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#### **PREFACE**

Pakistan Bureau of Statistics (PBS) being national statistical office, is responsible for the collection, compilation and timely dissemination of reliable statistical information to the policy makers, planners and researchers. The organization publishes a variety of data, primary as well as secondary, especially on economic and social aspects of the country.

The task of producing Contraceptive Performance Report has been assigned to PBS as a sequel to the devolution of Ministry of Population Welfare (MoPW). Pursuantly, Population Welfare Statistics (PWSS) Section of PBS has so far released six issues of Annual Contraceptive Performance Reports since 2010-11. In these reports, secondary data relating to Contraceptive Performance of Public Sector and Private Sector represented by three eminent NGO(s), involved in service delivery, had been presented in the form of different tables.

Annual Contraceptive Performance Report, 2016-17 is the 7th issue of the series. In this report, contribution of Provincial & Regional Population Welfare Departments; Provincial & Regional Department of Health (Health Facilities & Lady Health Workers) and contribution of three eminent NGO(s) (Rahnuma Family Planning Association of Pakistan, Greenstar Social Marketing and Marie Stopes Society) in rendering family planning services in the form of Service Statistics covering services data of commodities to clients, has been included, by getting respective data from concerned departments. Contraceptive Performance gleaned from the Service Statistics, has been reported in terms of Couple years of Protection (CYP), one of the indicators of FP2020 Core Indicators, reported annually for 69 FP2020 focus countries This report presents comparison of contraceptive performance for the year 2016-17, in terms of Couple Year of Protection (CYP), with the last year 2015-16, at National & Provincial level, in respect of Population Welfare Departments, Departments of Health (Health Facilities &LHWs) and for three eminent NGO(s). Moreover, annual estimates of modern Contraceptive Prevalence Rate (mCPR), by using an approximation of Estimated Method Use (EMU) rates, computed through Services Statistics have also been included in this report, to have an idea about annual trends in mCPR.

I appreciate and acknowledge the role of our worthy data suppliers & key stakeholders, both in public and in private sector. I would also like to appreciate the untiring efforts of staff of Population Welfare Statistics Section and staff of Data Processing Centre, towards compiling this report, in accordance to the norms of reliability and serviceability.

Considering the requirements of policy makers, planners, researchers and other data users, efforts have been made to improve this report. It is hoped that the data users will find it useful. Comments and suggestions, for future improvement will be highly appreciated.

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LIST OF ACRONYMS				
ADCO	Assistant Director Coordination			
AJK	Azad Jammu & Kashmir			
BCC	Behavior Change Communication			
BHU	Basic Health Unit			
BTL	Bilateral Tuba ligation			
CPR	Contraceptive Prevalence Rate			
COC PILLS	Combined Oral Contraceptive Pills			
CBFPWs	Community Based Family Planning Workers			
CS	Contraceptive Surgery			
CYP	Couple Years of Protection			
DGHS	Director General Health Services			
DHIS	District Health Information System			
DHO	District Health Office			
DHQ	District Headquarters			
FATA	Federal Administered Tribal Area			
FHMUs	Family Health Mobile Units			
FLCF	Fore Level Control Function			
FP	Family Planning			
FPAP	Family Planning Association of Pakistan			
FP/RH	Family Planning / Reproductive Health			
FWCs	Family Welfare Centers			
GB	Gilgit – Baltistan			
GSM	Greenstar Social Marketing			
HF	Health Facility			
H & H	Hakeem & Homeopaths			
ICT	Islamabad Capital Territory			
IEC	Information Education & Communication			
IRC	Institutional Reimbursement Cost			
IUDs	Intrauterine Devices			
LARCs	Long Acting Reversible Contraceptive			
LHW	Lady Health Workers			
LMO	Lady Medical Officer			
MCH	Mother & Child Health			
MM	Male Mobilizers			
MMR	Maternal Mortality Rate			
MCH	Mother & Child Health			
MNCH	Maternal, Newborn and Child Health			
MoPW	Ministry of Population Welfare (Devolved)			
MSS	Marie Stopes Society			
MSUs	Mobile Service Units			
M&P	Muller & Phipps			

