





HOW TO DO BETTER PERFORMANCE IN NATIONAL PANCHAYAT AWARDS

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What are NPAs?

National Panchayat Awards are Multi-level Pyramid Competition Of Panchayati Raj Institutions (PRIs) at Block, District, State or UTs and National Level under 9 Localization of Sustainable Development Goals(LSDG)/themes. Panchayats are ranked and incentivized for their performance in achieving LSDGs at the Panchayat level.

Objective of Awards:-

- i. Assess the performance of PRIs in attainment of SDGs through 9 identified themes
- ii. Promote competitive spirit among PRIs
- iii. Catalyze the process of 'Localization of SDGs through PRIs' and sensitizing the PRIs about significance of attaining LSDG by 2030.



Deen Dayal Upadhyay Panchayat Satat Vikas Puraskar:- Top 3 GPs under each of 9 award themes

Nanaji Deshmukh Sarvottam Panchayat Satat Vikas Puraskar:- For top 3 best GPs, BPs and DPs with highest average score under all themes combined

Thematic Award

9 Localization of Sustainable
Development Goals (LSDG) themes

Best Gram Panchayat

3 GPs with highest aggregate score under all themes combined

Best Block Panchayat

3 BPs across the country with highest aggregate score under all themes of all GPs

Best District Panchayat

3 DPs across the country with highest aggregate score under all themes of all GPs

Gram Urja Swaraj Vishesh Panchayat Puraskar:- 3 GPs for their performance regarding adoption and usage of renewable sources of energy

Carbon Neutral Vishesh Panchayat Puraskar:-3 GPs towards achieving Net-Zero carbon emissions

Panchayat Kshamta Nirmaan Sarvottam Sansthan

Puraskar:- 3 Institutions who has provided institutional support to GPs in achieving LSDGs

Nanaji Deshmukh Sarvottam Panchayat Satat Vikas Puraskar:- One GP which qualifies and gets shortlisted for National Panchayat Awards during the subsequent years

Best Participant (State/District):- State/UT with highest percentage of participation from Panchayats (>90%)







* Theme 2: Healthy Village.



Theme 3: Child-Friendly Village.



Theme 4: Water Sufficient Village.



Theme 5: Clean and Green Village.



* Theme 6: Village with Self-sufficient Infrastructure



Theme 7: Socially Secured Village



***** Theme 8: Village with Good Governance.



Theme 9: Women Friendly Village



MAIN GOALS OF THEMES

Theme:1 Poverty Free village

- of all eligible beneficiaries under livelihood and social protection schemes including PDS, ICDS etc.
- Economic Development
 & employment
 generation through
 individual / collective
 enterprise

Theme 2: Healthy Village

- ➤ Eliminate stunting and wasting in 0-6 yrs. of child.
- Eliminate anaemia amongst adolescent girls & women.
- > Zero maternal deaths, child deaths under 5 years.
- ➤ Provision for medical care and health facilities for all.

Theme: 3 Child Friendly village

- ➤ 100% enrolment in the school.
- ➤ Reduce Drop-out ratio
- ➤ Quality Education
- ➤ 100% Immunisation of children
- ≥100% child labour free.
- ➤ No Trafficking cases
- Ensure protected environment from all kinds of violence against children.



Main goals of themes

Theme:4 Water Sufficient Village

- Access to potable water facilities to every household.
- Grey water treatment& purification.
- Address groundwater depletion, arsenic contamination, rainwater harvesting & groundwater recharge.

Theme: 5 Clean and Green Village

- ➤ 100% ODF villages
- ➤ Solid & Liquid Waste management
- Shift from non-renewable to renewable source of energy.
- Enhanced green cover through social forestry use of local nursery.
- Ensuring conservation of biodiversity and sustainability of ecosystems

Theme: 6 Self-Sufficient Infrastructure

- Ensure establishment of quality infrastructure GP Bhawan, AWC, Schools, Health Centre, CSC, separate toilets with running tap water provision in schools.
- Ensure all weather connectivity roads, solar street lights and community solar tree, ensure pucca house for all.



