

Centre of Excellence for Science of Implementation and Scale-Up (CoE-SISU)



Inspiring Excellence



Why Science of Implementation and Scale-Up?

Bangladesh, though making a significant advancement in maternal and child health sector over the past few decades at a national aggregate level; there still remains a challenge in addressing policy and health system delivery issues related to equity and in reaching the socio-economically disadvantaged section of the community. Researchers, donors, implementers and policy makers have identified the importance of a shift from merely disseminating information about successful interventions in public health, to embedding these strategies and knowledge in action plans and in sustaining and scaling-up the plan in an enabling policy context in Bangladesh.

In this backdrop, the Centre of Excellence on the Science of Implementation and Scale-Up (CoE-SISU) was set up in 2016 in partnership between the BRAC James P Grant School of Public Health, BRAC University and UNICEF Country Office, Bangladesh to generate evidence-based interventions and innovations for policy-makers and implementers and to adopt them in meeting the special challenges in accessing quality health care services for children and women in Bangladesh.





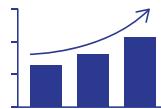
Who We Are?

However, Located in Dhaka, Bangladesh, the Centre of Excellence for Science of Implementation and Scale-Up (CoE-SISU) was formed in 2016. It was established in collaboration with UNICEF and BRAC James P Grant School of Public Health, BRAC University, under the patronage of Implementation Monitoring and Evaluation Division (IMED), Ministry of Planning, Government of People's Republic of Bangladesh.

The Centre aims to bridge the knowledge gap and to identify implementation strategies which will help the Government and key stakeholders to address challenging and complex issues in delivering quality health services to the hard-to-reach population in remote areas and in reaching out to the socio-economically deprived communities in Bangladesh.

The main strategies applied by the Centre for the successful implementation and utilization of quality health services include evidence generation, advocacy, capacity development and networking.

What We Do



Research

- Conduct research, review potential evidence of successful intervention stories and showcasing the application of science of implementation for scaling-up.
- Produce guidelines and policy briefs for policymakers on implementation of different social sector programmes and their scale-up.



Advocacy

- Develop communication materials such as videos, info-graphics, etc. to share evidence of successful implementation stories.
- Evidence-based advocacy through roundtables, panel discussions, seminars and workshops.



Capacity building

- Capacity development of implementers and researchers ranging from government officials and major stakeholders on implementation research and monitoring and evaluation.
- To foster a culture of standard evaluation practices of development programmes in partnership with the Implementation Monitoring and Evaluation Division (IMED), Government of Bangladesh.



Partnership and networking

- Encourage collaboration among relevant stakeholders in identifying implementation challenges and strategies for the effective and efficient delivery and scale-up of development programmes.

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About BRAC JPGSPH

BRAC James P Grant School of Public Health (JPGSPH) was founded with a distinctive mission to address the unmet public health challenges particular to Asia, Africa and South America. Located in Dhaka, Bangladesh, the School was established in 2004 as part of BRAC University, in partnership with BRAC and icddr,b.



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