MWRA	Married Women of Reproductive Age
NGOs	Non- Governmental Organizations
NPPI	Norway-Pakistan Partnership Initiative
NSV	Non Scalpel Vasectomy
PBS	Pakistan Bureau of Statistics
PC-1	Planning Commission (Form – 1)
PGR	Population Growth Rate
PIU	Project Implementation Unit
PLDs	Provincial Line Departments
PMA	Performance Monitoring & Accountability
PMO	Program Management Offices
PNC	Pakistan Nursing Council
PPHI	People Primary Healthcare Initiative
POP PILLS	Progestogen Only Pills or Mini Pills
PSDP	Public Sector Development Project
PPWDs	Provincial Population Welfare Departments
PWSS	Population Welfare Statistics Section
RHS	Reproductive Health Services
RMPs	Registered Medical Practitioners
RTIs	Regional Training Institutes
SNE	Summary of New Expenditure
TBAs	Traditional Birth Attendants
TFR	Total Fertility Rate
THQ	Tehsil Headquarters
VBFPWs	Village Based Family Planning Workers
WHO	World Health Organization

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Comparison of contraceptive performance during 2016–17, with the year 2015–16 is summarized as under:

#### I) Contraceptive Performance in Terms of Couple Years of Protection (CYP)

Overall Contraceptive Performance in terms of Couple Years of Protection (CYP) for the year 2016-17 as compared to 2015-16, has been computed as 7.5%, based on data collected from Population Welfare Departments, Departments of Health (including performance of both Health Facilities & LHWs) and from three eminent NGO(s) namely (Rahnuma FPAP, MSS and GSM), working throughout the country. Source-wise break-up is given in subsequent sub-heading:

#### (A) Population Welfare Departments (PWDs)

- a) Overall Contraceptive Performance of PWDs for the year 2016-17 in terms of Couple Years of Protection (CYP) has increased by 7.2% in comparison with the last year 2015-16.
- Province-wise profile of CYP indicates an increase in Punjab (11.2%) and Sindh (12.2%) whereas decrease has been noticed in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (2.3%) and Balochistan (13.6%). As far as the district Islamabad and FATA are concerned, the contraceptive performance for the year 2016-17 compared with year 2015-16 has depicted a decrease of 8.1% and 0.2% respectively. While the performance of AJK and Gilgit-Baltistan has increased by 17.6% and 0.6% respectively, for 2016-17 compared with year 2015-16.
- c) Method-wise comparison of 2016-17 with 2015-16 of PWDs, in terms of CYP, increase has been observed in all methods i.e. Condoms (2.2%), Oral Pills (0.4%), Injectables (11%), IUCDs (5.7%), Sterilization/Contraceptive Surgery (9%) and Implants (93.9%).
- Outlet-wise contribution in terms of CYP during the year 2016-17 compared with year 2015-16, has shown an increase of 5.1% in Family Welfare Centers (FWCs), 14.0% in Reproductive Health Services-A(RHS-A) Centers, 33.7% in Mobile Service Units (MSUs), 31.2% in Provincial Line Departments (PLDs) and 18.5% in Regional Training Institutes (RTIs). The performance has decreased by 29.7% in RHS-B Centers, 46.7% in Hakeems and Homeopaths (H&H), 12.8% in Male Mobilizers (MM), and 2% in Registered Medical Practitioners (RMPs).

#### (B) Departments of Health

#### i. Health Facilities (HF)

- a) Overall Contraceptive Performance of Departments of Health (Health Facilities) for the year 2016-17 in terms of Couple Years of Protection (CYP) has increased by 7.7% in comparison with the last year 2015-16.
- Province-wise profile of DoH (HFs) in terms of CYP has shown an increase in Sindh (45.3%), Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (31.6%) and Balochistan (10.1%) whereas decrease has been witnessed in Punjab (1.1%). As far as district Islamabad, AJK and Gilgit-Baltistan are concerned, the contraceptive performance for the year 2016-17 compared with year 2015-16 has depicted an increase of 268.2%<sup>1</sup>, 72.7% and 201.2% respectively while performance of FATA has decreased by 26.7%, for 2016-17 compared with year 2015-16.
- Method-wise comparison of DoH (HFs) for 2016-17 with 2015-16, in terms of CYP, has depicted increase in Condoms (14.1%), Oral Pills (28%), Injectables (66.7%), Sterilization/Contraceptive Surgery (7.8%) and Implants (47 %) whereas decrease has been observed in IUCDs (4.1%).