Main goals of themes

Theme 7: Socially Secured Village

- ➤Improving living standards of the BPL households
- Ensure social protection through pensions to all eligible
- Appropriate infrastructure and facilities for person with disability (Disabled-friendly).

Theme 8: Village with Good Governance

- Coordination and convergence among various institutions/ stakeholders for preparation of GPDP
- ➤Involvement of SHG/ village committees in localization of SDGs
- Promoting better public service delivery by use of technology.

Theme 9: Women Friendly Village

- ➤ 100% immunisation of pregnant women
- ➤ Reduce crimes against women and girls.
- Improve participation of women in socio-political, economic activities and participation in community-based organisations.
- > Equal wages for equal pay to the women.



❖ For NPA following approach may be taken :-

- ☐ Identification of theme wise gaps and achievements of the Panchayat.
- ☐ Need based and thematic approach
- □ During the preparation of GPDP, inclusion of project or activities in GPDP may be done which relates with the questionnaires of a particular theme.
- ☐ Involvement of PRI Members and locals
- ☐ Funds Provisions
- ☐ Coordination with Line Departments.
- ☐ Positive Approach to address issues
- ☐ Judiciously filling up the questionnaires
- ☐ Proper Documentation and filing supporting documents



Few Questionnaire for Poverty free and enhanced livelihoods Panchayat (Theme-1)

- What percentage of Own Source Revenue (OSR) was spent by the GP for implementing 'Poverty free and Enhanced Livelihoods Panchayat' theme related activities?
- What percentage of children (0-3 years) were registered under ICDS out of total eligible children (0-3 years)
- What percentage of households got benefit from PMAY/ any State Specific Housing Scheme?
- What percentage of total GP spending was made on essential services (education, health and social protection) as percentage of total plan expenditure?
- What percentage of households in the GP had AAY and PHH ration cards?
- What percentage of households in the GP were covered under PDS system?
- What percentage of children under 5 years of age are wasted?
- What percentage of children under 5 years of age were stunted?
- What percentage of pregnant and lactating mothers were registered under ICDS out of total eligible Pregnant and lactating mothers?

Questionnaire for Poverty free and enhanced livelihoods Panchayat (Theme-1)

Total Marks: 100.0 Topic/Subtopic SLNo Question Description Max.Marks Name Poverty free What percentage of Own Source Revenue (OSR) was spent by the GP for implementing 'Poverty free and Enhanced Livelihoods Panchayat' 10.6 and enhanced theme related activities? (Please fill the figure/amount in Rs. in actuals) livelihood Total Own Source Revenue (OSR) spent by the GP for panchayat Sr. no. implementing 'Poverty free & Enhanced Livelihoods Total OSR Panchayat' theme related activities Poverty free What percentage of SHGs accessed bank Loans? 6.0 and enhanced Sr. no. Number of SHGs accessed bank loans Total number of SHGs livelihood panchayat Poverty free What percentage of Households were living in Kutcha house? 5.0 and enhanced Sr. no. Number of Households (HHs) living in Kutcha House Total Households livelihood panchayat Poverty free What percentage of children (0-3 years) were registered under ICDS out of total eligible children (0-3 years)? 6.0 and enhanced Total number of registered children (0-3 years) under Sr. no. Total number of eligible children (0-3 years) under ICDS livelihood ICDS panchayat Poverty free What percentage of children (3-6 years) were registered under ICDS out of total eligible children (3-6 years)? 6.0 and enhanced Total number of registered children (3-6 years) under Sr. no. Total number of eligible children (3-6 years) under ICDS livelihood ICDS panchayat What percentage of pregnant and lactating mothers were registered under ICDS out of total eligible Pregnant and lactating mothers? Poverty free 6.0 and enhanced Total number of registered Pregnant Women and Sr. no. Total pregnant women and lactating mothers livelihood Lactating Mothers under ICDS panchayat Poverty free What percentage of beneficiaries (out of total eligible population) received social protection benefits under Pradhan Mantri Matritya Vandana and enhanced Yojana (PMMVY)? livelihood Total number of beneficiaries receiving social protection Total number of women beneficiaries enrolled under panchayat Sr. no. benefits under PMMVY/State specific Scheme during the PMMVY during the reference year reference year Poverty free What percentage of children under 5 years of age are wasted? 6.0 and enhanced Sr. no. Total wasted children under 5 Year Number of children in age under 5 years livelihood panchayat

