality the most acutely. Of the many challenges we face today, perhaps the most significant is that of eliminating hunger and providing food and nutrition security to one and all.

At the World Summit on Food Security in 2009, availability, access, utilization and stability were identified as the 'four pillars' of food security. Women assume critical roles in attaining each of these pillars of food security as they contribute immensely throughout the agricultural value chain, from production to food preparation, to distribution within the household. Gender analysis shows us that women literally 'feed the world', as producers, processors, cooks and servers of food. Women play a critical part in the overall agriculture sector as the primary agricultural producers. Small-scale farmers – many of whom are women – are critical to growing economies and reducing hunger. Women – and often girls – are heavily involved in all aspects of agricultural production, processing and distribution. They are, therefore, vital contributors to food security, yet ironically much of their work, both paid and unpaid, is unrecognized and their key role as consumers and family care-givers, is largely underestimated. Discrimination against women makes it further difficult for them to fulfill their vital roles in food production, preparation, processing, distribution and marketing activities by limiting their access to key resources such as land and credit and thus affecting household food security and nutrition.

Conversations around food security are often centered on helping farmers to improve production through increased yields and output. There is little detailed focus on who is producing our food, and only a limited amount of gender disaggregated data is available. There is also little information on women's specific knowledge and skills in relation to agricultural production, on gender divisions of agricultural labour and on the specific ways in which their access to productive resources is often limited by inherent social and economic norms that determine gender division of labour. There is a need to understand the gender dynamics in relation to food production and availability, access, utilization and stability- the- four pillars of food and nutrition security. Gender inequalities are a significant part of the problem of food insecurity and reducing those inequalities will be a critical part of the solution.

Ensuring food and nutrition security is both the most basic of development issues and is also among the top priorities of the Government's agenda. Government has initiated various programmes and legislations for ensuring food security of citizens of the country. One of the intervention in this regard was launch of the National Food Security Mission in 2007 with the objective to increase production and productivity of wheat, rice and pulses on a sustainable basis so as to ensure food security of the country. Another initiative taken by Child Development and Nutrition Bureau of the Ministry of Women and Child Development (MWCD), GoI is launching of Nutrition Resource Platform (NRP) in 2012 to fight malnutrition in women and children. Recently enactment of the National Food Security Act, 2013 is another milestone that gives right to subsidised food grain to India's (rural and urban) households/people, comprising the poor, children, pregnant/lactating mothers, aged, widows, destitutes, disabled, etc. with food and nutritional subsidy/support in kind and cash. But the extent to which gender inequalities thwart attainment of this priority is a key concern given the vital role of women in household and community food and nutrition security.

Therefore, it is realized that interventions are required that would enhance food and nutrition security by ending gender discrimination, empowering women and achieving gender equality. Food security and agricultural programmes can strengthen human rights and be more effective if they also tackle the constraints around women's access to resources. This is done through addressing the issue of unequal gender roles, responsibilities and workloads. There is a need to understand the gender dynamics in relation to the food production, availability, access, utilization and stability. Moreover, there is a need to analyze gender inequalities that constrain women's roles in agriculture and food production, and in the long run undermine achievement of food and nutrition security in the country. It is also essential to develop an understanding that reducing gender inequalities faced by women is therefore an imperative both for its intrinsic importance and for its wider implications in attaining food and nutrition security. Besides government interventions, it requires social mobilization, social will and well planned participatory efforts by all the stakeholders – government, rural and urban local bodies, CSOs, private sector, to overcome the problem and achieve gender just food and nutrition security. Keeping this in view the Institute proposes to organize a three day Workshop on Gender Equality for Promoting Food and Nutrition Security from **19-21 December, 2018 at its premises in New Delhi.**

**Objectives:** The main objectives of the workshop will be to:

- (i) develop clear perspective among the participants about basic concept of gender equality and food and nutrition security;
- (ii) enable them to identify different dimensions of food and nutritional security and women's role therein;
- (iii) share government and non- government initiatives towards gender equality and food security; and
- (iv) recommend priority interventions to ensure gender equality and thereby promoting food and nutrition security.