#### ii. Lady Health Workers (LHWs)

a) Overall Contraceptive Performance of Departments of Health (LHWs) for the year 2016-17 in terms of Couple Years of Protection (CYP) has increased by 40.1% in comparison with the last year 2015-16.

b) Province-wise profile of DoH (LHWs) in terms of CYP indicates an increase in Punjab (15.0%), Sindh (566.7%)<sup>2</sup> and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (32.1%) whereas decrease has been witnessed in Balochistan (26%). As far as district Islamabad and FATA are concerned, contraceptive performance for the year 2016-17 compared with year 2015-16 has

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This improvement is due to availability of contraceptives during 2016-17 which were not available in sufficient quantity during 2015-16

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> After devolution, due to delay in payment of salaries to LHWs and closing of USAID/Deliver Project distribution of contraceptive products from Central Warehouse Karachi to district stores of LHWs Program Sindh, the progress remained very low during the last few years. These issues are now resolved by the Sindh Government, which resulted increase in progress.

depicted decrease of 17% and 87.8% respectively whereas increase has been noted in AJK by 7.5%.

c) Method-wise comparison of 2016-17 with 2015-16 of DoH (LHWs), in terms of CYP, an increase has been observed in Condoms (16.6%), Oral Pills (46%) and Injectables (52.9%).

#### (C.) NGO Sector

For NGO sector, an increase has been observed in the performance of Rahnuma Family Planning Association of Pakistan (R-FPAP) (68.6%) and Greenstar Social Marketing (GSM) (8.9%),however, the performance of Marie Stopes Society of Pakistan (MSS) has decreased by 37.4%, during the year 2016-17as compared to year 2015-16.

### II) Modern Contraceptive Prevalence Rate (mCPR) by Estimated Method Use (EMU) rates

Annual estimates of modern Contraceptive Prevalence Rate (mCPR), by using an approximation of Estimated Method Use (EMU) rates, computed through services statistics, during the year 2016-17 is 39.3%. However, departmental impact in modern Contraceptive Prevalence Rate (mCPR), during the year 2016-17 has been estimated as 14.1% for Population Welfare Departments (PWDs); 12.8% for Departments of Health (HF & LHWs) and for NGO sector represented by three eminent NGOs (Rahnama FPAP, MSS, GSM), share is 12.3%.In the Provincial setup, mCPR for share of Punjab in national estimate is 42.3%, while that of Sindh, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and Balochistan is 32.4%, 47.7% and 11% respectively. However, contribution of Federal district Islamabad in national estimate of mCPR is 76% and respective shares of AJK, FATA and Gilgit-Baltistan (GB) are 27.4%, 7.1% & 31.1%.

REPORT ORGANIZATION

The present Report is composed of following four Sections:

Section - I: is about background material relating to Family Planning in Pakistan; Administrative

arrangements for FP services; History of Family Planning Programme in Pakistan; FP2020

Commitments of Pakistan and initiatives taken to fulfil these commitments and discussion on the links

between SDG(s) and Family Planning. Further, in this section, an introduction to the report in terms of

its scope & objectives, have also been mentioned.

Section – II: is a description of related Concepts & Definitions, Method Mix, Family Planning Service

Vendors in Pakistan, Service Delivery Mechanism, Data Sources, Channel of Data Flow and

Methodology utilized for the compilation of Contraceptive Performance Statistics gleaned from the

Service Statistics.

Section - III: Key findings regarding the Contraceptive Performance of Provincial & Regional

Population Welfare Departments; Provincial and Regional Departments of Health (Health Facilities &

Lady Health Workers) & of three eminent NGO(s) i.e. Rahnuma FPAP, Marie Stopes Society of

Pakistan (MSS) and Greenstar Social Marketing (GSM) in terms of Couple years of Protection.

Moreover, annual estimates of mCPR, using an approximation of Estimated Method Use (EMU) rates,

have been given in this section.

**Section –IV:** Conclusion & Way Forward

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