Approach may be taken by Panchayat under Theme-1:-

- ➤ Regular conduct of monthly meeting at Panchayat for discussion on issues and schemes
- ➤ 100% enrollment of Women from BPL or economically weaker section in SHGs
- > Developing nutri gardens at AWCs/Schools.
- ➤ Monitoring proper functioning of AWCs through PRI members.
- ➤ Conduct of Gram Sangsads, Bal Sabhas, Mahila Sabhas, Gram Sabha to reach out rural populations.
- ➤ IEC actitvites related with Skill Development Schemes, Loan Facilities for youths for self employment etc on public places or in Gram Sabhas
- ➤ Identification and listing of interest youths for skill development training or courses.
- Period monitoring on Ration Shops through PRI.
- ➤ Celebration of Rojgar Diwas under MGNREGA, Job Card Distribution, Job card verification
- ➤ Health Camp for Job Card Holders
- Enrollment of beneficiaries in schemes related with labour welfare like E-Shram, Nirman Shramik Kalyan Prakalpa etc etc

Few Questionnaire for Healthy Panchayat (Theme-2)

- What percentage of Own Source Revenue (OSR) was spent by the GP for implementing 'Healthy Panchayat' theme related activities?
- What percentage of total expenditure was made by GP on health related activities out of total expenditure?
- What percentage of pregnant and lactating mothers in the GP were registered under ICDS out of total eligible pregnant and lactating mothers? (same question asked on theme 1)
- What percentage of children under 5 years of age were wasted?
- What percentage of children under 5 years of age were stunted?
- What was the percentage of women aged 15-49 years with a live birth attended by a skilled health personnel or institutional delivery in the GP?
- What was the percentage of Adolescent (15-18) Girls anemic in the GP

Approach may be taken by Panchayat under Theme-2:-

- ➤ Ensuring 100% institutional delivery
- ➤ Ensuring 100% Pregnant Women benefitted under Pradhan Mantri Matru Vandana Yojana and monitoring on regular distribution nutritious food among pregnant women specially among anemic mothers.
- > 100% immunization for children between 0-6 years
- > 100% Coverage of Ayushman Bharat Yojana.
- ➤ Installation of Sanitary Pad bending machine at Schools (at least at high and Higher Secondary Schools)
- ➤ Toilet Facility at schools with running water facility.
- Monitoring of Mid day Meals given at schools
- Regular meeting of VHNC.
- ➤ Health Camps may be organized at Gram Sabhas
- > Register may be prepared for cataract patients,
- ➤ Monitoring the health of vulnerable section of the society specially above 80/85 years persons, persons with serious alignments, Safai Mitras
- Child care cum feeding room at Public institutes

Few Questionnaire for Child friendly Panchayat (Theme-3)

- What percentage of Own Source Revenue (OSR) was spent by the GP for implementing 'Child-Friendly Panchayat' theme related activities?
- What percentage of Primary Schools in the GP had computer?
- What percentage of Primary Schools in the GP had Drinking Water Facilities, kitchen garden, library, own building, play ground?
- What was the dropout rate in Primary schools in the GP?
- What was the transition rate in Upper Primary schools in the GP?