### **Major Focus of the Workshop**

The workshop aims at exploring how gender equality can contribute to food security. Its focus will be on the relationship between gender-based discrimination and the different dimensions of food and nutrition security. The contents will broadly cover basic concept of gender equality; various dimensions of food and nutrition security; gender dynamics of food and nutrition security; gender-based discrimination and household and individual level access to food; Governmental initiatives towards gender equality and food security; the gendered nature of the agrarian transition; current challenges and obstacles faced by women as food producers and consumers; gender responsive approach to improve availability, access and control over resources thereby enabling better access to food; adequacy and utilization of food- the nutrition dimension; strategies to ensure food and nutrition security by bringing about gender equality etc.

### **Methodology**

The participants will be provided conducive environment and participatory approach will be adopted during the workshop. Besides the faculty of the Institute, resource faculty will be drawn from government, non-government organizations, academic and technical Institutions with relevant expertise and experience in the subject matter. Active participation and sharing of experiences by the delegates would be extensively used as a valuable resource to enrich the process of deliberation. Background reading material will also be provided to the delegates.

### **Participants**

There will be about 30-35 participants from all over the country, comprising senior and middle level officials of government and representatives from non-governmental organizations (NGOs) engaged in programmes for empowerment of women and food security.

### **NGO – Partnership System Registration**

The NGOs nominating their representatives are expected to have registered under the NGO Partnership System of Niti Aayog and furnish their Unique ID number in the nomination proforma. **The UID number of Niti Aayog is mandatory for considering the nomination from Voluntary Organizations.**

### Venue and Duration

The duration of the workshop will be of three days i.e. from 19-21 December, 2018. It will be organized at the National Institute of Public Cooperation and Child Development (NIPCCD) located at 5, Siri Institutional Area, Hauz Khas, (opposite Police Station Hauz Khas) New Delhi-110016. You may also contact at 011-26566995/9818987929, e-mail wdnipccd@gmail.com for any further clarifications or communication regarding the Workshop.

### Travel, Board and Lodging

The representatives from Voluntary Organisations will be paid travel grant equal to AC II tier rail fare (excluding Rajdhani, Duranto, Premium, Shatabdi Express and Tatkal Charges) by the shortest route to and from the venue of the programme. The NGO representatives will be reimbursed Travel Grant on the production of tickets. The journey by road to the nearest railway station/bus stand will be paid to the non-official participants as per Institute's Rules. Local participants will be paid local conveyance as per Institute's Rules. **The Institute will not pay TA to Government Officials, they will, however, draw their TA/DA from their respective Departments.** However, the Institute will arrange board and lodging of all outstation participants at its hostel located in the campus. The hostel accommodation will be available to the participants for the entire duration of the workshop and a day before and a day after the workshop i.e. from **18-22 December, 2018.**

### General

The enclosed nomination form duly filled and sponsored by the competent authority of the voluntary organization/ government department should reach the Institute at the earliest and latest by **3 December, 2018.**

- Confirmed participants should report for the Workshop at **9.15 a.m. on 19 December, 2018. The Workshop will conclude on 21 December, 2018 at 5.15 p.m.**
- **It is mandatory for all the participants to get one of their identity proofs** (Passport/Election Card/PAN Card/Aadhar Card). **Government officials may show their official identity card.**
- The participants are required to attend the programme for its entire duration. The participants coming late or leaving the programme before its completion will not be entitled for TA and programme certificate.
- The Institute will have no responsibility whatsoever towards board and lodging in respect of family members, relatives or friends of the participants.
- Hostel accommodation will be available to the participants for the duration of the programme and one day before and one day after the programme.
- **Participants should proceed to attend the programme only after receiving confirmation from the Institute.** In case of non receipt of confirmation letter they are requested to confirm their participation over telephone or via email before proceeding for the programme.

