

**Government of Nepal**  
**Ministry of Health and Population**  
**Joint Annual Review (JAR) 2014**  
 January 27-29, 2014

**DAY 1: Monday, 27<sup>th</sup> January 2014**

- A. 08:00 – 09:00 Registration and hi-tea**  
**B. 09:00 – 11:30 Inauguration Session**

**Chair: Dr Praveen Mishra, Secretary Ministry of Health and Population (MoHP)**  
**Chief Guest: Honourable Minister Vidyadhar Mallik, Government of Nepal, MoHP and Ministry of Federal Affairs and Local Development (MoFALD)**

**Inauguration** by the Chief Guest: e-inauguration

1. Welcome. Process and Objectives of the JAR – Dr Tirtha Raj Burlakoti, Chief Specialist, Policy, Planning and International Cooperation Division, MoHP (20 mins)

**Inaugural remarks (10 mins each)**

2. Ms Shanda Steimer – Chair, External Development Partners Forum
3. Guest: Mr Shanta Bahadur Shrestha, Secretary, Ministry of Federal Affairs and Local Development
4. Special Guest - Mr Lilamani Poudel, Chief Secretary, Government of Nepal
5. Chief Guest – Honourable Minister, Vidyadhar Mallik, Government of Nepal, MoHP and MoFALD
6. Chair of the session – Dr Praveen Mishra, Secretary, MoHP

**10:30 Information Bazar will open and continue for two days of the JAR**

**10:30 – 11:30: Tea break and visit information bazar by higher dignitaries**

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**THEMATIC SESSIONS:**

<b>Thematic Session 1: Year end Review 2013: presentation and discussion</b>			
<b>Chair</b>	<b>Dr Praveen Mishra, Secretary, MoHP</b>		
<b>Co-chair</b>	<b>Shanda Steimer – Chair, External Development Partners Forum</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Key areas of presentation</b>	<b>Responsibility</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
11:30- 11:45 hrs (15 mins)	Review of the last Aide Memoire: progress against agreed actions	Dr PB Chand, PPICD, MoHP	
11:45-12:05 hrs (20 mins)	Progress review of NHSP 2 Result Framework indicators including progress of MTR key recommendation	Mr Kabiraj Khanal, PPICD, MoHP	
12:05-12:20 hrs (15 mins)	Discussion	Dr Sushil Baral, Facilitator	

12:20 – 1:20 hrs	<b>Lunch Break</b>		
<b>Thematic Session 2: Progress, Challenges, Priorities and Perspectives</b>			
<b>Chair</b>	<b>Dr Praveen Mishra, Secretary, MoHP</b>		
<b>Co-chair</b>	<b>Dr Shila Verma, Chief Specialist, Curative Division, MoHP</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Key areas of presentation</b>	<b>Responsibility</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
1:20 - 1:40 hrs (20 mins)	Regional priorities in the forthcoming AWPB – compiled presentation	Regional Health Directorate (RHD)	
1:40 - 2:00 hrs (20 mins)	Overall progress, issues and perspectives of DoHS	Dr Lakhan Lal Shah, DG, DoHS	
2:00 - 2:20 hrs (20 mins)	Opportunities, Challenges and Strategic directions	Dr Tirtha Raj Burlakoti, Chief Specialist, PPICD, MoHP	
2:20 - 2:50 hrs (30 mins)	Discussion	Dr Sushil Baral, Facilitator	
<b>Progress update, issues and way forward:</b>			
2:50 - 3:00 hrs (10 mins)	Department of Drug Administration -	Mr Gajendra Bahadur Bhujju, DG	
3:00 - 3:10 hrs (10 mins)	Ayurveda Department,	Dr Debakala Bhandari, DG	
3:10 - 3:20 hrs (10 mins)	Discussion	Dr Sushil Baral, Facilitator	
3:20 – 3:35 hrs	<b>Tea Break</b>		
<b>Chair</b>	<b>Dr Praveen Mishra, Secretary, MoHP</b>		
<b>Co-chair</b>	<b>Dr Rojen Sundar Shrestha, Chief Specialist, Public Health Administration and M&amp;E Division, MoHP</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Key areas of presentation</b>	<b>Responsibility</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
3:35 - 3:50 hrs (15 mins)	Progress on Public Financial Management (PFM),	Mr Kedar B Adhikari, Joint Secretary, Fiscal Management and Human Resource Division, MoHP	
3:50 - 4:05 hrs (15 mins)	Key research findings from 2013: an evidence review and its implications	Dr Krishna Aryal, Nepal Health Research Council	
4:05 - 4:35 hrs (30 mins)	Joint Field Visit Presentation	Hendrikus Raaijmakers, Chief of Health UNICEF Nepal (EDP representative)	
4:35 - 4:50 hrs (15 mins)	Presentation on GFATM new funding mechanism and progress update of Nepal CCM	Dr Pushpa Malla, CCM vice-chair	
4:50 - 5:30 (40 mins)	Open discussion on previous presentations and key points raised from the floor	Dr Sushil Baral, Facilitator	
6pm onwards	Reception at the poolside	All	