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Approach may be taken by Panchayat under Theme-3:-

- ➤ 100% enrollment of children at AWCs /schools
- > Zero drop out
- > Bringing back the drop out student in the education system.
- ➤ Conduct Bal Sabhas to know their perception, record and address issues raised in the Bal Sabhas
- > Organizing camps for Health Check ups for children
- > Separate toilet facility for girls.
- Organizing cultural, sports events on important days
- ➤ Maintenance/ Up gradation of AWCs /Schools
- Establishment of e-library
- Kitchen Gardens may established
- ➤ Reducing the cases of child marriage through Awareness and intervention of PRIs, Child Line etc

Few Questionnaire for Water sufficient Panchayat (Theme-4)

- What percentage of Own Source Revenue (OSR) was spent by the GP for implementing 'Water Sufficient Panchayat' theme related activities?
- What percentage of schools, anganwadis and public institutions in the GP had coverage of water supply?
- What percentage of households had grey water discharge facility or were connected to grey water drainage line?
- What percentage of Rainwater Harvesting Structures per square Km. are maintained in GP?
- What percentage of expenditure was made by the GP on drinking water, water management and sanitation related activities out of total expenditure?
- What percentage of households were covered with Functional Household Tap Water Connections (FHTC)?
- What percentage of community and institutional Toilets were having water facility and soap for hand washing?

Approach may be taken by Panchayat under Theme-4:-

- > 100% tap water connection to each house holds, public institutions
- Construction of individual soak pit, community soak pits
- ➤ Construction of rain water harvesting structures
- ➤ Construction of Farm ponds (act as irrigation source and ground water recharge structure)
- ➤ Make Village water and sanitation committee functional
- ➤ Identification of dysfunctional drinking water sources and repair measure to be taken up to address the water scarcity during dry seasons.
- ➤ Regular testing the drinking water quality with coordination with DWS dept.
- ➤ Regularize the payment of electric bills of SBDTWs through user committees

Few Questionnaire for Clean and Green Panchayat (Theme-5)

- What percentage of Own Source Revenue (OSR) was spent by the GP for implementing 'Clean and Green Panchayat' theme related activities?
- What percentage of villages in GP had arrangement of Liquid Waste Management?
- What percentage of villages in GP had arrangement of Solid Waste Management?
- Out of total GP expenditure, what percentage had been spent on environmental protection, Toilets, Waste management, Clean Energy, Sustainable Agriculture?
- What percentage of total households in the GP were using clean cooking fuel (LPG/Bio gas)?

Approach may be taken by Panchayat under Theme-5:-

- ➤ ODF plus activities like IHHLs, individual soak pits, retrofitting of single pit toilets to double pit toilets, Plastic waste segregation centre, tricycles for waste transportation.
- ➤ Large scale Plantation drive may be adopted in and around the Panchayat area. Sulthanpur Panchayat(3rd Prize in Theme-5,2022-23 assessment year) of Telangana, planted 50,000 saplings to spread greenery in the Panchayat.
- > Regular cleanliness drive at market areas may be taken up.
- Waste bin for all house holds for solid waste management.
- Door to door waste collection involving SHGs.
- ➤ Installation stand alone solar street lights , roof top solar system at Panchayat Buildings.
- > Construction of soak pit and composed pits for SLWMs.
- ➤ Promoting organic farming and use of bio fertilizer by involving Agriculture and Horticulture Departments.
- ➤ Implementation of GOBARdhan Project by identifying potential cluster.

Few Questionnaire for Self-sufficient infrastructure in Panchayat (Theme-6)

- What percentage of Own Source Revenue (OSR) was spent by the GP for implementing 'Self- Sufficient Infrastructure in Panchayat' theme related activities?
- What percentage of Primary school in the GP had own building, library, computer, internet, electricity, play ground? (same question asked on theme 3)
- Whether there was a primary health centres (PHC) and Health sub-centres (HSC) in the GP?
- Whether GP had pipeline connection for water supply to all houses?
- Whether GP building had Computer with Internet facility?
- What percentage of expenditure was made by the GP on infrastructure related activities out of total expenditure?