#### Contact Details

All correspondence regarding the Workshop may be addressed to:

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National Institute of Public Cooperation & Child Development  
सहभागियों के लिए प्रोफार्मा  
Proforma for Participants

खाद्य और पोषण सुरक्षा को बढ़ावा देने हेतु जेंडर समानता पर कार्यशाला  
Workshop on Gender Equality for Promoting Food and Nutrition Security

Name of the Programme Incharge: Ms. Satbeer Chhabra

कार्यक्रम प्रभारी का नाम: श्रीमती सतबीर छाबड़ा

Dates: 19-21 December, 2018

Venue: NIPCCD, New Delhi

दिनांक: 19 -21 दिसम्बर, 2018

स्थान : निपसिड, नई दिल्ली

Specify (✓)

Govt. Dept. / NGO

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Registration No. issued under NGO  
Partnership System of Niti Aayog

भाग -क / Part A

- 1 Name of the Participant/ सहभागी का नाम :  
(CAPITAL LETTERS)
- 2 Designation /पद:
- 3 Date of Birth / जन्मतिथि:
- 4 Age/ आयु: Years/ वर्ष
- 5 Sex /लिंग: Male (पुरुष) / Female (स्त्री)
- 6 अनु.जा/जन.जा/अ.पि.व/अ.सं.व/सामान्य/अन्य SC/ST/OBC/Minority/Gen/Others
- 7 शैक्षिक/व्यावसायिक योग्ताएं/ Educational/Professional Qualifications:
- 8 क्या सहभागी अंग्रेजी एवं हिन्दी भाषा अच्छी तरह से समझ लेता है एवं उसके माध्यम से बातचीत कर सकता है? हां/नहीं  
Whether the participant can comprehend and communicate effectively both in English & Hindi? Yes/No
- 9 प्रायोजित करने वाले संगठन/विभाग का नाम एवं डाक पता पिन कोड सहित  
Name & Address of the sponsoring organization/department
- 10 दूरभाष Telephone No.  
ई-मेल E-mail
- 10 संस्थान के मुख्य कार्य/ Major functions of the Organisations
- 11 सहभागियों का पाठ्यक्रम हेतु पत्राचार के लिए पता, अगर क्रम संख्या 04 से अलग है  
Postal address of the participant for the purpose of correspondence for the programme (If it is different from S. No 4.)

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- 12 सहभागियों की सेवा/अनुभव की अवधि/ Length of service/experience of the participant: Years/ वर्ष
- 13 इससे पूर्व निपसिड के किसी कार्यक्रम /कार्यशाला में भाग लिया है? हां/ नहीं  
Have you earlier attended any Programme/ Workshop at NIPCC D? Yes/No

यदि हां, तो कार्यक्रम /कार्यशाला का नाम तथा वर्ष स्पष्ट करिए  
If yes specify the name and year of Programme/Workshop

कार्यक्रम /कार्यशाला का नाम स्थान वर्ष  
Name of the Programme/Workshop Venue Year

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- 14 नामित प्रतिनिधि की प्रायोजित करने वाले संगठन में भूमिका और उत्तरदायित्व  
Role and responsibilities of the nominee in the sponsoring organization

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- 15 NGO Registration Details/ गैर सरकारी संस्था का पंजीकरण विवरण :

NGO Registration Number	Act under which the Organization is registered	State

- 16 Grant in Aid obtained/ प्राप्त किया गया सहायता अनुदान :

S.No.	Name of the Institution/ Organization	Grant received from State Govt./Central Govt./ Any other Organization	Beneficiaries	Status of the Project	Remarks
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## भाग-ख Part B

(प्रायोजित करने वाली संस्था के लिए/ For Sponsoring Organisation )

निपसिड, निपसिड, नई दिल्ली में 19 –21 दिसम्बर, 2018 तक आयोजित " खाद्य और पोषण सुरक्षा को बढ़ावा देने हेतु जेंडर समानता पर कार्यशाला" में भाग लेने के लिए मैं श्री/ श्रीमती/सुश्री-----का आवेदन पत्र अग्रेषित कर रहा/रही हूँ । कृपया उन का नामांकन स्वीकार करें । ये हमारे संगठन के वास्तविक कर्मचारी हैं ।

I forward the application of Shri/Smt./Ms.\_\_\_\_\_to participate in the **Workshop on Gender Equality for Promoting Food and Nutrition Security** from **19-21 December, 2018** at NIPCCD, New Delhi. His/her nomination may kindly be accepted as he/she is a bonafide employee of my organization.

संगठन प्रमुख के हस्ताक्षर / Signature of Head of the Organisation

नाम / Name

पदनाम / Designation

संगठन का पूरा पता /Complete Address of the Organization