

Minutes of the meeting on review on Public Health Programme

In the Chair :	Director, SUDA
Meeting Date :	12 th July, 2026
Meeting Venue :	3 rd floor conference hall of SUDA
Meeting Time :	3.00 PM

Minutes of the Introductory Meeting on Health Section Activities, SUDA

The Director, SUDA, chaired an introductory meeting to review the activities being undertaken by the Health Section of SUDA. The meeting was attended by the Deputy Director, SUDA, the Co-ordinating Officer, SUDA, and all concerned officials of the Health Section. After detailed discussions and deliberations, the following decisions were taken:

The Director initiated the meeting by emphasizing the priority of the Vector Borne Disease (VBD) Control Programme. He directed that monitoring and supervision of VBD control activities be further strengthened through extensive field visits, regular monitoring, and structured reporting.

Considering the need for closer convergence between the Solid Waste Management (SWM) Section and the Health (VBD) Section of SUDA, a separate coordination meeting involving both Sections shall be convened to strengthen integrated planning and implementation of vector control activities.

In view of the persistent vulnerability of certain Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) despite various interventions, a comprehensive gap analysis shall be conducted by the Entomologists and Vector Control Quality Monitors (VCQMs) in all identified Most Vulnerable ULBs.

All issues pertaining to vector control identified during field visits or received through any other medium shall be promptly brought to the notice of the Director, SUDA, for necessary action.

ULB-wise assignment of Nodal Entomologists and Nodal VCQMs, along with their contact details, shall be finalized and published on the SUDA website.

A system shall be developed for uploading the field visit roster on the SUDA website to enable visibility of field movement and monitoring by the concerned authorities.

The Frontline Workers, namely House-to-House Workers and Vector Control Workers, shall report their daily activities through a real-time digital reporting system.

House-to-House Teams shall capture geo-tagged photographs of every household visited each day as documentary evidence of field activities.

The Health Section of SUDA shall independently identify, compile, and maintain a repository of Vector Borne Disease (VBD) cases reported from ULBs, irrespective of whether such cases are reflected in the DKPI or CE Portal case lists.

The Vulnerability Index of wards in each ULB, prepared by the Health Section based on epidemiological indicators such as case load, fever load, and potential vector breeding/risk sites, shall be periodically reviewed, updated, and uploaded on the SUDA website for effective planning, monitoring, and public visibility.

A detailed assessment of perennial risk sites shall be undertaken to identify locations that are inaccessible or repeatedly responsible for vector breeding.

Wherever necessary, drone-based surveillance and other appropriate interventions shall be undertaken for effective identification and management of inaccessible vector breeding sites.

A physical review meeting with all ULBs shall be convened to assess their performance and review preparedness for mitigating vector-borne disease transmission during the monsoon season.

An inter-departmental convergence meeting shall be organized to facilitate the timely resolution of perennial risk sites falling under the jurisdiction of various line departments.

Entomologists and VCQM to be deployed zone-wise for better, continuous monitoring supervision and a zonal level team approach with the concerned District Health System and other Departments (Interdepartmental approach at the District Level) to be in place.

The existing ASWAAS Portal shall be reviewed and upgraded by exploring the integration of Artificial Intelligence (AI)-enabled features to facilitate real-time monitoring, predictive analytics, and evidence-based policy decisions. A meeting with the concerned software developer shall be convened in this regard.

The scope for strengthening the infrastructure and service delivery capacity of Urban Health & Wellness Centres (UH&WCs) shall be examined, and a roadmap for phased infrastructure development shall be prepared.

The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to and from the Chair.


Director, SUDA