Approach may be taken by Panchayat under Theme-6:-

- Installation of Public information board
- All House holds connected with all weather roads
- ➤ Solar Street lights
- ➤ IT infrastructure like computer, internet connection for Panchayat Office.
- > Ensuring furniture at panchayat offices
- Provision for drainage system
- Clean drinking water for each house hold.
- Housing facility for all eligible beneficiaries .
- ➤ Installation of CCTV at important locations of GP, free wi-fi facility etc

Few Questionnaire for Socially Just and Socially secured Panchayat (Theme-7)

- What percentage of Own Source Revenue (OSR) was spent by the GP for implementing 'Socially Just and Socially Secured Panchayat' theme related activities
- What percentage of children (0-3 years) were registered under ICDS out of total eligible children (0-3 years)?
- What percentage of children (3-6 years) were registered under ICDS out of total eligible children (3-6 years)?
- What percentage of pregnant and lactating mothers were registered under ICDS out of total eligible Pregnant and lactating mothers?
- What percentage of eligible destitute persons received social security pension?
 Number of Eligible Destitute receiving respective Pensions=
 Total number of Eligible Destitute=
- What percentage of eligible elderly/old-aged persons received social security pension?
- What percentage of eligible women receivied social security pension?

Approach may be taken by Panchayat under Theme-6:-

- > Ensuring enrollment of Women in Self Help Groups
- Identify eligible beneficiaries for various social pension schemes.
- ➤ Identify and prepare a list of differently abled person and periodically monitoring about their requirements such as disability card , health check ups, spread awareness about facilities or Government opportunities
- ➤ Promoting farming and allied activities like animal husbandry by involving SHGs.
- ➤ Identifying youths for skill training under DDUGKY
- ➤ IEC activities through flex / banners/pamphlets about important Government Schemes .

Questionnaire for Panchayat with good governance (Theme-8)

- Whether the GP had availability of operational computer system & internet connection?
- What percentage of activities taken up out of the total number of activities as per GPDP?

number of GPDP activities taken up (Admin Approval done)=
Total number of activities in GPDP=

- What percentage of assets and works were Geo-tagged that were visible on portal?
- What percentage of works completed out of the total number of works taken up by GP?
- What percentage of progress of works and utilization of fund was displayed on the portal?
- What was the percentage Increase in own source revenue of the GP to the previous year?

Approach may be taken by Panchayat under Theme-6:-

- Regular meetings at Panchayats
- Organizing ward/Mahila/Bal-Balika/Gram Sabha periodically
- Citizen Charter
- > Notice Board
- Complaint register
- Proper record keeping
- > Own website
- > PIB
- ➤ Social Audit
- ➤ Wall magazine to display the achievement of Panchayat

Few Questionnaire for Women-friendly Panchayat (Theme-9)

- What percentage of GP expenditure was made by GP on women welfare activities out of total expenditure?
- What percentage of Own Source Revenue (OSR) was spent by the GP for implementing 'Women- Friendly Panchayat' theme related activities
- What was the percentage of women who participated in Gram sabha?
- What was the transition rate of girl children -Secondary schools in the GP?

Number of Female enrolled in Secondary= Class 5th enrolment of Girl Children in the previous year=

What was the female enrollment ratio in Secondary schools in the GP

Fresh enrolment in class 9th of Girl Children in the present year= Fresh enrolment in class 9th of Children in the present year=

Approach may be taken by Panchayat under Theme-9:-

- Mahila Sabha
- Separate Toilet Facility for girls
- ➤ 100% coverage of Pre-Pregnancy and post pregnancy benefits
- Mobilization of SHGs in various activities
- Periodic health check up for adolescent girl child
- ➤ Awareness about child marriage and under age pregnancy
- ➤ Toilet facility at pubic places
- ➤ Awareness generation against dowry
- > Promoting women entrepreneurship
- Legal awareness camps

Thank You