**DAY 2: Tuesday, 28th January 2014**

<b>Morning tea: 8:30 - 9:00</b>			
<b>Thematic Session 3: Policies Updates and Next Health Sector Programme Perspectives</b>			
<b>Chair</b>	<b>Dr Praveen Mishra, Secretary, MoHP</b>		
<b>Co-chair</b>	<b>Dr Lin Aung, WR, WHO</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Key areas of presentation</b>	<b>Responsibility</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
9:00 - 9:20 hrs (20 mins)	Progress update on policy development in the health sector	Dr Tirtha Raj Burlakoti, Chief Specialist, PPICD, MoHP	
9:20 - 9:35 hrs (15 mins)	Presentation on Collaborative Framework on Local Health Governance between MoHP and Ministry of Federal Affairs and Local Development (MoFALD) and its way forward	Mr Kabiraj Khanal, PPICD, MoHP	
9:35 - 09:50 hrs (15 mins)	Commission on Information and Accountability (COIA) on Women and Children Health	Dr Dipendra Raman Singh, M&E Division, MoHP	
09:50 - 10:05 hrs (15 mins )	Sharing of NHSP III Process Design Workshop Outputs and discussions	Dr PB Chand, PPICD, MoHP,	
10:05 - 10:35 hrs (30 mins)	Discussion	Dr Sushil Baral, Facilitator	
<b>10:35 -11:00 hrs</b>	<b>Tea Break</b>		
<b>Chair</b>	<b>Dr Praveen Mishra, Secretary, MoHP</b>		
<b>Co-chair</b>	<b>Dr Lakhan Lal Shah, DG, DoHS</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Key areas of presentation</b>	<b>Responsibility</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
	Information bazar and plenary discussion		
11:00 - 11:30 hrs (30 mins)	Visit information bazar (exhibition stalls) by a team led by the Secretary MoHP to discuss the progress and key issues in respective areas	All	
11:30 - 12:00 hrs (30 mins)	Plenary discussion on key issues identified from the information bazar	All + Dr Sushil Baral, Facilitator	
12:00 - 12:30 hrs (30 mins)	Local innovations from the field - presentation and discussion a. Fulbari HP, Chitwan (slide presentation and a short video) b. Tahu PHC Palpa (slide presentation and a short video)	Health facility In-charges of Fulbari HP, Chitwan and Tahu PHC Palpa	
12:30 - 12:45 hrs (15 mins)	Discussion	Dr Sushil Baral, Facilitator	

12:45 – 1:45 hrs	<b>Lunch Break</b>		
<b>Thematic Session 4: Multisectoral Collaboration and Partnership</b>			
<b>Chair</b>	<b>Dr Praveen Mishra, Secretary, MoHP</b>		
<b>Co-chair</b>	<b>Dr Tirtha Raj Burlakoti, Chief Specialist, PPICD, MoHP</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Key areas of presentation</b>	<b>Responsibility</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
1:45 - 2:05 hrs (20 mins)	Presentation from EDP	Shanda Steimer, USAID/EDP Chair	
2:05 - 2:20 hrs (15 mins)	How can I/NGO/s engage in the development of AWPB -	Mr Raj Kumar Mahato, AIN Health Coordinator	
2:20 - 2:35 hrs (15 mins)	Presentation on IHP+: Global Development in Development Effectiveness in Health	Dr Phyllida Travis	
2:35 - 2:55 hrs (20 mins)	Open discussion forum	Dr Sushil Baral, Facilitator	
2:55 - 3:10 hrs	<b>Tea Break</b>		
3:10 - 3:50 hrs (40 mins) (5 mins for each panelist)	<b>Opening panel discussion</b> Partnership Forum - Panel Discussion on strengthening SWAp in Nepal 1. Advancing SWAp 2. Multisectoral engagement 3. Regional strengthening 4. District level planning and resource support	<b>Panelists</b> 1. Dr Tirtha Raj Burlakoti, Chief Specialists, MoHP 2. Dr Lava Dev Awasthi, Director General, Department of Education, Ministry of Education 3. Dr BD Chataut, Former Director General, DoHS 4. Mr Shankar Raj Pandey, Local Representative of KfW (EDP Rep) 5. Natasha Mesko, Health Adviser, DFID	
3:50 - 4:40 hrs (50 mins)	Question and discussion:	All	
4:40 - 5:30 hrs (50 mins) (3 mins each)	Closing notes by panelists	All panelists	
5:30 - 5:45 hrs ( 15 mins each)	JAR closing	Dr Praveen Mishra, Secretary, MoHP	

*Note: a small team comprising EDPs and MoHP representatives will draft the Aide Memoire, which will be discussed in next day Business Meeting*

**DAY 3: Wednesday, 29th January 2014**

<b>Morning tea: 8:30-9:00</b>			
<b>Thematic Session 5: BUSINESS MEETING</b>			
<b>Chair</b>	<b>Dr Praveen Mishra, Secretary, MoHP</b>		
<b>Co-chair</b>	<b>Ms Shanda Steimer – Chair, External Development Partners Forum</b>		
<b>Time</b>	<b>Key areas of presentation</b>	<b>Responsibility</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
10:00 - 1:00 hrs (3 hrs)	<b>Business Meeting</b> a. Open discussion on <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Reflections and discussion on key issues raised in the previous 2 days of JAR</li></ul> b. Discuss on the draft aide memoire and agree on actions for 2014	(invitation only- MoHP and Divisions; DG DoHS, Division Directors, RHDs MoF, NPC and JFA++ signatories)	
1:00 - 1:30 hrs ( 30 mins)	<b>Closing ceremony</b> a. remarks by Co-chair: Ms Shanda Steimer – Chair, External Development Partners Forum b. Closing remarks by Chair: Dr Praveen Mishra, Secretary, Ministry of Health and Population		
<b>1:30 pm</b>	<b>Lunch Break</b>		